

THE MILLENIAL KINGDOM (Revelation 20:4-6)

When Is The Millennium

Mt. 25:31-46; Rev. 19:11-15 The thousand year reign of Christ will start after “the judgment of the nations”. This takes place after the final battle of Armageddon at the end of the Great Tribulation.

Dan. 12: 8-13 If we study closely the prophecy of Daniel we will notice that there are seventy five days added to the end of the Tribulation. It has to be that this time is set for the Judgment of the Nations and the crowning of the Lord as King of the world.

Who Is In The Millennium

Matt. 19:27-28 The Apostles will definitely be there because Jesus promised them they would reign.

I Cor. 6:1-3 Paul tells the church that the saints will be in the kingdom and judge people and angels. We are not sure what place we will have but it has been made clear in **Luke 19:12-27** that the way we use the talents, gifts and finances God gives us in this life will determine our stature in His Kingdom.

Rev. 20:4 The Tribulation saints will also be in the Kingdom. These are identified as those who were saved by the Gospel of the Kingdom and refused to take the mark of the beast and were martyred.

Dan. 12:2, 13; Ez. 34:23-24 It is unclear whether there will be Old Testament saints ruling and reigning in the Kingdom. These verses give us some insight that some O.T. Saints may be there.

Matt. 25:34 The people that were saved in the Tribulation period will start repopulating the earth.

Where Will Christ Reign In The Millennium

Is. 2:2-3; 24:23 Isaiah leaves little doubt as to the city where Christ will reign from.

Ps. 68:29; Joel 3:16-21 These and other scriptures verify the city of Jerusalem as Christ's capital.

What Changes Take Place In The Millennium

Geographic Changes: Zec. 14:4 When Jesus comes back and stand upon the mount of Olives the mountain will split into two. There will be a great earthquake and the landscape of Israel will change.

Is. 40:4-5 The literal interpretation of Isaiah's prophecy of the worlds landscape will be fulfilled.

Zec. 14:9-11 The prophet tells us that the surrounding landscape will flatten and Jerusalem will be raised up high and become the capital of the world.

Ecological Changes: Rm. 8:21-22 Christ will deliver His creation from bondage and corruption.

Ez. 36:35; Is. 35:1-2 The whole earth will be like the Garden of Eden with no desert, no desolation.

Is. 11:6-8; 65:25 The animal kingdom will be friendly to each other and to all people.

Is. 55:12-13 There will be no thorns or briers. The mountains and the trees will even be happy.

Ez. 34:27-29 The earth will be fruitful and there will be no more famine throughout the world.

Health Changes: Is. 65:20-23 People will have the potential to live a very long and healthy life.

Mal. 4:2; Rev. 22:1-2 It appears that for those that love and follow Christ, there will be a place they can go in order to get healed from whatever ails them.

Political Changes: Is. 9:6-7 This wonderful scripture carries us through many dispensations and culminates with Christ on His Kingly throne where He belongs.

Is. 2:4 This thousand years will be a period of peace brought to the world by a Perfect Judge.

Zec. 14:17-19 Because we are all born with the sin nature, there will be people and leaders born during the Kingdom age that rebel and sin. Christ the King will deal swiftly with all who disobey Him.