

A PLACE CALLED HEAVEN

John 14:1-6

INTRODUCTION:

In this message, we will examine three aspects of A Place Called Heaven: (1) Heaven is the Place of God's Throne, (2) Heaven is a Place of Peace, and (3) Heaven is a Place of Reward.

- "Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me (John 14:6).

I. HEAVEN IS THE PLACE OF GOD'S THRONE (Rev 4:1-3)

- A. John Described His Summon To Heaven
- B. The Sights In Heavens (v. 4:2-8; Rom 6:23; Rev 3:4-5; 20:15)

II. HEAVEN IS A PLACE OF PEACE (John 14:1)

- A. Anyone who believes in God must also believe in His Son Jesus Christ (John 10:30).
- B. We can have peace because (1 Tim 2:5; Heb 13:5; Rom 5:2; Isa 26:3; Deut 31:6).

III. HEAVEN IS A PLACE OF REWARD (2 Tim 4:6-8)

- A. Heaven is the Final Reward for a Life Well-Lived for Christ.
- B. In 2 Tim 4:6-8, Paul spoke of his impending departure and the Crown of Righteousness awaiting him.
- C. Paul's Glorious Testimony (v. 7; 1 Tim 6:12; Phil 3:14)
- D. Paul's reward! "A Crown of Righteousness"

- Pastor Adrian Rogers said, "We ought to be living as if Jesus died yesterday, rose this morning, and is coming back this afternoon."

CONCLUSION:

A. In A Place Called Heaven: Heaven is the Place of God's Throne, Heaven is a Place of Peace, and Heaven is a Place of Reward.

B. "My home is heaven – I'm just traveling through the world." – Billy Graham

C. "For the Christian, heaven is where Jesus is.

We do not need to speculate on what heaven will be like. It is enough to know that we will be forever with Him" – Jesus. – William Barclay

D. How to Get to Heaven – A-B-C's of Salvation

- A – Admit that you're a sinner and that you cannot save yourself (Rom 3:23, Eph 2:8-9).
- B – Believe that Jesus died on the Cross and rose again for your sins (Rom 5:8, 1 Cor. 15:3-4).
- C – Confess/Call on Jesus Christ as your personal Lord and Savior (Rom 10:9-13)

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"the word of our God shall stand for ever" (Isa 40:8).