

**Summer Series - “Facts for the Future”
“The World at Christ’s Second Coming”**

MARRIAGE SUPPER OF THE LAMB

When this time of Great Tribulation comes to an end Jesus will return with His Bride, the Church, to set up His new Kingdom upon the earth.

But first there has to be a Wedding in Heaven during the time of Tribulation on earth for Christ to have a Bride to return with.

Revelation 19:6, 7 ⁶ Then I heard what seemed to be the voice of a great multitude, like the roar of many waters and like the sound of mighty peals of thunder, crying out, “Hallelujah! For the Lord our God the Almighty reigns. ⁷ Let us rejoice and exult and give him the glory, for the marriage of the Lamb has come, and his Bride has made herself ready;

Four Hallelujahs v.1- 7 – Hallelujah means “Praise the Lord”

1st Hallelujah 1-2

Great multitude in Heaven saying Hallelujah
God’s judgements are true and right!

2nd Hallelujah 3

Babylon’s judgement is eternal

3rd Hallelujah 4

24 Elders and 4 Living Creatures say Amen and Hallelujah

4th Hallelujah 5-7

The great multitude saying “...the Lord God Omnipotent reigns!”
For the marriage of the Lamb has come!

Bride of the Lamb and the Marriage Supper v.7-10

The Engagement - 7

2 Corinthians 11:2

The Church has been set them apart to be the bride Christ.
Right now their time of sanctification so they can be presented to Christ as a chaste or pure virgin.

The Marriage - 8

Christ is to be married to the Church, not the Old Testament saints.
The church has been redeemed by accepting Jesus as their Lord and Savior.

Philippians 3:9

The four stages of the Jewish wedding ceremony

First stage the groom pays for the bride and prepares a home for them.

Ephesians 5:25-27

John 14:2

Second stage is known as the fetching of the Bride at the Rapture
John 14:3
1 Thessalonians 4:16-18

Third stage is the marriage ceremony only a few invited.
Revelation 19:7-8

Fourth stage is the marriage supper
Will take place on earth after the battles of Armageddon.
Revelation 19:9-10
John 3:29
Daniel 12:1,2

Conclusion:

**Four Hallelujahs sound in Heaven for the end of the Tribulation is at hand.
God's wrath is complete.**

**Jesus is married to His Bride the Church in Heaven after the Rapture
Jesus will return to the earth to defeat the Antichrist, False Prophet and Satan
He will set up His Kingdom and celebrate the Marriage Supper!**

Life Group Questions

BEGIN IT – (5 Min) Praise the Lord & pray that God leads the study

OPEN IT – (10 Min) Describe the best Wedding you ever attended.

**EXPLORE IT (60 min) Read through the sermon notes and make time for comments
people might have and share notes.**

- 1. List the differences between the Rapture and the Second Coming of Christ.**
- 2. Why is there praise in Heaven when God judges the sin of the world?**
- 3. Why will it be proper for the Church to wear a white Bridal gown?**
- 4. What will be happening on earth while we are at the Marriage in Heaven?**
- 5. Where will the Marriage supper be held and why?**

**APPLY IT (15 min) Since we believe that Christ is coming soon, how should this effect
how we live till then?**