

Revelation 21:1-8 **All Things New – God and His People together for Eternity**

All Things Made New – New Heaven – New Earth – New Jerusalem

1 Now I saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away. Also there was no more sea.

God Dwelling With His People

2 Then I, John, saw the holy city, New Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband.

3 And I heard a loud voice from heaven saying, "Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and He will dwell with them, and they shall be His people. God Himself will be with them and be their God.

4 And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes; there shall be no more death, nor sorrow, nor crying. There shall be no more pain, for the former things have passed away."

All Things New – True & Faithful Words of Promise

5 Then He who sat on the throne said, "Behold, I make all things new." And He said to me, "Write, for these words are true and faithful."

6 And He said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End. I will give of the fountain of the water of life freely to him who thirsts.

7 He who overcomes shall inherit all things, and I will be his God and he shall be My son.

8 But the cowardly, unbelieving, abominable, murderers, sexually immoral, sorcerers, idolaters, and all liars shall have their part in the lake which burns with fire and brimstone, which is the second death."

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Facts Revealed:

All Things Made New – New Heaven – New Earth – New Jerusalem

- ✠ Now I saw a **new heaven** and a **new earth**, for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away. Also there was **no more sea**. [[Revelation 21:1](#)]
- ✧ The first Heaven and Earth were destroyed at the beginning of the Great White Throne Judgment. [[Revelation 20:11](#)]
- ✧ Now God presents the New Heaven and New Earth that sin will never touch.
- ✧ Peter spoke of the New Heaven and New Earth as a place where righteousness dwells. [[2 Peter 3:13](#)]
- ✧ Isaiah also spoke of the New Heaven and New Earth and Jerusalem a Joy. [[Isaiah 65:17-19, 66:22](#)]
- ✧ Seas are blown by the wind and troubled, but on the New Earth there is no sea to be troubled.
- ✧ All will be peace, tranquility, rest and joy in the presence of a loving God.
- ✧ The New Earth will be many times larger than the old earth for a city 1,500 miles high.

God Dwelling With His People

✠ Then I, John, saw the holy city, **New Jerusalem**, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a **bride adorned for her husband**.

And I heard a loud voice from heaven saying, "**Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and He will dwell with them, and they shall be His people. God Himself will be with them and be their God.**" [Revelation 21:2-3]

✧ New Jerusalem is the City with foundations whose builder and maker is God for which Abraham waited. [Hebrews 11:8-10]

✧ New Jerusalem represents the actual manifestation of **God's greatest desire** from the beginning of Creation and the call of Israel, **I will dwell with them and be their God, and they shall be My people.** [Exodus 6:7, 29:45-46, Leviticus 26:12, 45, 2 Samuel 7:24, 1 Chronicles 17:22, Jeremiah 24:7, 31:33, 32:38, Ezekiel 11:20, 14:11, 34:30, 37:23, 27, Zechariah 8:8, 2 Corinthians 6:16, Hebrews 8:10, Revelation 21:3]

✠ And **God will wipe away every tear from their eyes**; there shall be no more death, nor sorrow, nor crying. There shall be no more pain, for **the former things have passed away.**" [Revelation 21:4]

✧ All the grief that is so common on this earth will have passed away

✧ Death, pain, sorrow, crying and tears will forever be gone being related to the old earth that has passed away.

✧ The things of the old Earth will not even come to mind on the New Earth where God dwells. [Isaiah 65:17]

All Things New – True & Faithful Words of Promise

✠ Then He who sat on the throne said, "**Behold, I make all things new.**" And He said to me, "Write, for **these words are true and faithful.**" [Revelation 21:5]

✧ The promise that God will make all things new is true and faithful, that makes it totally believable and dependable, having come from the mouth of God Himself.

✠ And He said to me, "**It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End. I will give of the fountain of the water of life freely to him who thirsts.**" [Revelation 21:6]

✧ With the advent of the New Heaven, New Earth, and New Jerusalem, all the promises and desires of God are finalized as He said, "It is done."

✧ The message is directly from Jesus, the One who said, I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End, the First and the Last as the vision of Revelation began. [Revelation 1:8, 11]

✧ Now we see that the same identification still holds.

✧ Jesus our Savior promises the Water of Life for anyone on the New Earth who thirsts.

✧ Sin is gone and only the Saints are present, just as it was when the Tree of Life was offered to Adam and Eve before they sinned. [Genesis 2:8, 16-17]

✧ God wants Life Eternal for His people.

✠ He who overcomes shall inherit all things, and **I will be his God and he shall be My son.** [Revelation 21:7]

✧ Again The Lord expresses His primary desire for His relationship with His People.

✧ The People are not called His Bride, but His People, and His son.

✧ The **city** is called His **Bride**.

✠ But the **cowardly, unbelieving, abominable, murderers, sexually immoral, sorcerers, idolaters, and all liars shall have their part in the lake which burns with fire and brimstone**, which is the **second death.**" [Revelation 21:8]

✧ We are then assured that wickedness will never touch the New Heaven, New Earth, or New Jerusalem, because the sinners are totally confined to the eternal Lake of Fire.

- ✧ The Second Death was first mentioned when speaking of the overcomers saved from it [\[Revelation 2:11\]](#), and at the Great White Throne Judgment where all sinners, Death, and Hades are cast into it. [\[Revelation 20:11-15\]](#)
- ✧ The **Second Death** is the **Eternal Lake of Fire**. [\[Revelation 20:14\]](#)