

I. What Will Be Missing in Heaven

1. There will be no _____.

- Heaven is in essence the _____ of the person of God.

Revelation 21:3

And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "Now the dwelling of God is with men, and he will live with them. They will be his people, and God himself will be with them and be their God."

2. There will be no _____.

- There is coming a time when God will turn every tear into a _____.

Revelation 21:4

He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away."

3. There will be no _____.

- The _____ of humanity will be replaced with the _____ of our resurrected bodies.

II. Who Will Be Missing in Heaven

1. Heaven is for _____ and not _____.

Matthew 7:21-23

"Not everyone who says to me, 'Lord, Lord,' will enter the kingdom of heaven, but only he who does the will of my Father who is in heaven.

²²Many will say to me on that day, 'Lord, Lord, did we not prophesy in your name, and in your name drive out demons and perform many miracles?' ²³Then I will tell them plainly, 'I never knew you. Away from me, you evildoers!'"

- Part of the _____ of hell is missing the _____ of heaven.

2. Heaven's borders are _____.

Revelation 21:27

Nothing impure will ever enter it, nor will anyone who does what is shameful or deceitful, but only those whose names are written in the Lamb's book of life.

3. Heaven as your home is not a _____ but a _____.

1 John 5:13

I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God so that you may know that you have eternal life.

III. How to Avoid Missing Heaven

What do I need to know in order to go?

1. _____ ended Eden's paradise.

- Sin is the great _____ and _____.

Proverbs 14:12

There is a way that seems right to a man, but in the end it leads to death.

Romans 3:23

for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God

2. _____ Sin has _____ but _____ God has a _____.

Romans 6:23

For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

John 3:16

"For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that

whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.

- Jesus came to connect to us in our _____ without disconnecting to God _____ in his _____.
- Heaven becomes our home when we place our _____ on Christ and he places his _____ on us.

3. A home in heaven is _____.

- Jesus is the only religious leader with the spiritual _____ to purchase your salvation.

Revelation 5:4-5

I wept and wept because no one was found who was worthy to open the scroll or look inside.⁵ Then one of the elders said to me, "Do not weep! See, the Lion of the tribe of Judah, the Root of David, has triumphed. He is able to open the scroll and its seven seals."

4. Grace paid our _____.

John 19:30

When he had received the drink, Jesus said, "It is finished." With that, he bowed his head and gave up his spirit.

- Grace is God giving us exactly what we don't _____.

Psalm 103:10-12

he does not treat us as our sins deserve or repay us according to our iniquities.¹¹ For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his love for those who fear him;¹² as far as the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions from us.

- Grace is realizing that on the cross Jesus experienced the _____ we deserved so that we could experience the _____ we don't deserve.

5. Faith opens the _____.

- Forgiveness is not _____; we must recognize, repent and rest. (Proverbs 28:13; John 3:16; 1 John 1:9; Ephesians 2:8-9)

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