

Heaven, Hell & Here: Judgement Day

April 26 - Revelation 20:10-15

Who is Judged?

1. The Devil & Company (vs 10, Matthew 25:41).
2. All Creation (vs 11).
3. All the Dead (vs 12-13).
4. Death and Hades (vs 14).

How they are Judged:

1. According to what they had done.
2. According to what book they are in: Book of Life & Other Book.

Two Judgement Paradigms:

1. The Judgment seat of King Jesus, includes rewards (2 Corinthians 5:10).
2. The Judgment of the Damned, includes sentencing (vs 15).

Why the Bible speaks so much about Judgement:

1. As an antidote to hypocrisy (Luke 12:1-3).
2. In order to put persecution and suffering in perspective (Luke 12:4-5).
3. As a prescription against greed, covetousness, and disregard of the poor (Luke 12:16-21, Matthew 25).
4. To illustrate how Judgement is self-selected (Matt 25:24).
5. To expose the illusion of personal control (Gen 2:17) , 2 Peter 3:9).
6. To show us the heart and power of God (Psalm 33:5).

