

## The Experience Continues

“And they continued steadfastly in the apostles’ doctrine and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in prayers.” ~ Acts 2:42

**W MORE Answers in Prophecy:** Join us the next three Wednesdays, 7pm as we dig deeper into the Rapture, the Mark of the Beast, and the US in Bible Prophecy. Wednesdays, 7pm in the Fellowship Hall (Oct 20, 27, Nov. 3).

**Th House of Prayer:** Songs, testimonies, and united prayer. Thursdays, 7pm in the Conference Rm (starting Oct. 28).

**Sa Grounded:** a Sabbath School class for those new to faith or wanting a new start. These weekly studies will focus on growing a deeply rooted relationship with Jesus. Sabbaths, 9:30am in Adult Classroom 1 (starting Oct. 23).



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### God's Final Message

- Revelation 14:6—In these last days, God is sending out the everlasting \_\_\_\_\_ to those who dwell on the \_\_\_\_\_. (cf. Rev. 13:8)

Out of a heart of infinite love, God sends out a final message to rescue those who worship the \_\_\_\_\_. As we have seen, this beast historically represents the Roman Church-State. On the broader level of principles, this beast represents self-driven religion that seeks to accomplish spiritual goals through \_\_\_\_\_ power. Those who worship this beast, then, are those who seek to attain spiritual goals through human power, that is, salvation by faith in man, not in God. This inclination to trust in self rather than trust in God is the very essence of humanity’s sin problem itself (Rom. 14:23). In this light, we will be able to discern the deep, spiritual significance of God’s message through the three angels of Revelation 14.

### Historical Context

- Revelation 14:6—If the proclamation of the everlasting gospel “to every nation, tribe, tongue and people” is the \_\_\_\_\_ of the prophetic commission of Rev. 10:11 (see *Presentation #13*), then these heavenly messages have been sounding since the Great Disappointment in \_\_\_\_\_.
- Revelation 14:14-16—Since the three angels’ messages result in the \_\_\_\_\_ of earth’s harvest, they must be proclaimed until the \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus.

### What Do They Say?

- Revelation 14:7—Judgment has come, so fear \_\_\_\_\_.
- Revelation 14:8—Babylon has gone \_\_\_\_\_.
- Revelation 14:9-12—Beware of the beast, and don’t get its \_\_\_\_\_!

## What Do They Mean?

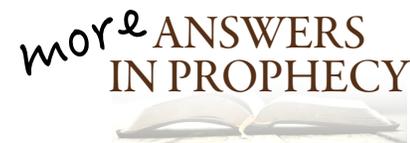
- ❑ Revelation 14:7—Note the following aspects of the 1st angel's message:
  - 3 different appeals with the same general emphasis: look to \_\_\_\_\_, not to man/man-centered authority
  - 2 motivating factors behind these appeals:
    - judgment hour: sense of urgency and \_\_\_\_\_
    - God's creatorship: sense of God's \_\_\_\_\_ (contrast to humanity's)
- ❑ Revelation 14:8—Note the following aspects of the 2nd angel's message:
  - Babylon's essence (Gen. 11): making a name \_\_\_\_\_ self and \_\_\_\_\_ self; ignoring God's promise and trusting one's own \_\_\_\_\_
  - "Made all nations": points to the \_\_\_\_\_ of Babylon's influence
  - "passion of her fornication": putting two things \_\_\_\_\_ that don't belong, resulting in \_\_\_\_\_
  - The message: that influential system, that mode of operation is really \_\_\_\_\_, proven to be a bust
- ❑ Revelation 14:9-11—Note the following aspects of the 3rd angel's message:
  - The warning: wrath to \_\_\_\_\_, and no rest \_\_\_\_\_
    - The very essence of worshiping the beast is worshiping/trusting \_\_\_\_\_.
    - Mt. 11:28--If rest is found when we come to Jesus, trying to be our own god only leads to \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
  - The promise: (what the message is not saying) those who worship God have \_\_\_\_\_.
- ❑ Revelation 14:12—This is how God's end-time followers will persevere: complete \_\_\_\_\_ that grows out of complete \_\_\_\_\_ in Jesus, not ourselves.

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- ❑ Conclusion: These are the same messages spoken with increased \_\_\_\_\_: Look to \_\_\_\_\_!

## Now What?

- ❑ Matthew 24:14—This message is our \_\_\_\_\_. God is looking for people who will give these messages to the ends of the earth, and then the \_\_\_\_\_ will come.
- ❑ Matthew 24:14—"as a witness"--How can we expect to \_\_\_\_\_ these messages if we have not \_\_\_\_\_ them ourselves? In order to give these messages, we must live these messages through a life of unreserved \_\_\_\_\_, complete obedience that grows out of complete \_\_\_\_\_ in Jesus, not ourselves.
- ❑ Through the three angels of Revelation 14, God communicates two things:
  - God loves you and wants you to \_\_\_\_\_ this gospel.
  - God loves the world and wants you to \_\_\_\_\_ this gospel.



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7pm in the Fellowship Hall  
\*Please sign-up at registration table\*

Topics will include:  
*Revelation's Surprising Rapture*  
*How to Escape the Mark of the Beast*  
*The United States in Bible Prophecy*