

Revelation 22

King James Version (KJV)

22 And he shewed me a pure river of water of life, clear as crystal, proceeding out of the throne of God and of the Lamb.

Prophesied in Ezekiel-47:1-12 (The spiritual water that feeds our spirits) (This is the living water that Jesus spoke of to the woman at the well of Jacob; that if we partake of it, we will never thirst again)

²In the midst of the street of it, and on either side of the river, was there the tree of life, which bare twelve manner of fruits, and yielded her fruit every month: and the leaves of the tree were for the healing of the nations. (nations = ethnos <Greek> - all the ethnic peoples)

³And there shall be no more curse: but the throne of God and of the Lamb shall be in it; and his servants shall serve him: Ezekiel-48:35 (God dwells there)

⁴And they shall see his face; and his name shall be in their foreheads. (They will know God and His Word)

⁵And there shall be no night there; and they need no candle, neither light of the sun; for the Lord God giveth them light: and they shall reign for ever and ever.

⁶And he said unto me, These sayings are faithful and true: and the Lord God of the holy prophets sent his angel to shew unto his servants the things which must shortly be done.

⁷Behold, I come quickly: blessed is he that keepeth the sayings of the prophecy of this book. (The words of Jesus as Messiah; HE is telling us to learn this Book and remember it and obey its teachings)

⁸And I John saw these things, and heard them. And when I had heard and seen, I fell down to worship before the feet of the angel which shewed me these things. (John is trying to worship an angel. He must have been overwhelmed by all that he saw and heard)

⁹Then saith he unto me, See thou do it not: for I am thy fellowservant, and of thy brethren the prophets, and of them which keep the sayings of this book: worship God. (Angels are just people who have lived and died in the flesh. To worship them is blasphemy against God)

¹⁰ And he saith unto me, Seal not the sayings of the prophecy of this book: for the time is at hand. (Revelation means – to reveal, to unveil, to make known; not to seal away) (Ignorant preachers that don't understand God's Word tell people that this Book is sealed and that we can't understand it. This verse proves them wrong)

¹¹ He that is unjust, let him be unjust still: and he which is filthy, let him be filthy still: and he that is righteous, let him be righteous still: and he that is holy, let him be holy still. (We are to plant the seed of knowledge but people will do as they please. Some will accept it, some won't. Only Jesus can save any of us)

¹² And, behold, I come quickly; and my reward is with me, to give every man according as his work shall be. (We are saved by our faith, rewarded by our works. Now Jesus, as Messiah, is speaking to John)

¹³ I am Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the end, the first and the last. (God is the first and the last. Alpha and Omega are the first and last letters of the Greek alphabet)

¹⁴ Blessed are they that do his commandments, that they may have right to the tree of life, and may enter in through the gates into the city. (John is returned to his time – circa: 96 A.D.)

¹⁵ For without are dogs, and sorcerers, and whoremongers, and murderers, and idolaters, and whosoever loveth and maketh a lie. (dogs - homosexuals <the dog was used as an expression or a figure of speech because of how they have sex; it's a term of degradation>; sorcerers – drug pushers)

¹⁶ I Jesus have sent mine angel to testify unto you these things in the churches. I am the root and the offspring of David, and the bright and morning star.

¹⁷ And the Spirit and the bride say, Come. And let him that heareth say, Come. And let him that is athirst come. And whosoever will, let him take the water of life freely. (We are free to choose – God and salvation; or the ways of the world and its riches and lusts)

¹⁸ For I testify unto every man that heareth the words of the prophecy of this book, If any man shall add unto these things, God shall add unto him the plagues that are written in this book:

(A warning – Do not change what this Book states – as in the manuscripts. It is OK to correct translation errors – as was stated in the translators' letter in the original 1611 King James Bible. They said that they may have made some translation errors. If we find such errors, they tell us to refer back to the manuscripts for the original words and their meanings)

¹⁹ And if any man shall take away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God shall take away his part out of the book of life, and out of the holy city, and from the things which are written in this book.
(Preachers had better stop teaching the traditions of men, and get back to teaching the Word of God, unchanged)

(There is no rapture in this Book. We are to stand fast against antichrist to let the Holy Spirit of God speak through us) see Mark-13, Matthew-24

²⁰ He which testifieth these things saith, Surely I come quickly. Amen. Even so, come, Lord Jesus.

²¹ The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. Amen.