

**1a. Isaiah 53:7**

<sup>7</sup>He was oppressed and He was afflicted,  
Yet He opened not His mouth;  
He was led as a lamb to the slaughter,  
And as a sheep before its shearers is silent,  
So He opened not His mouth.

**John 1:29**

<sup>29</sup>The next day John saw Jesus coming toward him, and said, "Behold! The Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world!

**Answer:** Jesus' First Coming – He came as "a lamb" for the purpose of dealing with our sin problem.

**1b. Isaiah 55:7**

<sup>7</sup>Let the wicked forsake his way,  
And the unrighteous man his thoughts;  
Let him return to the Lord,  
And He will have mercy on him;  
And to our God,  
For He will abundantly pardon.

**Matthew 1:21**

<sup>21</sup>And she will bring forth a Son, and you shall call His name Jesus, for He will save His people from their sins."

**Answer:** Jesus came to save us from our sin problem

**1. Additional Text. Titus 2:11-14** the "**Kingdom of Grace**" = Jesus 1<sup>st</sup> Coming

<sup>11</sup>For the grace of God that brings salvation has appeared to all men, <sup>12</sup>teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly in the present age, <sup>13</sup>looking for the blessed hope and glorious appearing of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ, <sup>14</sup>who gave Himself for us, that He might redeem us from every lawless deed and purify for Himself His own special people, zealous for good works.

**2a. Psalms 50:3-5**

<sup>3</sup> Our God shall come, and shall not keep silent;  
A fire shall devour before Him,  
And it shall be very tempestuous all around Him.  
<sup>4</sup> He shall call to the heavens from above,  
And to the earth, that He may judge His people:  
<sup>5</sup> "Gather My saints together to Me,  
Those who have made a covenant with Me by sacrifice."

**Answer:** Jesus 2<sup>nd</sup> Coming ("kingdom of glory") – Jesus will come to judge and gather His saints (friends).

**2b. Isaiah 65:17; 66:15**

<sup>65:17</sup>“For behold, I create new heavens and a new earth;  
And the former shall not be remembered or come to mind.

<sup>66:15</sup>For behold, the Lord will come with fire  
And with His chariots, like a whirlwind,  
To render His anger with fury,  
And His rebuke with flames of fire.

**Answer:** Jesus will also create a “new heaven and a new earth” at that time (His 2<sup>nd</sup> Coming).

**3. Hebrews 9:28**

<sup>28</sup>so Christ was offered once to bear the sins of many. To those who eagerly wait for Him He will appear a second time, apart from sin, for salvation.

**Answer:** Because Jesus dealt with our sin problem at His First Coming, He can save us from this damaged world when He comes at His Second Coming.

**4. No Texts****5. John 14:1-3**

<sup>1</sup>“Let not your heart be troubled; you believe in God, believe also in Me. <sup>2</sup>In My Father’s house are many mansions; if *it were not so*, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. <sup>3</sup>And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you to Myself; that where I am, *there* you may be also.

**Answer:** Jesus said “if I go”, “I will come again” for the purpose of taking us with Him to the place He has prepared for us “in (His) Father’s house”.

**HOW does Jesus come at His Second Coming?****6a. Acts 1:9-11**

<sup>9</sup>Now when He had spoken these things, while they watched, He was taken up, and a cloud received Him out of their sight. <sup>10</sup>And while they looked steadfastly toward heaven as He went up, behold, two men stood by them in white apparel, <sup>11</sup>who also said, “Men of Galilee, why do you stand gazing up into heaven? This *same* Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, will so come in like manner as you saw Him go into heaven.”

**Answer:** The disciples “saw” with their own eyes Jesus go up into heaven and they will see with their own eyes Jesus return to this earth.

**6b. Matthew 16:27**

<sup>27</sup>For the Son of Man will come in the glory of His Father with His angels, and then He will reward each according to his works.

**Answer:** Jesus will come with “glory” and with “His angles”.

**6c. Revelation 19:11-16**

<sup>11</sup>Now I saw heaven opened, and behold, a white horse. And He who sat on him was called Faithful and True, and in righteousness He judges and makes war. <sup>12</sup>His eyes were like a flame of fire, and on His head were many crowns. He had a name written that no one knew except Himself. <sup>13</sup>He was clothed with a robe dipped in blood, and His name is called The Word of God. <sup>14</sup>And the armies in heaven, clothed in fine linen, white and clean, followed Him on white horses. <sup>15</sup>Now out of His mouth goes a sharp sword, that with it He should strike the nations. And He Himself will rule them with a rod of iron. He Himself treads the winepress of the fierceness and wrath of Almighty God. <sup>16</sup>And He has on His robe and on His thigh a name written: KING OF KINGS AND LORD OF LORDS.

**Answer:** Jesus 2<sup>nd</sup> Coming will be a spectacular event – He will be coming as KING of KINGS and LORD of LORDS with all the attending glory and power evident.

**6d. Revelation 1:7**

<sup>7</sup>Behold, He is coming with clouds, and every eye will see Him, even they who pierced Him. And all the tribes of the earth will mourn because of Him. Even so, Amen.

**Matthew 24:26,27,30**

<sup>26</sup>“Therefore if they say to you, ‘Look, He is in the desert!’ do not go out; or ‘Look, He is in the inner rooms!’ do not believe it. <sup>27</sup>For as the lightning comes from the east and flashes to the west, so also will the coming of the Son of Man be. . . <sup>30</sup>Then the sign of the Son of Man will appear in heaven, and then all the tribes of the earth will mourn, and they will see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of heaven with power and great glory.

**Answer:** Jesus 2<sup>nd</sup> Coming will be seen by “every eye” – everyone will know what is happening, even those who killed Him on the cross. It will NOT be a secret, hidden event

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WHY does Jesus come the second time?

**7a. Matthew 25:31-34**

<sup>31</sup>“When the Son of Man comes in His glory, and all the holy angels with Him, then He will sit on the throne of His glory. <sup>32</sup>All the nations will be gathered before Him, and He will separate them one from another, as a shepherd divides *his* sheep from the goats. <sup>33</sup>And He will set the sheep on His right hand, but the goats on the left. <sup>34</sup>Then the King will say to those on His right hand, ‘Come, you blessed of My Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world: . . .

**Answer:** At the 2<sup>nd</sup> Coming, the wicked and the righteous will have declared their position and God will honor their decision and separate the two groups – the goats = wicked – placed on his left hand (condemned) and the sheep = righteous – placed on His right hand (honored). The righteous will “inherit the kingdom” which He has prepared for them since the sin problem invaded this world.

**7b. 1 Thessalonians 4:16, 17**

<sup>16</sup>For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of an archangel, and with the trumpet of God. And the dead in Christ will rise first. <sup>17</sup>Then we who are alive *and* remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And thus we shall always be with the Lord.

**Answer:** Jesus comes to gather His friends, both those who have died (they are raised) and those who are still alive, and together they all are taken to be with Jesus forever.

**7c. 2 Timothy 4:7, 8**

<sup>7</sup>I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. <sup>8</sup>Finally, there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give to me on that Day, and not to me only but also to all who have loved His appearing.

**Answer:** Jesus comes for those who are looking for His return and He will give them a “crown of righteousness” for being faithful in living for Him.

**8. Mark 13:32-37**

<sup>32</sup>“But of that day and hour no one knows, not even the angels in heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father. <sup>33</sup>Take heed, watch and pray; for you do not know when the time is. <sup>34</sup>*It is* like a man going to a far country, who left his house and gave authority to his servants, and to each his work, and commanded the doorkeeper to watch. <sup>35</sup>Watch therefore, for you do not know when the master of the house is coming—in the evening, at midnight, at the crowing of the rooster, or in the morning— <sup>36</sup>lest, coming suddenly, he find you sleeping. <sup>37</sup>And what I say to you, I say to all: Watch!”

**Answer:** Jesus expects us to be doing the work He has assigned to us on this earth and to watch for His 2<sup>nd</sup> Coming, which will happen when least expected and quickly, so “WATCH!” (stay awake).