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The Promise

Matt 24:27

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Miss

Keep It Simple Saint

What Subject is Mentioned in the Bible...

...1 out of 25 Verses in the New Testament?

The Return of Christ

The word "MIS" is spelled out using large, three-dimensional wooden block letters. The letters are light-colored wood with a natural grain, set against a dark, textured background. The letters are arranged in a slightly staggered, three-dimensional fashion, giving them a sense of depth and weight.

Keep It Simple Saint

The Return of Our Lord

The Bible Doesn't Give Every Detail About His Return...

Much Prophecy is Clouded in Mystery...

...Sealed Up Til the Time of the End

One Fact is Clear

Jesus Will Return to Earth Again...

...Visibly

...Literally

...Victoriously

Here is a Picture of His Return

The Rapture vs the Second Coming

SECOND COMING

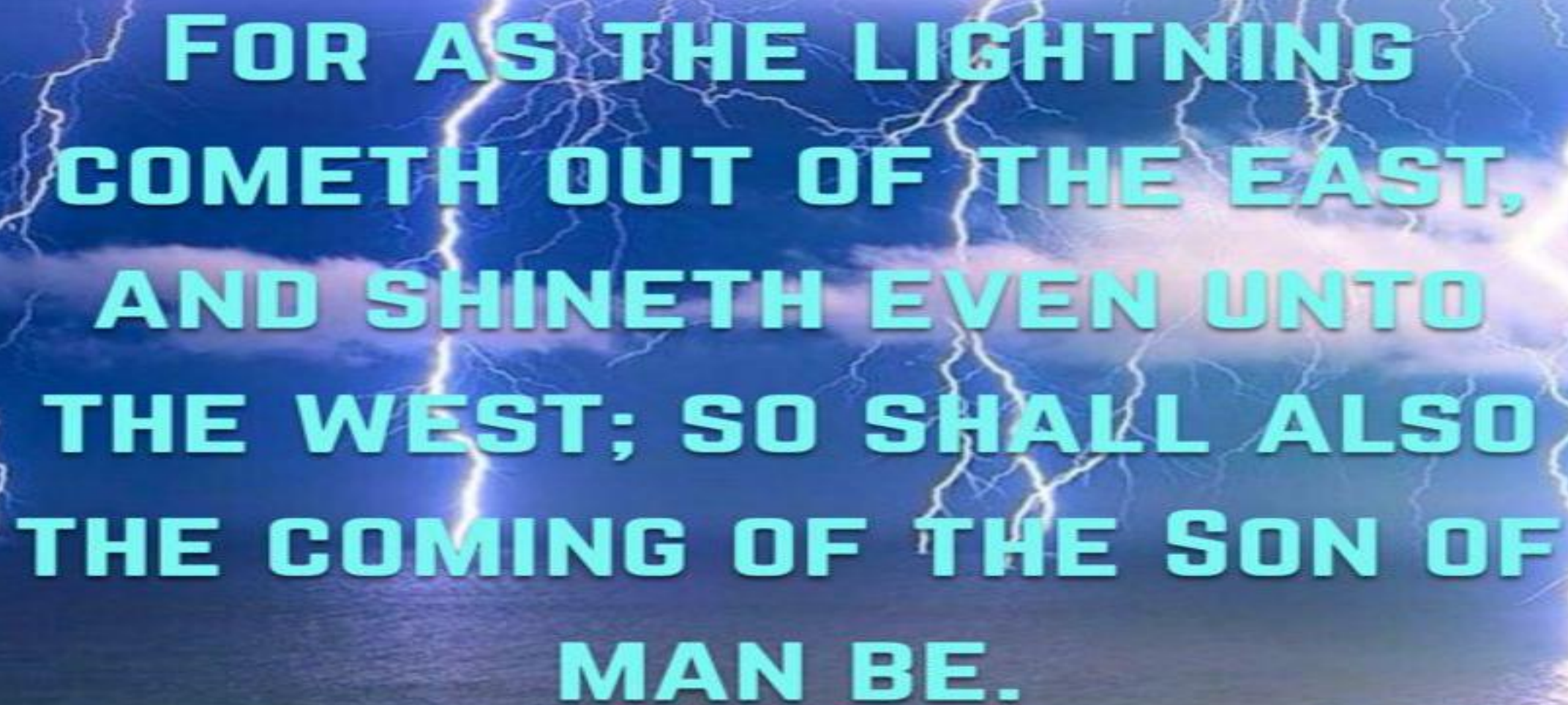
RAPTURE

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The Rapture vs the Second Coming

- Christ Comes for His Own
- Believers taken to Father's House
- He is Seen Only By Believers
- Judgment Begins
- a Mystery
- Casts Satan Fr. Heaven to Earth
- Comes As Thief In the Night
- Signals The Beginning of Trib

- Christ Returns with His Own
- Believers Come with Jesus to Earth
- Every Eye Will See Him
- Judgment Ends
- Foretold in OT
- Binds Satan for a Thousand Years
- Comes at the End of 7 years
- Signals the End of Tribulation



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~MATTHEW 24:27~

**FOR AS THE LIGHTNING
COMETH OUT OF THE EAST,**

Matt 24:27, *“For as the lightning cometh out of the east, and shineth even unto the west; so shall also the coming of the Son of man be”*

- **Powerful**
- **Prompt**
- **Parted**


~MATTHEW 24:27~

A Glorious Return

Ready or not I'm
coming back.

 Crisco





Ready or not I'm coming back.

Matthew 24:44, *Therefore be ye also ready: for in such an hour as ye think not the Son of man cometh.*

No One Knows...

...Not Even Jesus

...Only the Father

An Unexpected Return

A Literal Return



A Literal Return



Acts 1:11, *“Which also said, Ye men of Galilee, why stand ye gazing up into heaven? this same Jesus, which is taken up from you into heaven, shall so come in like manner as ye have seen him go into heaven”*

Quit Following Signs...

...Get Busy

...Then Signs Will Follow

A Sudden Return



A Sudden Return



1 Thessalonians 5:2, *“For yourselves know perfectly that the day of the LORD so cometh as a thief in the night”*

Characteristics of a Thief

A Thief Looks for Inconvenient...

- Time
- Treasure
- Trouble

A Judgmental Return



A Judgmental Return



Jude 14-15 (KJV)

- ¹⁴ And Enoch also, the seventh from Adam, prophesied of these, saying, Behold, the Lord cometh with ten thousands of his saints,
- ¹⁵ To execute judgment upon all, and to convince all that are ungodly among them of all their ungodly deeds which they have ungodly committed, and of all their hard speeches which ungodly sinners have spoken against him.

A Global Return



A Global Return

Revelation 1:7 (KJV)

⁷ Behold, he cometh with clouds; and every eye shall see him, and they also which pierced him: and all kindreds of the earth shall wail because of him. Even so, Amen.

- Believe it or Not
- Jesus isn't an American!

A Triumphant Return

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A Triumphant Return

¹¹ And I saw heaven opened, and behold a white horse; and he that sat upon him was called Faithful and True, and in righteousness he doth judge and make war. ¹² His eyes were as a flame of fire, and on his head were many crowns; and he had a name written, that no man knew, but he himself. ¹³ And he was clothed with a vesture dipped in blood: and his name is called The Word of God. ¹⁴ And the armies which were in heaven followed him upon white horses, clothed in fine linen, white and clean. ¹⁵ And out of his mouth goeth a sharp sword, that with it he should smite the nations: and he shall rule them with a rod of iron: and he treadeth the winepress of the fierceness and wrath of Almighty God. **Revelation 19:11-16 (KJV)**

Imminent Return



Imminent Return

1 Thessalonians 4:16-18 (KJV)

16 For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first:

17 Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord.

18 Wherefore comfort one another with these words.

- **Comfort= Be Strong Together**

A black and white photograph capturing the lower legs and hooves of a horse in motion. The horse is running on a dirt path, and its hooves are kicking up a cloud of dust. The background is a bright, overexposed sky. The overall image has a grainy, high-contrast quality.

No Matter What You Are Facing...

The End. Jesus Wins.



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- **Keep Your Eye on the Eastern Sky**
- **Live Life in View of Eternity**
- **This Could Be the Day that Christ Returns**