Key memory verses

A sense of expectancy

Organizing knowledge for our thought process

Ephesians 5:11-18 (NKJV)
11 And the himself gave some to be apostles; some prophets; some evangelists; and some pastors and teachers,
12 For the perfecting of the saints, for the work of ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ:
13 till we all come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to a perfect man, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ;
14 that we should no longer be children, tossed to and fro and carried about with every wind of doctrine, by the trickery of men, by the cunning craftiness of deceitful plotting,
15 but, speaking the truth in love, may grow up in all things into Him who is the head—Christ.
16 from whom the whole body, joined and knit together by what every joint supplies, according to the effective working by which every part does its share, causes growth of the body for the edifying of itself in love.

Deuteronomy 32:2 (NKJV)
2 My teaching shall drop as the rain, My speech shall distill as the dew, As the gentle rain upon the herb, And as the showers upon the grass.

Running up to Revelation

5:27-16

Christ's appearing & Trib

The Purposes of the Tribulation. do not relate to the church

1. To execute judgment on wicked nations who have rejected Christ.
2. The purpose is to show the inability of Satan to rule the planet.
3. To provide time for an innumerable multitude to be saved.
4. To prepare the nation of Israel for the Messiah and His kingdom.

God's abundant grace is present throughout the tribulation!

Revelation 7:9-17 (NKJV)
9 After these things I looked, and behold, a great multitude which no one could number, of all nations, tribes, peoples, and tongues, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed with white robes, with palms in their hands,
10 and cried with a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb."
11 All the angels stood around the throne and the elders and the four living creatures, and fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God,
12 saying: "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might, be to our God forever and ever. Amen."
13 Then one of the elders answered, saying to me, "Who are these arrayed in white robes, and where did they come from?"
14 And I said to him, "Sir, you know." So he said to me, "These are the one who come out of the great tribulation, and washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.
15 Therefore they are before the throne of God, and serve Him day and night in His temple. And He who sits on the throne will dwell among them.
16 They shall neither hunger anymore nor thirst anymore, the sun shall not fall on them, nor any heat.
17 For the Lamb who is in the midst of the throne will shepherd them and lead them to living fountains of waters. And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

Zechariah 13:10 (NKJV)
10 And I will pour on the house of David and on the inhabitants of Jerusalem the Spirit of grace and supplication; then they will look on Me whom they have pierced. They shall mourn for Him as one mourns for his only son, and grieve for Him as one grieves for a firstborn.

Luke 13:34-35 (NKJV)
34 "O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the one who kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to her! How often I wanted to gather your children together, as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, but you were unwilling!
35 Look! Your house is left to you, desolate; and assuredly, I say to you, you shall not see Me until the time comes when you say, 'Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!'"

Psalm 121:3 (NKJV)
3 He will not let your foot be moved; He who keeps you will not slumber.
4 Behold, He who keeps Israel Shall neither slumber nor sleep.
5 The LORD is your keeper; The LORD is your shade at your right hand;
6 The sun shall not strike you by day, Nor the moon by night.
7 The LORD shall preserve you from all evil; He shall preserve your soul.
8 The LORD shall preserve your going out and your coming in Now and even forever.

Zechariah 12:10 (NKJV)
10 "And I will pour on the house of David and on the inhabitants of Jerusalem the spirit of grace and supplication; then they will look on me whom they have pierced; and they shall mourn for him as one mourns for his only son, and shall be in bitterness for him as one is bitter for a firstborn.

Psalm 121:1-2 (NKJV)
1 I lift my eyes to the hills— From whom does my help come?
2 My help comes from the LORD, Who made heaven and earth.

Mosses Privacy:
Hiding God's Word in your heart

Deuteronomy 6:6-9 (NKJV)
6 "And these words which I command you today shall be in your heart.
7 You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, when you walk by the way, when you lie down, and when you rise up.
8 You shall bind them as a sign on your hand, and they shall be as frontlets between your eyes.
9 You shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.

Deuteronomy 11:18-21 (NKJV)
18 "Therefore you shall lay these words of mine in your heart and in your soul, and you shall bind them as a sign on your hand, that they may be as frontlets between your eyes.
19 And you shall teach them to your children, speaking of them when you sit in your house, when you walk by the way, when you lie down, and when you rise up.
20 You shall write them upon your door posts and upon your gates,
21 that your days and the days of your children may be multiplied in the land of which the LORD swore to your fathers to give them, like the days of the heavens above the earth.

THE Tribulation is for Israel

The church has always experienced tribulation, but it will not experience

THE Tribulation

Jeremiah 30:5-11 (NKJV)
5 For thus says the LORD: We have heard a voice of trembling, of fear, and not of peace.
6 Ask now, and see if a male can bear children? Why then do I see every man with his hands on his loins Like a woman in labor, And all faces turned into paleness?
7 Alas! for that day is great, So that none is like it; And it is the time of Jacob's trouble, But he shall be saved out of it.
8 For it shall come to pass in that day, says the Lord of hosts, That I will break his yoke from your neck, And will burst your bonds; Foreigners shall no more enslave them,
9 But you shall serve the Lord their God, And David their king, Whom I will raise up for them.
10 Therefore do not fear, O My servant Jacob, says the Lord, Nor be dismayed, O Israel; For behold, I will save you from afar, And your seed from the land of their captivity. Jacob shall return, have rest and be quiet, And no one will make him afraid.
11 For I am with you, says the Lord, to save you; Though I make a full end of all nations where I have scattered you, Yet I will not make a complete end of you. But I will correct you in justice, And will not let you go altogether unpunished.

Ezekiel 20:37-38 (NKJV)
37 I will make you pass under the rod, and I will bring you into the bond of the covenant:
38 I will purge the rebels from among you, and those who transgress against Me; I will bring them out of the country where they dwell, but they shall not enter the land of Israel. Then you will know that I am the Lord.

Mark 13:24-27 (NKJV)
24 "But in those days, after that tribulation, the sun will be darkened, And the moon will not give her light,
25 And the stars of heaven will be falling, And the powers in the heavens will be shaken.
26 Then they will see the Son of Man coming in the clouds with great power and glory.
27 And then He will send His angels, and gather together His elect from the four winds, from the ends of the earth to the ends of heaven.

Matthew 24:29-31 (NKJV)
29 "Immediately after the tribulation of those days The sun will be darkened, And the moon will not give her light, And the stars will fall from heaven, And the powers of the heavens will be shaken.
30 Then shall appear the sign of the Son of Man in heaven; and then shall all the tribes of the earth mourn, and they will see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of heaven with power and great glory.
31 And He will send His angels with a great sound of a trumpet, and they will gather together His elect from the four winds, from one end of heaven to the other.

Revelation 19:11-16 (NKJV)
11 Now I saw heaven opened, and behold a white horse. And He who sat on it was called Faithful and True, and in righteousness He judges and makes war.
12 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.
13 He was clothed with a robe dipped in blood, and His name is called The Word of God.
14 The armies in heaven followed Him on white horses, clothed in fine linen, white and clean.
15 Out of His mouth goes a sharp sword, that with it He should strike the nations. "He will rule them with a rod of iron." He treads the winepress of the fierce wrath of Almighty God.
16 And on His robe and on His thigh He has a name written: King of kings and Lord of lords.

Ezekiel 12:1-2 (NKJV)
1 Moreover the word of the LORD came to me, saying:
2 "Son of man, you dwell in the midst of a rebellious house, Who have eyes to see but do not see, Who have ears to hear but do not hear, For they are a rebellious house.

Ezekiel 36:24-28 (NKJV)
24 "For I will take you from among the nations, Gather you out of all countries, And bring you into your own land.
25 Then I will sprinkle clean water upon you, And you will be clean; From all your filthiness and from all your idols I will cleanse you.
26 A new heart also I will give you, And a new spirit I will put within you; And I will take the heart of stone out of your flesh, And give you a heart of flesh.
27 I will put My Spirit within you, And cause you to walk in My statutes, And you will keep My judgments And do them.
28 Then you will dwell in the land That I gave to your fathers; And you shall be My people, And I will be your God.

Ezekiel 37:1-14 (NKJV)
1 The hand of the LORD was upon me, and carried me out by the Spirit of the LORD, and set me down in the midst of the valley which was full of bones,
2 and caused me to pass by them round about, and behold there were very many in the open valley; and indeed they were very dry.
3 Then He said to me, "Can these bones live?" So I answered, "O Lord God, You know."
4 Again He said to me, "Prophesy to these bones, and say to them, 'O dry bones, hear the word of the LORD!'
5 Thus says the Lord GOD to these bones: 'Indeed I will cause breath to enter into you, and you shall live.
6 I will lay sinews upon you, and will bring flesh upon you, and cover you with skin, and put breath in you, and you shall live; and you shall know that I am the LORD.'"
7 So I prophesied as I was commanded; and as I prophesied there was a noise, and behold a shaking, and the bones came together, bone to bone.
8 Then I looked, and behold, the sinews and the flesh came upon them, and the skin covered them above; but there was no breath in them.
9 Then He said to me, "Prophesy to the breath, prophesy, son of man, and say to the breath, 'Thus says the Lord GOD: "Come from the four winds, O breath, and breathe on these slain, that they may live."'"
10 So I prophesied as He commanded me, and breath came into them, and they lived, and stood on their feet, an exceedingly great army.
11 Then He said to me, "Son of man, these bones are the whole house of Israel. Behold, they say, 'Our bones are dry, our hope is lost, we are cut off.'
12 Therefore prophesy and say to them, 'Thus says the Lord GOD: "Behold, O My people, I will open your graves and cause you to come up out of your graves, and bring you into the land of Israel.
13 Then you will know that I am the LORD, when I have opened your graves, O My people, and brought you up out of your graves.
14 I will put My Spirit in you, and you will live, and I will place you in your own land. Then you will know that I, the LORD, have spoken it and performed it," says the LORD.'"

Ezekiel 36:33-36 (NKJV)
33 'Thus says the Lord GOD: "In the day I cleanse you from all your iniquities, I will also cause you to dwell in the cities, and the ruins will be rebuilt.
34 And the desolate land will be cultivated instead of being a desolation in the sight of all who pass by.
35 So they will say, 'This land that was desolate has become like the garden of Eden; and the wasteland, desolate and ruined, is now fortified and inhabited.'
36 Then the nations which are left around you will know that I, the LORD, have built the ruined places and planted what was desolate. I, the LORD, have spoken it and will do it."

Ezekiel 37:15-28 (NKJV)
15 The word of the LORD came to me, saying:
16 "Moreover, son of man, take for you one stick, and write on it, 'For Judah and for the children of Israel, his companions.' Then take another stick, and write on it, 'For Joseph, the stick of Ephraim, and for all the house of Israel, his companions.'
17 Then join them one to the other for you, so they may become one in your hand.
18 And when the children of your people speak to you, saying, 'Will you not show us what you mean by these?'
19 Say to them, 'Thus says the Lord GOD: "Indeed I will take the stick of Joseph, which is in the hand of Ephraim, and the tribes of Israel, his companions, and will put them with him, with the stick of Judah, that they may become one stick, and they will become one in My hand."'
20 And the sticks on which you write will be in your hand before their eyes.
21 Then say to them, 'Thus says the Lord GOD: "Indeed I will take the children of Israel from among the nations, wherever they have gone, and will gather them from every side and bring them into their own land.
22 I will make them one nation in the land, upon the mountains of Israel; and one king will be king over them all; they will no longer be two nations, nor will they be divided into two kingdoms anymore.
23 They will not defile themselves with their idols, with their detestable things, nor with any of their transgressions; but I will save them from all their dwelling places in which they have sinned, and will cleanse them; so they will be My people, and I will be their God.
24 'My servant David will be king over them, and they will have one shepherd; they will also walk in My judgments and observe My statutes, and do them.
25 Then they will dwell in the land that I have given to My servant Jacob, where your fathers dwelt; they will dwell there, they, their children, and their children's children, forever; and My servant David will be their prince forever.
26 'Moreover I will make a covenant of peace with them; it will be an everlasting covenant with them; I will place them, multiply them, and will set My sanctuary in the midst of them forever.
27 'My tabernacle also will be with them; indeed I will be their God, and they will be My people.
28 'The nations will know that I, the LORD, sanctify Israel, when My sanctuary is in the midst of them forever.'"

Ezekiel 38:1-23 (NKJV)
1 Now the word of the LORD came to me, saying:
2 "Son of man, set your face against Gog, of the land of Magog, the chief prince of Meshech and Tubal, and prophesy against him
3 and say, 'Thus says the Lord GOD: "Behold, I am against you, O Gog, the chief prince of Meshech and Tubal.
4 I will turn you around, put hooks in your jaws, and bring you out with your army, horses and horsemen, all of them clothed with armor, a great company with buckler and shield, all of them handling swords.
5 Persia, Ethiopia, and Libya are with them, all of them with shield and helmet;
6 Gomer and all its bands, the house of Togarmah in the north quarters, and all its bands—many people are with you.
7 'Be prepared, yes, be prepared, you and all your companies assembled about you, and be a guard to them.
8 After many days you will be visited. In the latter years you will come into the land of those who are brought back from the sword, and are gathered from many peoples, upon the mountains of Israel, which have been long desolate; but it was brought forth from the nations, and they all will dwell safely.
9 You will ascend, you will come like a storm, you will be like a cloud to cover the land, you and all your troops, and many people with you.
10 'Thus says the Lord GOD: "It will also come to pass that things will come up in your mind, and you will think an evil thought.
11 And you will say, 'I will go up against the land of unwalled villages; I will go to those who are at rest, who dwell safely, all of them dwelling without walls, and have neither bars nor gates,
12 to take the spoil and to take the prey, to turn your hand against the desolate places that are now inhabited, against the people gathered out of the nations, who have obtained livestock and goods, who dwell in the midst of the earth.'
13 Sheba, Dedan, and the merchants of Tarshish, with all its young lions, will say to you, 'Have you come to take the spoil? Have you gathered your company to take the prey, to carry away silver and gold, to take away livestock and goods, to take a great spoil?'
14 'Therefore, son of man, prophesy and say to Gog, 'Thus says the Lord GOD: "In that day when My people dwell safely, will you not know it?
15 And you will come from your place out of the remote parts of the north, you and many people with you, all of them riding upon horses, a great company and a mighty army.
16 You will come up against My people Israel, like a cloud to cover the land. It will be in the latter days, O Gog, that I will bring you against My land, that the nations may know Me, when I am sanctified in you, before their eyes, O Gog.
17 'Thus you are the one of whom I have spoken in days past by My servants the prophets of Israel, who prophesied in those days for many years that I would bring you against them.
18 'And it will be at that time, when Gog comes against the land of Israel, that My fury will rise in My face.
19 For in My jealousy and in the fire of My wrath I have spoken: Surely there will be a great earthquake in the land of Israel.
20 So the fish of the sea, the birds of the heavens, the beasts of the field, and all creeping things that creep on the earth, and all the men that are on the face of the earth, will shake at My presence. The mountains will be thrown down, the steep places will fall, and every wall will fall to the ground.
21 'I will call for a sword against him throughout all My mountains,' says the Lord GOD. 'Every man's sword will be against his brother.
22 'And I will bring judgment against him with pestilence and with bloodshed; I will rain down upon him and his troops, and upon the many people who are with him, a flood of rain, and hailstones, fire, and brimstone.
23 'Thus I will magnify Myself and sanctify Myself, and I will be known in the eyes of many nations. Then they will know that I am the LORD.'"

Zechariah 14:1-21 (NKJV)
1 Behold, the day of the LORD is coming, When your spoil will be divided among you.
2 For I will gather all the nations to battle against Jerusalem; The city will be taken, The houses rifled, And the women ravished; Half the city will go into captivity, But the remnant will not be cut off from the city.
3 Then shall the LORD go forth And fight against those nations, As He fought in the day of battle.
4 And in that day His feet will stand on the Mount of Olives, Which faces Jerusalem on the east; And the Mount of Olives will be split in two, From east to west, By a very large valley; Half of the mountain will move toward the north, And half of it toward the south.
5 Then you will flee to the valley of the mountains, For the valley of the mountains will reach to Azal; Yes, you will flee As you fled from the earthquake In the days of Uzziah king of Judah. Then the LORD my God will come, And all the saints with Thee.
6 It will be in that day That there will be no light; The luminaries will diminish.
7 For it will be one day Which is known to the LORD, Neither day nor night; But it will be that at evening time There will be light.
8 And it will be in that day That living waters will flow from Jerusalem, Half of them toward the former sea, And half of them toward the hindmost sea; In summer and in winter it will be so.
9 And the LORD will be king over all the earth; In that day there will be one LORD, And His name one.
10 All the land will be turned as a plain from Geba to Rimmon, south of Jerusalem; Then she will be lifted up and inhabited in her place, From Benjamin's Gate to the place of the first gate, To the Corner Gate, And from the Tower of Hananeel to the king's winepresses.
11 Men will dwell in it, And there will be no more utter destruction; But Jerusalem will be inhabited safely.
12 And this will be the plague With which the LORD will smite all the people Who have fought against Jerusalem: Their flesh will melt away While they stand on their feet, Their eyes will melt away in their sockets, And their tongues will melt away in their mouth.
13 It will be in that day That a great panic from the LORD will be among them; They will lay hold on one another's hand, And the hand of one will rise against the hand of another.
14 Judah also will fight at Jerusalem. And the wealth of all the surrounding nations will be gathered together: Gold, silver, and apparel in great abundance.
15 So will be the plague of the horse, the mule, the camel, the donkey, and of all the animals that will be in those camps, according to this plague.
16 And it will be that everyone who is left of all the nations which came against Jerusalem Will go up from year to year To worship the King, the LORD of hosts, And to keep the Feast of Tabernacles.
17 And it will be that those of the families of the earth Which do not come up from all the families of the earth to Jerusalem To worship the King, the LORD of hosts, Upon them there will be no rain.
18 If the family of Egypt does not go up and come, Then on them there will be no rain; It will be the plague With which the LORD will smite the nations Who do not come up to keep the Feast of Tabernacles.
19 This will be the punishment of Egypt And the punishment of all nations That do not come up to keep the Feast of Tabernacles.
20 In that day There will be on the bells of the horses, Holiness to the LORD. The pots in the house of the LORD Will be like the bowls before the altar.
21 Yes, every pot in Jerusalem and in Judah Will be holiness to the LORD of hosts. And those who sacrifice Will come and take from them and cook in them. In that day There will be no more The Canaanite in the house of the LORD of hosts.

Gathering in unbelief

Gathering in belief

The doctrine of Imminence:

Biblical definition: could happen at any moment for church age believers

Imminency essentially means, there is no prophesied or predicted event that must occur, before the Resurrection and Rapture of the church age believers. Christ can come at any moment.

The time of His Appearing is unrevealed and uncertain.

No prophesied event must be fulfilled before the rapture!

Though some prophecies may be fulfilled partially in preparation for the tribulation

THE Tribulation is for Israel

Ezekiel 22:17-22 (NKJV)
17 The word of the LORD came to me, saying,
18 "Son of man, the house of Israel has become dross to Me; they are all bronze, tin, iron, and lead, in the midst of a furnace; they are the dross of silver.
19 Therefore thus says the Lord GOD: 'Because you become all this dross, I will gather you into the midst of Jerusalem.
20 As men gather silver, bronze, iron, lead, and tin into the midst of a furnace, to blow the fire on it, to melt it, so I will gather you in My anger and in My fury, and I will leave you there and melt you.
21 Yes, I will gather you and blow on you with the fire of My wrath, and you will be melted in its midst.
22 As silver is melted in the furnace, so shall you be melted in its midst; and you shall know that I, the LORD, have poured out My fury on you.'"

Zechariah 2:1-3 (NKJV)
2 Gather yourselves together, yes, gather together, O undesirable nation,
2 Before the decree is issued, Or the day passes like chaff, Before the LORD's fierce anger comes upon you, Before the day of the Lord's anger comes upon you!

Ezekiel 20:33-38 (NKJV)
33 "As I live, says the Lord GOD, Surely with a mighty hand, with an outstretched arm, and with fury poured out, I will rule over you.
34 I will bring you out from the peoples, and gather you out of the countries where you are scattered, with a mighty hand, with an outstretched arm, and with fury poured out.
35 And I will bring you into the wilderness of the peoples, and there I will plead with you face to face.
36 As I pled with your fathers in the wilderness of the land of Egypt, so I will plead My case with you," says the Lord GOD.
37 "I will cause you to pass under the rod, and I will bring you into the bond of the covenant.
38 I will purge the rebels from among you, and those who transgress against Me; I will bring them out of the country where they dwell, but they shall not enter the land of Israel. Then you will know that I am the LORD.

Revelation 20:2-10 (NKJV)
2 He laid hold of the dragon, that old serpent, which is the Devil and Satan, and bound him for a thousand years,
3 and cast him into the bottomless pit, and shut him up, and set a seal upon him, that he should deceive the nations no more till the thousand years were finished. But after these things he must be released for a little while.
4 Then I saw thrones, and they sat on them, and judgment was given to them. Then I saw the souls of those who had been beheaded for the witness of Jesus and for the word of God, who had not worshiped the beast or his image, and had not received his mark on their foreheads or on their hands. They lived and reigned with Christ for a thousand years.
5 But the rest of the dead did not live again till the thousand years were finished. This is the first resurrection.
6 Blessed and holy is he who has part in the first resurrection. Over such the second death has no power, but they will be priests of God and of Christ, and will reign with Him a thousand years.
7 Now when the thousand years are finished, Satan will be released from his prison
8 and will go out to deceive the nations which are in the four corners of the earth, Gog and Magog, to gather them together to battle, whose number is as the sand of the sea.
9 They went on the breadth of the earth, and surrounded the camp of the saints and the beloved city. And fire came down from God out of heaven and devoured them.
10 The devil who had deceived them was cast into the lake of fire and brimstone, where the beast and the false prophet are, and will be tormented day and night forever and ever.

Suggested: Key memory verses

Revelation 12:9-12 (NKJV)
9 And the great dragon was cast out, that serpent of old, who is called the Devil and Satan, who deceives the whole world—he was cast out into the earth, and his angels were cast out with him.
10 Then I heard a loud voice saying in heaven, "Now salvation, and strength, and the kingdom of our God, and the power of His Christ have come, for the accuser of our brethren has been cast down, who accused them before our God day and night.
11 And they overcame him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, and they did not love their lives even to the death.
12 Therefore rejoice, you heavens and you who dwell in them! Woe to the inhabitants of the earth and the sea! For the devil has come down to you, having great wrath, because he knows that he has a short time."

Revelation 19:6-10 (NKJV)
6 And I heard something like the voice of a great multitude, and like the roar of many waters, and like the roar of mighty thunders, saying, "Alleluia! For the Lord God Almighty reigns!
7 Let us be glad and rejoice, and give Him honor. For the marriage of the Lamb has come, and His wife has prepared herself."
8 And to her it was granted to be arrayed in fine linen, clean and bright. For the fine linen is the righteousness of saints.
9 Then he said to me, "Write: 'Blessed are those who are called to the marriage supper of the Lamb!'" And he said to me, "These are the true sayings of God."
10 And I fell at his feet to worship him. But he said to me, "See [you do] not [do it]! I am your fellow servant, and of your brethren who have the testimony of Jesus. Worship God! For the testimony of Jesus is the spirit of prophecy."

The doctrine of Immediate:

James 5:7-9 (NKJV)
7 Therefore be patient, brethren, unto the coming of the Lord. See how the farmer waits for the precious fruit of the earth, waiting patiently for it until it receives the early and the latter rain.
8 You also be patient. Establish your hearts, for the coming of the Lord is at hand.
9 Do not grumble against one another, brethren, lest you be condemned. Behold, the Judge is standing at the door!

1 Thessalonians 1:10 (NKJV)
10 and to wait for His Son from heaven, whom He raised from the dead, Jesus, who delivers us from the wrath to come.

Philippians 3:20 (NKJV)
20 For our citizenship is in heaven, from which we also eagerly wait for the Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ.

Am I living every day with a sense of urgent expectancy?

Titus 2:11-13 (NKJV)
13 looking for the blessed hope and glorious appearing of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ,

1 Corinthians 16:22 (NKJV)
22 If anyone does not love the Lord Jesus Christ, let him be accursed. O Lord, come! Anticipating His arrival

Romans 13:11-14 (NKJV)
11 And do this, knowing the time, that now it is high time to awake out of sleep; for now our salvation is nearer than when we first believed.
Each day is closer!

Do we live with a sense of immediacy

12 The night is far spent, the day is at hand. Therefore let us cast off the works of darkness, and let us put on the armor of light.

At any moment Jesus is going to come back and we need to be prepared

Conclusion: 1 Behavioral changes.
12 Let us walk properly, as in the day; not in revelry and drunkenness, not in immorality and sensuality, not in strife and envy.
14 But put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to fulfill its lusts.

Why? Because Jesus is coming back and when He comes back there is no time for repentance and no second chance. Jesus is the Judge and we will stand there as free to score people into eternities, but a realization of reality! But we will be held accountable and we need to live in light of that future.

Philippians 4:5 (NKJV)
5 Let your gentleness be known to all men. The Lord is at hand.

1 John 2:28-29 (NKJV)
28 And now, little children, abide in Him, that when He appears, we may have confidence and not be ashamed before Him at His coming.
29 If you know that He is righteous, you know that everyone who practices righteousness is born of Him.

1 John 3:1-3 (NKJV)
1 Behold what manner of love the Father has bestowed on us, that we should be called children of God! Therefore the world does not know us, because it did not know Him.
2 Beloved, now we are children of God, and it has not yet been revealed what we shall be, but we know that when He is revealed, we shall be like Him, for we shall see Him as He is.
3 And everyone who has this hope in him purifies himself, just as he is pure.

Revelation 22:6-12 (NKJV)
6 And he said to me, "These words are faithful and true." And the Lord God of the holy prophets Sent His angel to show to His servants the things which must shortly take place.
7 "Behold, I am coming quickly. Blessed is he who keeps the prophecy of this book."
8 Now I, John, saw and heard these things. And when I had heard and seen, I fell down to worship before the feet of the angel who showed me these things.
9 Then he said to me, "See [you do] not [do it]! I am your fellow servant, and of your brethren the prophets, and of those who keep the sayings of this book. Worship God!"
10 And he said to me, "Do not seal the sayings of the prophecy of this book, for the time is at hand.
11 He who is unjust let him be unjust still; he who is filthy let him be filthy still; he who is righteous let him be righteous still; he who is holy let him be holy still."
12 "And behold, I come quickly, and My reward is with Me, to give every one according to his work.

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Romans 12:11-13 (NKJV)
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Jeremiah 31:31-34