

Next Steps: We have probably all heard people say, “The End is Near.” For those that believe the words of Jesus as recorded in Matthew 24 there is truth to this statement. His return is immanent, in the sense it could happen at any time, “like a thief in the night.” Having said that, those who study Matthew 24 can connect the dots as they observe the “signs of the times.”

According to Matthew 24:25-35, do followers of Jesus need to be worried about somehow missing the return of Jesus? What are the final signs of His immanent return?

What will people see and hear when Jesus returns?

Why do you think all people on earth will mourn when Jesus returns?

Have you ever heard someone predict when Jesus was going to return? What does Jesus say about these predictions in Matthew 24:36-44?

What will people be doing when Jesus returns?

According to Matthew 24:45-51, what is our responsibility as followers of Jesus?

Who has God called you to be? (1 Peter 1:13-16)

What has God called you to do? (Ephesians 4:28-32)

What does God want you to say? (1 Peter 3:15-16)

Next Week: Please join us next week as Jesus shares some stories about what the Kingdom of Heaven will be like as recorded in Matthew 25.