

Bereans Bible Institute
Module X – The Kingdom of God
Lesson 10 – The Day of the Lord

- I. The DAY OF THE LORD is the major theme of the prophets
- A. Jerusalem was destroyed twice following a siege
 - 1. By Nebuchadnezzar and the Babylonians
 - 2. By Titus and the Romans
 - B. The third siege of Jerusalem will involve “all nations”
 - 1. The nations gather to overthrow Christ at His coming (Rev. 19:19)
 - 2. Jerusalem will be rescued by Christ on the “Day of the Lord,” and the surrounding nations will be punished.
 - C. Christ was passive at His first coming, not so at His second coming.
 - D. The wicked must be destroyed for PEACE & JUSTICE to prevail
- II. Major passages dealing with the Day of the Lord
- A. Deut. 32:29-33 The Song of Moses – God will purge the Promised Land
 - B. Isaiah 2:10-21 The LORD alone will be exalted in the Day of the Lord
 - C. Isaiah 13:6-13 The Day of the LORD brings destruction, sinners destroyed
 - D. Joel 2:1-11 The angelic army which purges the Promised Land
 - E. Amos 5:18-20 No escape for the wicked
 - F. Obadiah 1:15-16 Complete annihilation – will be as though they never existed
 - G. Zephaniah 1:14-2:4 The meek spared when the wicked destroyed
 - H. Zechariah 14
 - 1. All armies gathered against Jerusalem. “Remnant” spared (144,000)
 - 2. YHVH’s feet will stand upon the Mt. of Olives (from where Jesus ascended). Rev. 19 indicated that “YHVH” here is Christ.
 - 3. The “holy ones” will accompany Him (the holy angels – Matt. 25:31; Rev. 19:14).
 - 4. Darkness as in Matt. 24:29
 - 5. YHVH (Christ) will be “King” over all the earth.
 - 6. “Living water” flows from Jerusalem (cf. Ezekiel 47)
 - a. This is the “river” along which the “Tree of Life” grows (Rev. 22:1-3).
 - 7. Jerusalem will be physically elevated (cf. Isa. 2:2; Gal. 4:26)
 - I. Joel 3:9-21 The Day of the Lord, the armies of the nations vs. God’s angelic army that “goes down there.”
 - 1. Likened to a “winepress” (Rev. 14:17-20)
 - J. Amos 9:11-15 “Tabernacle of David” restored (true & pure worship of God)
 - K. Zephaniah 3:8-15 The “humble” spared (Isa. 11:4; James 4:6; Matt. 5:5)