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...Zion, the perfection of beauty,
God hath shined.

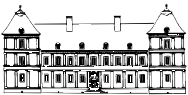
Psalm 50:2

Zion is called the “Holy City” which is the city Jerusalem. It was a picture of heaven someday to come, the New Jerusalem and the New Heaven spoken about in the book of Revelation. Oh how wonderful it must be. We can not imagine a more wonderful place that God has created. Everyone in the world longs for heaven and wants to go there someday. Let’s see what the Bible has to say about Zion or Heaven.



What and who is in Heaven?

1. God - *I Kings 8:30*, “... thou in heaven thy dwelling p _ _ _ _ : ...”
2. A _ _ _ _ - *Matthew 18:10*
3. Jesus Christ - *Hebrews 9:12,24*
4. Holy Spirit - *Psalms 139:7-8*, “Whither shall I go from thy spirit? or whither shall I flee from thy presence? ⁸ If I ascend up into h _ _ _ _ , thou art there...”
5. Just Men (saved Men and Women) in perfect glorified bodies - *Hebrews 12:22-23*
6. City is made of pure clear g _ _ and a great wall made of jasper (precious stone) with every variety of color surrounding it - *Revelation 21:18*
7. The foundation of the city is made of 12 jewels.
8. The gates are made of p _ _ _ _ - *Revelation 21:21*
9. S _ _ _ _ of gold - *Revelation 21:21*
10. River of water of life, clear as crystal coming from the throne of God. - *Revelation 22:1*
11. Tree of l _ _ _ (the same one in the garden of Eden with Adam and Eve) - *Revelation 22:2*. It contained 12 different fruits.
12. Mansions - *John 14:2*
13. The Lord’s T _ _ _ _ - *Psalms 11:4*
14. God’s holy T _ _ _ _ - *Psalms 11:4*



What is Heaven like?

1. No bad things as:

d _ _ _ _	<i>Luke 20:36</i>	sorrow	<i>Revelation 7:17</i>
p _ _ _	<i>Revelation 21:4</i>	s _ _	<i>Revelation 22:3</i>
no hunger	<i>Revelation 7:16</i>	no thirst	<i>Revelation 7:16</i>
2. No night - *Revelation 22:5*
3. No w _ _ _ _ people - *Revelation 22:15*
4. No end - forever being with God - *Revelation 22:5*
5. There will be good things as:

joy	<i>Luke 15:7,10</i>	rest	<i>Revelation 14:13</i>
p _ _ _	<i>Luke 16:19-25</i>	r _ _ _ _	<i>Matthew 5:12</i>
inheritance	<i>I Peter 1:4</i>		



What will we be doing in Heaven?

1. Worshipping and praising God - *Revelation 11:16-17*. Our chance to tell others of Jesus Christ is now on earth. In heaven we will be praising and worshipping God with our Christian friends.

2. S _ _ _ _ _ God - *Revelation 22:3*, "And there shall be no more curse: but the throne of God and of the Lamb shall be in it; and his s _ _ _ _ _ shall serve him." *Revelation 22:5* says we will serve God and reign forever and ever.



How long will we be in Heaven?

Time will cease and Christians will be with Jesus Christ forever and ever. More than any number of years we can think of - more than millions, billions and trillions of trillions of years. Forever never ends. *Revelation 22:5*, "... and they shall reign for e _ _ _ and e _ _ _ ."

How do we get to Heaven?

1. We have to be saved first. Being saved is accepting Jesus as our Saviour - believing He died for our sin and rose again as God only could. Only Christians will be in heaven. Jesus said in *John 14:6*, "Jesus saith unto him, I am the w _ _ , the truth, and the life: no m _ _ cometh unto the Father, but by me."



2. When we die we are immediately with Christ. *II Corinthians 5:8*, "... to be absent from the body, and to be p _ _ _ _ _ with the Lord." There is no mention of a place called purgatory in the Bible; our soul staying in the grave or reincarnation (coming back in the form of animals, people and other creatures). The angels carry our spirit and soul to Christ when we die. *Luke 16:22*, "And it came to pass, that the beggar died, and was c _ _ _ _ _ by the angels into Abraham's bosom: ..."

3. We will receive a perfect, new, invincible body some day when Jesus comes to take us (see the "V" booklet). *I Corinthians 15:52-53* "In a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump: for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed. ⁵³ For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on i _ _ _ _ _ ."

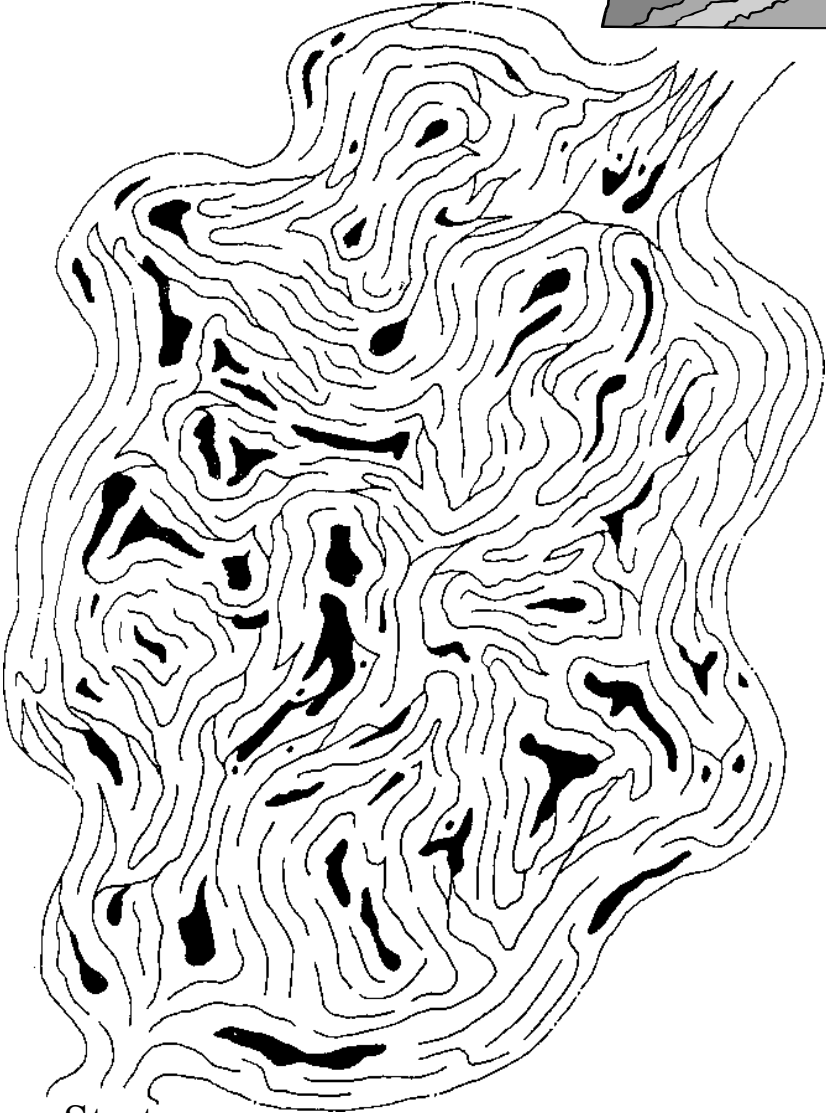
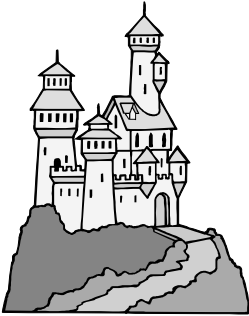


Heaven is going to be wonderful.

Hope to see you there!

Find the right way to Zion by going through the maze.

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