

**REVIEW**

*John 5:24*

*Most assuredly, I say to you, he who hears My word and believes in Him who sent Me has everlasting life, and shall not come into judgment, but has passed from death into life. John 5:24*

**BIBLE KNOWLEDGE**

The sayings of Jesus:

*Watch therefore, for you do not know what hour your LORD is coming.*

*Therefore you also be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect.*

*Matthew 24:42, 44*

**A SPECIAL WORD OF ADMONITION**

1. The call “Watch”
2. The corresponding call “Be Ready”
3. The Return of Jesus (The Son of Man) would be at an hour no one can predict

**IN CONTRAST**

1. Looking for Signs
2. Erroneous predictions
3. Inadequate and inappropriate preparation

## YPG II MESSAGE

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**Text: 2 Thessalonians 1; Romans 1-2**

### **Topic: The Righteous Judgment of God II**

1. Pre-warned Judgment of God
  - a) It will be righteous    Romans 2:2-3
  - b) It will be according to the following things:-
    - i)     According to truth    Romans 2:2
    - ii)    According to our deeds    Romans 2:6
    - iii)   According to the gospel    Romans 2:16
2. People who will be judged
  - a) Those who do not know God    2 Thessalonians 1:8a (Romans 1:18-32)
    - i)     They reject God
    - ii)    They suppress the truth
    - iii)   They choose sin
  - b) Those who do not obey the gospel of the Lord Jesus    2 Thessalonians 1:8
    - i)     They prefer darkness
    - ii)    They deliberately reject the gospel
3. Punishment meted out
  - a) Everlasting destruction    2 Thessalonians 1:9a
  - b) Banished from the presence of God    2 Thessalonians 1:9b
4. Proclamation of the Gospel
  - a) With deep concern for souls
  - b) With great awareness of the danger of rejecting God

*“Knowing, therefore, the terror of the Lord, we persuade men...” 2 Corinthians 5:11a*

## **GROUP DISCUSSION**

### 1. Why people reject the Gospel

- a) Ignorance      John 1:10
- b) Preference for darkness      John 3:19a
- c) Caught up with evil deeds      John 3:19b
- d) Slaves of Sin      John 8:34
- e) Minds blinded by the evil on      2 Corinthians 4:3-4

### 2. How we may reach people

- a) Through outreach      Matthew 28:19-20
- b) Through our being lights to the world      Matthew 5:16; Philippians 2:15
- c) Through being a city set on a hill      Matthew 5:18
- d) Through the power of the Gospel      1 Corinthians 1:18

### 3. Extra means

- a) Prayer
- b) Kind deeds
- c) Christian Love