Last Days, This Day and That Day

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A Day of Reckoning is Coming Isaiah 2

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Theme Statement: Since the fall, man has increasingly sinfully exalted himself. The command of the LORD God is to stop regarding man and to walk in the way of the LORD God. In the end, the terror of the LORD and the splendor of His majesty will prevail and the LORD God alone will be exalted.

Key Verse: Isaiah 2:5 - Come, house of Jacob, and let us walk in the light of the LORD.

Introduction or Title - Isaiah 2:1

- 1. This message is _____
- 2. This message is _____

The Last Days - Isaiah 2:2-4

- 1. The Last Days are _____
- 2. Jerusalem will become the center for _____
- 3. Jerusalem will become the center for ______
- 4. Jerusalem will become the center for _____
- 5. Jerusalem will become the center for _____

This Day - Isaiah 2:5-9

- 1. Isaiah's plea: Come, house of Jacob, _____!
- 2. Israel's situation -
- 3. They are "filled with" ______
- 4. They are "filled with" _____
- 5. They are "filled with" _____
- 6. They are "filled with" _____
- 7. Isaiah's conclusion: All men at all levels are so ______ that they are beyond

That Day - Isaiah 2:10-22

- 1. The LORD of hosts will have His day that day (____)
- 2. The LORD of hosts is "against" (____) everyone and everything which is "proud" (____), "lofty" (____) and "lifted up" (____)
- 3. Men will attempt to hide from "the terror of the LORD" (____) and "the splendor of His majesty" (____) when "He arises to make the earth tremble" (____)
- 4. Men will be "humbled" (____) and "abased" (____) before the LORD
- 5. In that day, "the LORD alone will be exalted" (____)
- 6. Isaiah's conclusion: Stop ______ whose life is a mere breath away

Implications for us

1. We can and should take comfort in the fact that one day the Lord Jesus Christ will come to rule on this earth and will set everything right - 1 Thessalonians 4:18

"Therefore comfort one another with these words." (in view of the rapture)

2. Having the hope of the imminent return and reign on earth of Jesus Christ, it ought to cause us to walk in the way of the Lord - 1 John 3:3

"And everyone who has this hope fixed on Him purifies himself just as He is pure."

3. Just as certain as is the return of the Lord Jesus Christ is the certainty of coming terror of the LORD against sinners - Nahum 1:3

"The Lord is slow to anger and great in power, And the Lord will by no means leave *the guilty* unpunished. In whirlwind and storm is His way, And clouds are the dust beneath His feet."

4. We need to stop exalting man and be exalting the LORD of Hosts - Isaiah 2:22

"Stop regarding man, whose breath of life is in his nostrils; for why should he be esteemed?"