

Living in Light of the Second Coming

Mark 13:1-27 [Pew Bible p 719]

Introduction: Why does Jesus tell his disciples about the hardships before the end times?

1. To Exhort Us

2. To Offer Us Hope

3. To Clarify Our Mission

Conclusion

- ✓ Elijah must come back
- ✓ Jesus must die & rise again
- ✓ Disciples must suffer
- ✓ Temple must be destroyed

CHECKLIST of 2nd coming (Book of Daniel)

□ gospel to be preached to all nations

WHY? Whole CHURCH to bring Whole GOSPEL to the Whole World!

Vigilant Christian LIVING + urgency in mission work + power to forgive & move on

VI4 → Temple desecrated (AD70) by Roman soldiers

A man of lawlessness (Anti-christ) suffering

FUTURE to come

destruction of temple

prophetic + pastoral!

HOPE?

SON of MAN WILL COME BACK - unlike the

perspectives of the PAST give us understanding of the things to come

no past, no future, no present



This is the day that the Lord has made!

- 19 commands
- don't give up
 - don't be afraid
 - be on your guard
 - stand firm
 - just speak
 - pray
 - do not worry
 - do not believe



In the light of His Second Coming

MARK 13: 1-27
final moments of Jesus Christ

stand firm to the end



THE GOSPEL must be con't PREACHED

WHIS Words endure forever

- Real the Word of Jesus
- Reign: Jesus continues
- Return will Jesus