

LAST DAY DENIALS - II Peter 3

I. IN THE LAST DAYS, PEOPLE WILL _____ GOD'S INTERVENTION IN THIS WORLD - v. 3-7

A. They will deny the _____ of Christ. - v. 4

Matt. 24:27 - the coming of the Son of Man

Luke 12:40 - "be ready, for the Son of Man comes at an hour when you think not"

Jn. 14:3 -I will come again

Acts 1:9 - 11 - "This same Jesus will come again in the same way"

I Thess. 5:2 - The day of the Lord comes as a thief

James 5:8 - "the coming of the Lord draws near"

B. The reason people can deny the coming of Christ is because they have denied two other truths - v. 5,6

1) They deny _____ by God's Word

If there is no Creator, there is no _____.

Ps. 19:1 – the heavens declare the glory of God; there is no speech where their voice is not heard.

2) They deny the Universal _____ – v. 6

II. IN THE LAST DAYS, PEOPLE WILL NOT UNDERSTAND GOD - v. 8-10

A. He is superior to _____ - v. 8

B. He is merciful - He keeps His _____ – v. 9

Rom. 2:4 – Don't show contempt for God's patience – His kindness is to lead you to repentance.

C. His coming will be unexpected – v. 10

"The day of the Lord" - This term refers to the events beginning with the Rapture of the church, through the millennium.

Matt. 24:44 - you must be ready, because you do not know when.

CONCL. As a brief conclusion, and a look ahead to next week:

III. IN THE LAST DAYS, BELIEVERS WILL BE CALLED ON TO LIVE GODLY LIVES v. 11-18

