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___ When Jesus comes to get His children it will be no secret. Every living person will see Jesus' coming and either be excited or terrified.

___ At the time of Jesus second coming the saved are rescued to be taken to heaven and the wicked are killed and will sleep in death until Jesus third coming with the New Jerusalem.

___ The lost are lost not because of their sin as the saved are guilty of sin as well, but because of their refusal to receive and believe in the truth. Jesus has covered all the sins of the world our part is to stand with Him under His blood stained banner.

___ The answer to when Jesus will come is at just the right time. He is watching planet earths' progress towards destruction carefully and when it gets to the point that no more good can come out of it, (souls for His Kingdom), He stops the progression of sin and rescues His children.

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