

THE PROPHECY OF ENOCH – JUDE 1:14-16

Today we see yet another _____ of *judgment* upon the wicked instigators that defile believers, upset churches, and distort or prevent the gospel. However, this time Jude reaches back into the depths of history pointing to a _____ of ancient ancestry whose message then was a scathing rebuke to the wicked populace just prior to the worldwide flood. Strangely enough we are still awaiting the _____ of his prophesy, as evil men and seducers wax worse and worse. But we can all rest knowing that when the Lord cometh with clouds every crooked thing will be set straight.

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1. Enoch’s match – Jude 14a

a. His lineage

- He is the _____ from Adam – Gen. 5:3-18; Jude 1:14a
 Adam → Seth → Enos → Cainan → Mahalaleel → Jared → Enoch
 Enoch matches all the *sevens* found in the book of Revelation
 He matches them because his prophesy concerns the exact time frames as Revelation
- He begat Methuselah – Gen. 5:21, 27
 He is the oldest human being listed in scripture at 969 years
 The exact year he died it started to rain [upon his great grandson Noah]
 His name means: One sent, like an arrow or dart
 In other words, his name means: _____ is coming

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b. His likeness

- Enoch – Lk. 3:37; Gen. 5:18-24; Heb. 11:5-6
 He had a personal encounter with God
 He walked with God after this encounter
 He preached judgment and the second coming of the Lord
 Just before tribulation came upon the earth he was raptured
 He received a new body upon his supernatural catching up in the clouds
 He is the one man named in scripture that will _____ see death
- Church age saints – Jo. 1:12; 1 Cor. 15:51-57; 1 Thess. 4:13-18; 1 Jo. 3:1-3
 We have a personal encounter with the Lord Jesus Christ, receiving him as Saviour
 We walk with God after our salvation, growing and maturing by faith
 We are burdened for the lost world and _____ the gospel to anyone who will listen
 Just before tribulation comes upon the earth we will be raptured
 We will receive a new body upon our supernatural catching up in the clouds
 Those of us alive when this event happens will _____ see death

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- Without Enoch there would be no perfect match for church age saints in scripture
 - He is the only man like us in all of human history
 - He shows us that we will be removed before the tribulation period begins

2. Enoch's message – Jude 1:14b-16

a. His prophesy

- The *second* coming of the Lord Jesus Christ – Rev. 19:11-16
- This is the _____ of the entire Bible – Acts 3:19-21
- It is referred to throughout scripture as: *That Day*
- This is the greatest day on God's Calendar – Phil. 2:10-11
 - The Day God's Son gets the _____ he rightly deserves

b. His preaching

- Judgment is coming *directly* from Jesus Christ – Acts 10:42; 17:30-31; Ro. 14:12
 - Jesus is the righteous judge – 2 Ti. 4:8
 - His eyes are as a flame of fire – Rev. 2:18; 19:12
 - Men will answer for every idle word spoken against him – Ex. 20:7; Mt. 12:36
- The ungodly are:
 - Murmurers – a gossip, a backstabber; one who causes division
 - Complainers – negative, never satisfied; not willing to step and do the job
 - Lustful – self-satiating, self-centered, making every issue about themselves
 - Looking for the admiration of others – desire the center of attention, and are always right
 - Looking for an advantage over others – opportunists—exploiters of circumstances for gain

3. Enoch's model – Jude 1:14-15; 1 Jo. 3:1-3

o Church age saints

- Because we are his likeness: we must *own* his prophesy and preaching
 - The second coming of Christ
 - The judgment of the ungodly
- Because we are his likeness: we must _____ ourselves and be like Jesus