

# ***When We Move to Our Heavenly Home***

## **Part Two**

### **The Journey from Earth to Heaven**

The Second Stage of Your Journey into Eternity

When the LORD takes you by the hand, and your soul leaves your body, all time as we know it here on earth will come to an end for you. You will be in eternal time with the LORD. Peter tells us,

*“But do not let this one fact escape your notice, beloved, that with the Lord one day is like a thousand years, and a thousand years like one day”* (2 Peter 3:8).

Your journey on that day will be the greatest journey you have ever made.

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#### **Let's break down Earth's Time Clock to Heaven's Time Clock.**

41 years, 7 months, 27 days, 14 hours, and 24 minutes on earth's time clock = one hour in heaven.

8 months, 28 days, 19 hours, and 12 minutes on earth's time clock = one minute in heaven.

4 days, 3 hours, 50 minutes, and 24 seconds on earth's time clock = one second in heaven.

6 minutes on earth's time clock = one millisecond in heaven.

#### **Let's do an approximate perspective for a moment.**

If you are 41 years old on earth, you are just about one hour old in heaven.

That means that if you are 82 years old on earth, you are just about two hours old in heaven.

If you are 21 years old on earth, you are about a half-hour old in heaven.

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### *Your New Robe of White*

As you leave your body, you will be dressed in your new robe of white. The LORD tells us, as the members of the Church, that

*“He who overcomes will thus be clothed in white garments....”* (Revelation 3:5).

This robe will be your garment for the rest of eternity. It will never need cleaning; it will never become soiled. You will never take it off. You will look so good in it. I think I can also tell you this. When Peter saw Jesus with Elijah and Moses on the mount of transfiguration, Jesus' white

robe garment was gleaming. It was His heavenly garment. Your heavenly robe will also glow from the moment you leave your earthly body. Your soul will be clothed in glorious beauty for all eternity.

### *Your New Knowledge*

In less than the duration of an instant, time will have changed for you at the second of your death. Your soul will be flooded with new and complete knowledge as you leave your body in your new white robe. Paul tells us how little we really know about all things in this life on earth and how much we will know in heaven. He says,

*“For we know in part and we prophesy in part; but when the perfect comes, the partial will be done away.”*  
(1 Corinthians 13:9-10).

Paul goes on to associate our knowledge here on earth with that of a child's knowledge compared to an adult's knowledge (1 Corinthians 13:11). The two are different. He then makes a comparison when he says,

*“For now we see in a mirror dimly, but then face to face; now I know in part, but then I will know fully just as I also have been fully known.”* (1 Corinthians 13:12).

Paul tells us that we have minimal knowledge in our earthly bodies, but the instant we see Jesus face to face when He comes to get us, we will have a full heavenly knowledge and understanding. Just as the LORD has fully known us and all things from before the foundation of the world, in that instant, in our new robes, we will have that same full knowledge and know all things about all things that have ever transpired and will ever transpire. We will know about all of our ancestors whom we are about to meet and who have gone on to heaven before us. We will know about all of our ancestors who did not go to heaven, and we will completely understand why they are not there. We will know about our great-great-great-grandchildren who have not been born yet, and we will also know all their decisions and where they will be in eternity. Why? Because the LORD promises us full knowledge, and full means full, it means complete – it means everything.

### *Your Chariot to Heaven*

“Your chariot is coming – better be ready” are the words of an old spiritual song. Another old spiritual song says, “Why don't you swing down sweet chariot stop and take me home ....” They are so true. A chariot will take you to heaven as you ride with the LORD. For even more excitement, the LORD's chariot moves in what seems to be a whirlwind. When the LORD came to take Elijah away, Elisha saw the LORD's chariot and reported,

*“Behold, there appeared a chariot of fire and horses of fire which separated the two of them.  
And Elijah went up by a whirlwind to heaven.”* (2 Kings 2:11).

It was the first time we heard about the LORD moving in a chariot and whirlwind, but it was not the last. Ezekiel describes the coming of the LORD to speak with him in similar words.

For Ezekiel, he first saw the storm wind coming, filled with flashing fire and bright lights. Then, he could see a gold chariot in the midst of the storm. A living angel was at each corner of the chariot, and each moved like lightning. On each corner, by each angel, was a wheel that looked like it had another wheel facing sideways in the middle of the wheel. In each wheel, one wheel looked like it rolled forward and backward, and the other wheel looked like it rolled from side to side. All the wheels on each corner of the chariot throne were designed precisely the same.

Sitting on this chariot throne was the LORD Almighty – Jesus. He glowed brilliantly. Around Him was the radiance of a beautiful rainbow over His head. Ezekiel says about all this,

*“Such was the appearance of the likeness of the glory of the LORD.  
And when I saw it, I fell on my face ....”* (Ezekiel 1:4–28).

Ezekiel saw the LORD twice on this magnificent chariot throne.

Isaiah, prophesying into the far future, says the LORD will one day return in this way at His Second Coming. He said,

*“For behold, the LORD will come in fire, and His chariot like the whirlwind...”* (Isaiah 66:15).

John saw this same chariot throne in Revelation chapter 4.

If this is how the LORD moves, He will surely come in this same way to take you for the ride of your eternal life.

*Your First View of the Outside of the Holy City*  
THE PLACE OF THE HOLY CITY

You will journey with the LORD through the skies, through outer space, and into the realm of God’s heaven. Very soon, you will see the Holy City come into view – the place of God’s home since it was created on the first day of creation. We know that because the LORD says,

*“In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth.”* (Genesis 1:1).