

- Once we were with God
- Separated because of our sin
- Immanuel! God came to us

Not for a lifetime, but for all time

"Having believed, you were marked in him with a seal, the promised Holy Spirit, who is a deposit guaranteeing our inheritance."

-Ephesians 1:13-14

"After that, we who are still alive and are left will be caught up with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And so we will be with the Lord forever."

-1Thessalonians 4:17

Immanuel Makes All Things New

"He who was seated on the throne said, 'I am making everything new!"

-Revelation 21:5

Immanuel Makes All Things New

- No Death
- Close to God

-John 5:24

-John 14:2

First Reality is New Again

- See beauty & wonder
- Find mission & duty
- Know truth & justice
- Feel love & acceptance

- -Rev. 21:10-11
- -Rev. 22:5
- -Rev. 21:27
- -Rev. 22:4

"And so we will be with the Lord forever.

Therefore encourage each other

with these words."

-1 Thessalonians 4:17-18