The Valley Of Decision

How was your week this week?
Is there any Spiritual struggle we can help you with?
How are you at making decisions?
Is there any major decisions that you have to make?
What is one lesson you took from the Sermon today?
How would you describe you Spiritual walk?

Isaiah 54:16-17

- *What is the heading of Chapter 54?
- *What is this prophecy about?
- *Explain verse 16 in your own words
- *What coming day is he referring to?
- *What weapon is he referring to?
- *How will we be able to silence every voice raised against us?
- *Will everyone be able to do this?
- *What does it mean I the Lord has spoken?

Revelations 3:15-18

Why was it important for the church of Laodicea to know that Jesus knows their works?

What are Jesus' criticism toward this church?

Why do you think He doesn't offer any encouragement or commendation at all? Do you think they are real believers or not? Why?

What does He mean that they are lukewarm and neither cold nor hot?

What has been your understanding of the word 'lukewarm' in terms of its association with Christians?

What was their true spiritual condition?

What important principles can you learn from Jesus' criticism?

What application can you make?

What counsel does Jesus give this church?

Where could they get real riches and white clothes?

How did their attitude need to change in order to follow Jesus' counsel?

What do we learn about Jesus' character in verse 19?

How can we guard ourselves against self-sufficiency?

How can we grow in depending on God rather than on ourselves?

What door does Jesus describe in verse 20?

Is He referring to salvation?
What does He mean that He will eat with them?

Hebrews 9:27-28

- *What fate awaits every person?
- *How will Christ's Second Coming differ from His first advent?
- *If Christ's sacrifice covers all our sins, why do we still need to confess our sins and ask for forgiveness?
- *When Jesus returns, it won't be to bring judgment for sin, but to bring salvation for those who are waiting for him (Heb. 9:27). How do you respond to this on an emotional level? On a behavior level?
- *Will you face judgment? Believers do or don't?
- *What will happen at your judgment? Will you be judged/punished for your sins?
- *How does the fact that there is a judgment after death effect our life on earth now?
- *Why is it appointed for man to die? Why does God not allow us to keep on living forever?
- *Explain the phrase "appear a second time for salvation without reference to sin."
- *Are you waiting for Him? How should we wait for Him?
- *What should we do while we wait for Him? Is there anything we can do to shorten this wait?

Matthew 15:3-11

- *Why do you think Jesus didn't answer their question directly?
- *What problem in their own attitudes did He strive to point out?
- *Which of their own traditions did they place a higher priority on than God's command?
- *Why do we have these traditions? Are they good or bad? Why?
- *How should we view other believers who do not hold to these traditions?
- *Are there any traditions mentioned which should be changed?
- *What can we learn from verses 8-9?
- *How can we keep our hearts close to Jesus?
- *How can we be careful that our following Jesus does not become an external ritual?
- *What is the meaning of Jesus' statement in verses 10-11? How does this statement apply to you?
- *How did the Pharisees respond to this statement?

Joel 3:1-16

Proverbs 18:10