

Rapture.

This is another teaching the Lord Jesus puts in my heart to do, The word rapture is not in the bible but the meaning of it is, in the Macquarie Dictionary the word the large copy not the small one says, Rapture: ¹ ecstatic joy or delight; joyful ecstasy. ² An utterance or expression of ecstatic delight. ³ The carrying of a person to another place or sphere of existence. ⁴ In raptures, delighted; full of enthusiasm. (RAPT + -URE). Scripture to consider.

Psa-27: 1-6	K/V- 5.	For in the time of trouble He shall hide me in His pavilion; In the secret place of His tabernacle He shall hide me; He shall set me high upon a rock.
Isa-26: 19-21	K/V- 19.	Your dead shall live; Together with my dead body they shall arise. Awake and sing, you who dwell in the dust; For your dew is like the dew of herbs, And the earth shall cast out the dead.
Zep-2: 1-3	K/V- 3.	Seek the Lord, all you meek of the earth, Who have upheld His justice. Seek righteousness, seek humility. It may be that you will be hidden In the day of the Lord's anger.
Mat-24: 27-28	K/V- 27.	"For as the lightning comes from the east and flashes to the west, so also will the Son of Man be.
Mat-24: 36-44	K/V- 39.	---"and did not know until the flood came and took them all away, so also will the coming of the Son of Man be. <u>(Lk-17:22-37.²⁶)</u>
Mat-25: 1-13	K/V- 10.	"And while they went to buy, the bridegroom came, and those who were ready went in with him to the wedding; and the door was shut. <u>(Mat-22:8.)</u>
Luk-21: 33-36	K/V- 36.	"Watch therefore, and pray always that you may be counted worthy to escape all these things that will come to pass, and to stand before the Son of Man."
John-3: 33-36	K/V- 36.	"He who believes in the Son has everlasting life; and he who does not believe the Son shall not see life, but the wrath of God abides on him." <u>(1-John-1:6.) (1-John-2:4-6.)</u>
John-11: 25-26	K/V- 25. K/V- 26.	²⁵ Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in Me, though he may die, he shall live. ²⁶ "And whoever lives and believes in Me shall never die. Do you believe this?" <u>(John-8:51.) (Colo-3:1-6) (Heb-2:9.)</u>
1-Cor-15: 44-58	K/V- 51. K/V- 52.	⁵¹ Behold I tell you a mystery: We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changes- ⁵² In a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed.
1-Thes-4: 13-18	K/V- 16. K/V- 17.	¹⁶ For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of an archangel, and with the trumpet of God. And the dead in Christ will rise first. ¹⁷ Then we who are alive and remain shall be <u>(caught up)</u> together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And thus we shall always be with the Lord.
1-Thes-5: 1-9	K/V- 4.	But you brethren, are not in darkness, so that this Day should overtake you as a thief. <u>(Mat-12:46-50.)</u>
1-Pet-4: 1-5	K/V- 2.	That he no longer should live the rest of his time in the flesh for the lust of men, but for the will of God.
Rev-14: 12-13	K/V- 13.	Then I heard a voice from heaven saying to me, "Write: 'Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on.'" "Yes," says the Spirit, "that they may rest from their labours, and their works follow them."