



Rock Church
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End Times: Part 2

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In the 11th week of this series, Pastor Miles discusses our purpose to glorify God, how Satan wants glory and causes confusion, and how culture decides who it will glorify.

In your group, read Psalm 19:1, Isaiah 43:7, and 1 Corinthians 10:31, then review the statements and discuss the questions below. What is the assignment that God gave to us (His creation), that we're failing at, that would cause Him to bring an end to it... that assignment is to glorify God!

1. **For the glory of God, we were made in His image, male and female** (Genesis 1:26-28, Matthew 22:37-40). God made us for HIS glory. Pursue the purpose of God, unity, and life, understanding that the devil is about contradiction, confusion, and death. Trust that God knew what He was doing when He made you and that He loves you so much.
2. **For the glory of God, the family was created** (Genesis 2:24, Ephesians 5:25-27, Revelation 19:7-8). Sex was never made to give people disease or to be sold. Think about ways you are honoring God in my personal relationships.
3. **For the glory of God, we were given children** (Psalm 127:3, Matthew 18:6-7, 10-11). There is an acceleration of the attacks on our children. Schools are doing things without parents' knowledge or permission. Be mindful of what clubs and groups take place at your child's school. Dads (and Moms) need to be dangerous in protecting their family.
4. **For the glory of God, the Church was created** (Hebrews 10:24-25, Ephesians 4:11-12). Encourage each other to live for God. Don't check the box, but submit to God and let Him help you, transform you, and heal you.
5. **For the glory of God, humans were given dominion or governance** (Genesis 1:28). There are efforts for a global development with one religion, one government, and even one economic system, but it's all sinister with tracking people, using artificial intelligence, managing digital currency, and utilizing certain languages as being universally accepted.

Discussion questions: Does your life promote Jesus? Do you feel that you are free to worship God? How else could you be connected to the "vine" at church - do you already serve in a ministry - if so, which one(s)? In what areas could you change regarding what you think of or talk about, watch, meditate on, listen to?

This Month's Memory Verse – Revelation 22:12

"And behold, I am coming quickly, and My reward is with Me, to give to everyone according to his work. I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End, the First and the Last."

This Week's Bible Readings & Book Overview Videos

Ezekiel 37-48: <https://bibleproject.com/explore/video/ezekiel/>

Proverbs 21: <https://bibleproject.com/explore/video/proverbs/>

Daniel 1-9: <https://bibleproject.com/explore/video/daniel/>

