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## The Throne Is Set — God's Justice Is Certain

Revelation 20:11



11 Then I saw a great white and one seated on it.

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10 For \_\_\_\_\_\_before the judgment seat of God.

# 10 For we will all stand before the judgment seat of God.

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## The Books Are Opened — Our Lives Are Revealed

Revelation 20:12



12 I also saw the dead, the , standing before the throne, and books were opened. Another book was opened, which is the book of life, and the dead were judged according to their works by what was written in the books.

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14 For God will bring to judgment, including every hidden thing, whether good or evil.

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## 36 I tell you that on the day of judgment people will have to account for every they speak.

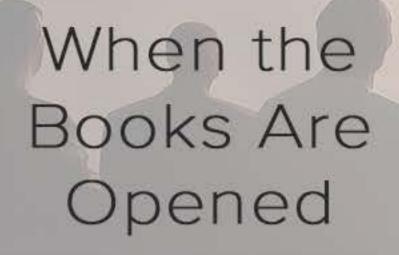
36 I tell you that on the day of judgment people will have to account for every careless word they speak.

10 For God is not unjust; he will not your work and the love you demonstrated for his name by serving the saints—and by continuing to serve them.

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# The Book of Life — Grace Still Speaks Louder Than Guilt

Revelation 20:12, 15



# 12 Another book was opened, which is the book of life, ...

15 And anyone whose name was not found written in the book of life was thrown into the lake of fire.

LUKE 10:20

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20 ... rejoice that your names are written in heaven."

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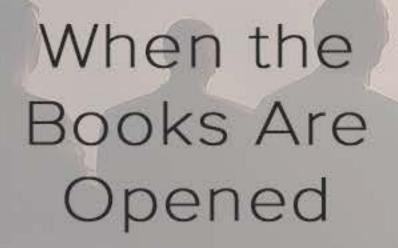
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# The Call — Live in Light of That Day

2 Peter 3:11-12



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#### 2 PETER 3:11-12

12 as you wait for the day of God and hasten its coming. Because of that day, the heavens will be dissolved with fire and the elements will melt with heats

9 Therefore, whether we are at home or away, we make it our aim to be pleasing to him.

### As We Close

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