

THE SON OF MAN COMING

Luke 21:1-38

Key Verse: 21:27

"At that time they will see the Son of Man coming in a cloud with power and great glory."

Study Questions:

1. Read verses 1-4. What did Jesus teach his disciples about giving? What is the contrast of value systems in the spiritual and material worlds? (Dt 6:5; Lk 18:11-12)
2. Read verses 5-7. What reveals the disciples' materialism? What did Jesus teach them about human culture and its destiny? What was their question? Why?
3. Read verses 8-19. What are some signs of the end of the age? (8b; 9; 10-11; 12; 2Ti 3:4) What must we guard against? What are some false messiahs? What shows the rise of God-haters? (16-17) How can we not fear? (9; 13-15; 18-19; Lk 9:23)
4. Read verses 20-24. What would happen to Jerusalem? From God's point of view, what does this mean? Read verses 25-38. What is the great sign of the end? Why should we rejoice? What can we learn from the fig tree? How can we be ready?