

### Three Question and Isaiah 54.

1). In the Book of John 14:2 Jesus said “I go to prepare a place for you.” What Place is that? The new Jerusalem.

2). In The Book of Hebrews 11:10 Paul said of Abraham he looked for a city “whose builder and maker is God.” What city was that? The New Jerusalem.

3). In the Book of Isaiah 54:5 Isaiah said of Jerusalem thy “Maker is thine husband;” Then to what does this refer? The New Jerusalem. Why? Eze. 21:27 it shall be no more, until he come whose right it is; and I will give it him. Acts 1:6.

Note: The Context of Isaiah chapter 54. Written in the time of King Hezekiah, as a result of his failure to instruct the Chaldees of God who could turn back the sun 10 degrees. Instead of keeping His way, thus destruction was pronounced upon Jerusalem. During the captivity the church was taken to Babylon. But Jerusalem the Joy of the whole earth for the sanctuary-His visible presence was desolate. Eze. 8:6 He said furthermore unto me, Son of man, seest thou what they do? even the great abominations that the house of Israel committeth here, that I should go far off from my sanctuary? but turn thee yet again, and thou shalt see greater abominations. Jere. 3:17 At that time they shall call *Jerusalem the throne of the LORD;* and all the nations shall be gathered unto it, to the name of the LORD, to Jerusalem: neither shall they walk any more after the imagination of their evil heart.

### Why Jerusalem is the subject in Isaiah chapter 54?

Isa. 54:11 O thou afflicted, tossed with tempest, and not comforted, behold, I will lay thy stones with fair colours, and lay thy foundations with sapphires. 12 And I will make thy windows of agates, and thy gates of carbuncles, and all thy borders of pleasant stones. 13 And all thy children shall be taught of the LORD; and great shall be the peace of thy children. Gal. 4:26 But Jerusalem which is above is free, which is the mother of us all. Matt. 8:11 many shall come from the east and west.

Revelation 21:19 And the foundations of the wall of the city were garnished with all manner of precious stones. The first foundation was jasper; the second, sapphire; the third, a chalcedony; the fourth, an emerald; 20 The fifth, sardonyx; the sixth, sardius; the seventh, chrysolite; the eighth, beryl; the ninth, a topaz; the tenth, a chrysoprasus; the eleventh, a jacinth; the twelfth, an amethyst. 21 And the twelve gates were twelve pearls; every several gate was of one pearl: and the street of the city was pure gold, as it were transparent glass. . . 24 And the nations of them which are saved shall walk in the light of it: and the kings of the earth do bring their glory and honour into it.

## What was Shown to John?

Revelation 21:9 And there came unto me one of the seven angels which had the seven vials full of the seven last plagues, and talked with me, saying, Come hither, *I will shew thee the bride, the Lamb's wife.* 10 And he carried me away in the spirit to a great and high mountain, and shewed me that great city, the holy Jerusalem, descending out of heaven from God,

Luke 19:12 He said therefore, A certain nobleman *went into a far country to receive for himself a kingdom, and to return.* John 14:3 And *if I go* and prepare a place for you, *I will come again,* and receive you unto myself; *that where I am, there ye may be also.*

What is the Capital of this Kingdom He receives?

The New Jerusalem the Throne of David the Bride the Lamb's wife.

The Guests.

Revelation 19:7 Let us be glad and rejoice, and give honour to him: for the marriage of the Lamb is come, and his wife hath made herself ready. 8 And to her was granted that she should be arrayed in fine linen, clean and white: for the fine linen is the *righteousness* of saints. 9 And he saith unto me, Write, *Blessed are they which are called* unto the marriage supper of the Lamb. And he saith unto me, These are the true sayings of God.

Isa. 54:17 No weapon that is formed against thee shall prosper; and every tongue that shall rise against thee in judgment thou shalt condemn. This is the heritage *of the servants* of the LORD, and *their righteousness is of me, saith the LORD.*