

Kingdom Prophesied

- Daniel 2:44-45 Kingdom would not be destroyed.
- Daniel 7:13-14 Kingdom given when Son of Man ascends.

Kingdom "At Hand"

- John the Baptist. Matthew 3:1-3
- Jesus. Matthew 4:17; 10:5-7; Mark 1:14-15; Mark 9:1
- Apostles. Matthew 10:7
- The 70 disciples. Luke 10:9

"A Kingdom Which Cannot Be Moved" (Hebrews 12:28)

- Spiritual Kingdom. John 18:36
- Romans 14:17 "for the kingdom of God is not eating and drinking, but <u>righteousness</u> and <u>peace</u> and joy in the Holy Spirit."
 - Message of righteousness. Romans 1:16-17
 - Heavenly Jerusalem. Hebrews 12:23-24
 - Redeemed. Colossians 1:13-14
 - Priesthood. Hebrews 9:11-12; 10:12-14; 8:1-2

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- <u>Spiritual Ruler</u>. Ephesians 1:19-23; Acts 2:29ff
 - Daniel 7:13-14 Ascended to spiritual throne.
 - Hebrews 8:4 Cannot be on earth.
 - Zechariah 6:12-13 Priest and King at same time.

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- <u>Spiritual Ruler</u>. Ephesians 1:19-23; Acts 2:29ff
- Christ sitting at God's right hand.
 - King on David's throne. Acts 13:30-34
 - Head of His church. Ephesians 1:22-23
 - God's great and final prophet to man. Hebrews 1:1-3; 12:25





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- Citizenship Obtained By Spiritual Birth. John 3:1-6
- The new birth and baptism ...
 - Mark 16:15-16 Baptized Salvation. (cf. Luke 24:47)
 - Acts 2:38 Baptized Remission of sins.
 - John 3:5 Baptized Born again (cf. Romans 6:3-4)
 - Ephesians 5:25-26 Baptism Washed
 - Acts 22:16 Baptized Washed sins away
 - 1 Corinthians 12:13 Baptized Into one body
 - Galatians 3:26-27 Baptized Into Christ
 - Galatians 3:26-29 Baptized Heirs of Abraham

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- <u>Spiritual Hope</u>. Daniel 2:44ff; Hebrews 12:28
 - It is the hope of heaven. 1 Peter 1:3-5; Colossians 1:5; Ephesians 4:4
 - In the end, the kingdom delivered up to God. 1 Corinthians 15:22-25

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- Spiritual in nature.
- Spiritual ruler, head, or king.
- Spiritual rule in the hearts of people.
- Spiritual birth.
- Spiritual hope.

This Hope Is In The Kingdom

- Daniel 2:44 "And in the days of those kings shall the God of heaven set up a kingdom which shall never be destroyed, nor shall the sovereignty thereof be left to another people; but it shall break in pieces and consume all these kingdoms, and it shall stand for ever."
- Hebrews 12:28 "Wherefore, receiving a <u>kingdom</u> that cannot be shaken, let us have grace, whereby we may offer service well-pleasing to God with reverence and awe."

Conclusion

- Have you obeyed the gospel that you might become a citizen of this great kingdom that cannot be moved? 2 Thessalonians 1:7-9
- You need the security that only this kingdom and its hope can supply! Matthew 11:28-30
- Are you coming to Mount Zion, or to that which will be shaken?

