



The Simple Church

Chapter 5 -- The Coming of the Kingdom

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Jesus's kingdom is not of this world (Jn. 18:36) _____

MEMBERS OF THE KINGDOM

The Hebrews writer lists five members of the spiritual Mount Zion (Heb. 12:22-24).

These five are: _____

WHEN THE KINGDOM ARRIVED IN ALL ITS FULNESS

(Supply the needed verses for the following statements.)

Not during the days of John the Baptist. _____

Not at the beginning of Jesus' ministry. _____

During the lifetime of the apostles. _____

When it comes, it will come with power. _____

The apostles are to wait the power in Jerusalem. _____

Repentance for the forgiveness of sins will be preached. _____

This message will be preached to all nations. _____

Peter will have the keys to this kingdom. _____

THE CHURCH BEGINS AND THE KINGDOM IS COMPLETE

The promised power comes in Jerusalem, on the apostles. _____

People from every nation had assembled in Jerusalem. _____

Peter preaches repentance for the forgiveness of sins. _____

Peter tells the people what to do to be saved. _____

The "keys to the kingdom" give two commands which produces two blessings. _____

SOME THINGS TO THINK ABOUT

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These five are: Father, Son, the angels, the spirits of righteous men, the church

WHEN THE KINGDOM ARRIVED IN ALL ITS FULNESS

(Supply the needed verses for the following statements.)

Not during the days of John the Baptist. Matthew 3:1-2

Not at the beginning of Jesus' ministry. Matthew 4:17

During the lifetime of the apostles. Luke 9:27

When it comes, it will come with power. Mark 9:1

The apostles are to wait the power in Jerusalem. Luke 24:49

Repentance for the forgiveness of sins will be preached. Luke 24:47

This message will be preached to all nations. Luke 24:47

Peter will have the keys to this kingdom. Matthew 16:13-20

THE CHURCH BEGINS AND THE KINGDOM IS COMPLETE

The promised power comes in Jerusalem, on the apostles. Acts 2:1-4

People from every nation had assembled in Jerusalem. Acts 2:5

Peter preaches repentance for the forgiveness of sins. Acts 2:15-36

Peter tells the people what to do to be saved. Acts 3:38

The "keys to the kingdom" give two commands which produces two blessings.
repent and be baptized; forgiveness of sins and gift of Holy Spirit

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MATCHING TEST

Based on this lesson and the scriptures discussed, match the following phrase or central idea on the left with the appropriate Scripture reference on the right.

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| _____ | 3. The church is _____ in nature. | C. Repent & be baptized |
| _____ | 4. In what city was the power to come? | D. Forgiveness & Holy Spirit |
| _____ | 5. The promised power was the baptism of the _____. | E. Church |
| _____ | 6. In a word, John the Baptist's message was to... | F. True |
| _____ | 7. How many nations were represented at Pentecost? | G. False |
| _____ | 8. Peter's keys were to do what two things? | H. Spiritual |
| _____ | 9. Peter's keys gave what two blessings? | I. Jerusalem |
| _____ | 10. To be baptized is to be added to the _____. | J. Holy Spirit |



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