

# APOCALYPSE NOW XXI

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**READ:** Revelation 11:7-15a

## QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION

1. The two witnesses are the beneficiaries of divine protection (v. 5). Then they are not (v. 7). Identify the two factors that signal this shift.

What are the outcomes for the two witnesses?

What does this suggest about *our* mission or ministry (c.f., Acts 1:8)?

2. Where does this action seem to be centered (v. 8)? Why is this significant?

Why might Jerusalem be *mystically* (spiritually or figuratively) “called Sodom and Egypt”?

3. What is the world’s reaction to the fate of the two witnesses (vv. 9-10)? What is suggested by their reaction?

How had the two prophets “tormented those who dwell on the earth”?

4. What suddenly interrupts the world's celebrations (v. 11)? What is their reaction?
5. How do verses 11, 12 & 15 parallel the description given by the Apostle Paul in 1 Thessalonians 4:16-17? (What seems to be happening?)
6. How is the cosmos reacting to this succession of events (v. 15)?
7. What comfort for the believer, for *you*, is to be derived from this chapter (c.f., 1 Thessalonians 4:18)?

#### **PERSONAL RESPONSE**

I will, as the Lord's witness, be aware of my surroundings & opportunities this week by . . .

I will, as the Lord's witness, prepare myself to be ready with my testimony this week by . . .