

*"And if any man hear My Words, and believe not, I Judge him not: for I came not to Judge the world, but to Save the world. He that rejecteth Me, and receiveth not My Words, hath One that Judgeth him: the Word that I have spoken, **The Same Shall Judge Him In The Last Day.**"*  
*John 12:47-48 KJV*



Why is it called the “*Last Day?*” Because, there will be no more night for believers. “*And there shall be no night there; and they need no candle, neither light of the sun; for the Lord God giveth them Light: and they shall reign for ever and ever.*” Because afterwards, unbelievers will have only darkness, forever! “*The angels which kept not their first estate...He hath reserved in everlasting chains under darkness unto the Judgment of the Great Day. Even as Sodom and Gomorrha, and the cities about them in...the vengeance of Eternal Fire. Woe unto them...to whom is reserved the blackness of darkness for ever!*” Men have this idea that Satan rules Hell and men move about, recognize, and interact with one another. There is no light in the Lake of Fire. God’s Word calls it “*outer darkness.*” A black hole is incredibly hot. It glows hot in ultraviolet and x-ray light. That is how we can detect black holes. Black holes emit no light. Satan will be tormented like the rest! “*The devil that deceived them was cast into the Lake of Fire and Brimstone, where the beast and the false prophet are, and shall be tormented day and night for ever and ever.*” You may claim to KNOW God, but DOES GOD KNOW YOU? If you do not know and obey God’s Word, you will never KNOW God or He you! When is your “*Last Day?*” Jim Elliot, missionary martyr, wrote, “*He is no fool who gives what he cannot keep to gain what he cannot lose.*” Jesus said, “*If any man will come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow Me. For whosoever will save his life shall lose it: and whosoever will lose his life for My Sake shall find it.*” Faith in God’s Word is the only escape from “*outer*” darkness. “*Without faith, it is impossible to please Him.*” Obedience to God’s Word is the evidence of faith. If you don’t obey, you don’t believe! Jesus came to save from eternal death all those who would believe Him. The final chapter of earth’s history unfolds before our very eyes. The “*Last Day*” approaches quickly. The risen Christ told John, “*Behold, I come quickly; and My Reward is with me, to give every man according as his work shall be.*” Each person will stand before God, alone, unless faith has procured for them the ultimate advocate, Jesus Christ. He will be Advocate, Judge, Jury, and Executioner. He was rejected by the religious elite who trusted human reason rather than God’s Word.

The Day of Christ will come at last,  
The night of man will be the past,  
His Word alone will be the test,  
The faithful only will be blest. –CGP

Jesus’ first came as Saviour. He will come again as Judge of the world! Today could be your “*Last Day*” or the “*Last Day*” of entire world. We must prepare ourselves and others to meet it. There is no guarantee of another day for anyone! Are you ready? Or do you just hope you are? You can know for sure from God’s Word. If you neglect or reject it, you are eternally doomed! “*As many as received Him (the Word), to them gave He power to become the sons (children) of God, even to them that believe.*” Your desire to obey And your obedience is the evidence of faith.

*"And this is the Father's Will which hath sent me, that of all which He hath given me I should lose nothing, but should raise it up again at the Last Day. And this is the will of Him that sent me, that every one which seeth the Son, and believeth on Him, may have Everlasting Life: and I will raise him up at the Last Day." John 6:39-40 KJV*