## **End Times Prophecy**

This Week:

**Lesson:** Revelation 14 **Next Week:** Revelation 15

## Revelation 14 – Proclamations of Doom

**Vs. 1-5** The Lamb and the 144,000

Vs. 1-3 Actions Vs. 4-5 Identity

Vs 6-13 The Three angels

Vs 6-7 Evangelistic angel

Vs 8 Angel proclaiming doom of Babylon

Vs. 9-12 Angel warning against the mark of the beast

Vs. 13 Instruction to write

Vs 14-20 The Reapers

Vs. 14-16 Christ as a reaper of the saved
Daniel 7:13-14 Christ is the "Son of Man"
Vs. 17-19 Angel reaping the lost to wrath
Vs. 20 The literal slaughter on the earth

## **Discussion:**

- **Note** that chapter 14 is a preview of the following chapters, these things are part and parcel with previous and following events, speaking chronologically.
- **Discuss** the identity of the 144,000 with the Lamb the sealed Jews on the earth, or some other group of the same number from the saints in heaven? What is the timeline?
- **Discuss** the importance of the three angels in vs. 6-13, and what their mission tells us about their timeline.
- **Discuss** the two reapers and the two harvests, noting the identity of the first reaper as Jesus Christ ("Son of Man" = Jesus in Daniel 7:13-14, and throughout the gospels it is the title Jesus uses of Himself). What does their mission tell us about the timing of this passage?

## **Open Question:**

How does the prophetic content of this chapter apply to a Christian living today?