



SERMON OUTLINE FOR DECEMBER 14, 2014

Judgement Day: Terror or Celebration

Luke 21:25-36

INTRODUCTION:

*You may remember the scene from the movie – **The Terminator**...*

- I. WHEN THE BIBLE SPEAKS OF JESUS' RETURN, IT SOMETIMES LIKENS IT TO A SCENE FROM *THE TERMINATOR*
 - A. It will be a time of mayhem, terror, and power (Luke 21:25-26)
 - B. Judgement Day will come due to mankind's sin (Luke 21:34-35)
 - C. Whether or not our world today takes sin seriously, God does, & so should we (Luke 21:35-36)

- II. HOWEVER, JESUS' RETURN IS NOT JUST A SCENE FROM *THE TERMINATOR*
 - A. It will be blessed time for those who have trusted in Jesus (Luke 21:27)
 - B. It will be a time to *lift up our heads* in joy to see our *redemption drawing near* (Luke 21:28)
 - C. It reminds me of the day I bought my first car, a 1968 cherry red Chevy Nova . . .

CONCLUSION: *The bumper sticker on the ugliest car in town . . .*