

A Study of the General Epistles

(NT Survey Lesson 228--Revelation 14)

Introduction: Just as in chapter thirteen we have a picture of those allied with Satan, in this chapter we have a picture of those allied with God--the Lamb and the 144,000 standing on Mt. Zion. The announcements of the remainder of the chapter declare the principles of salvation of the righteous and judgment of the wicked.

Lesson aim: To seek to identify the Lamb and his followers and to understand the principles that result in either salvation or judgment.

The Lamb and the 144,000 on Mt. Zion--Rev. 14:1-5

1. What two forces allied with God are presented in this paragraph? What is written on the foreheads of the 144,000?
2. What did John hear being sung in heaven? Only who did John say could learn that song?
3. Describe the characteristics of the 144,000.

Announcements of salvation and judgment--Rev. 14:6-20

1. What message does the first angel reveal?
2. What pronouncement does the second angel reveal?
3. What warning does the third angel give?
4. What "blessing" was John instructed to write?
5. What does the one like the son of man do with the sharp sickle?
6. What did the second angel with a sharp sickle do? What came out of the wine press? How deep and for what distance?