

# Midweek Bible Study

## Exposition of the Revelation

### The End-Time Harvest

Rev. 14:14-20

#### Review

14:1-5 = The Lamb with His 144,000, celebrating their perseverance and victory in the Lamb.

14:6-11 = the messages of the three angels

- The eternal gospel
- The fall of Babylon
- The destruction of beast worshipers

14:12-13 perseverance and blessedness of the saints

14:14-20 – God’s wrath poured out in final judgment

15:1-4 – celebration in heaven of those who were victorious over the beast  
Song of Moses and of the Lamb

#### I. One Like a Son of Man, Prepared for Judgment (14:14)

- A. Then I looked and behold = vision marker  
This is the sixth vision in the section (12:1-15:4)
- B. One like a Son of Man sitting on the cloud  
Could be an angel (Mt. 13:39), but the title indicates Christ.  
Cf. Dan. 7:13; Matt. 24:40
- C. Golden crown on his head
- D. Sharp sickle

#### II. Another Angel from the Temple, Ready for Judgment (14:15)

- A. Another angel went out from the temple  
From the direct presence of God.
- B. Crying with a loud voice, to the One seated on the cloud  
A messenger, a herald



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- C. “Send out Your sickle and reap because the hour to reap has come  
Because the harvest of the earth is ripe”

## III. **The Judgment Begins (14:16)**

- A. And the One seated upon the cloud
- B. His sickle upon the earth
- C. And the earth was reaped/harvested

## IV. **Two Other Angels, Coming for Judgment (14:17-19)**

- A. One angel comes from the temple
- B. Another angel from the altar  
Comes from the altar, has power of fire.
- C. He calls to the first angel  
Send the sharp sickle and harvest and gather the clusters from the vine of the  
earth, because her grapes are ripe

## V. **The Vision of the Final Judgment (14:20)**

- A. The winepress was tread outside of the city
- B. And the blood from the winepress went out to the bridles of the horses for 1,600  
stadia.

