

# **The Rapture**

## **Selected Scripture**

(series #12)

**Introduction:** The importance of hope - I Cor. 13:13

**Our hope is not:**

- Heaven - Colossians 1:5

- Eternal Life - John 5:24

- Salvation - I John 3:2

**Our hope is:**

a. Jesus - I Timothy 1:1

b. The appearing of Jesus - Titus 2:13

c. Being like Jesus - I John 3:2-3

**I. The Statement of the Rapture - John 14:1-3**

**II. The Steps of the Rapture - I Thessalonians 4:13-17**

**III. The Specifics of the Rapture - I Cor. 15:51-53**