# I'll Fly Away...How 'Bout You?

# 1 Thessaloníans 4:13-18

Have you ever just wanted to <u>GET AWAY</u> from it all? (Psalm 55:6)

Christ's Return is Closer Today than ever before in human history.

Those who <u>Belong</u> to Jesus won't be looking for an "<u>UNDERTAKER</u>" we'll be looking to our "<u>UPPERTAKER</u>!"

# 1. THIS FLYING AWAY INVOLVES A <u>LIFTING UP</u>.

- This "lifting up involves a **PEOPLE** (v.13)
- Jesus Christ is returning for the SAVED.
- This "lifting up" involves a <u>PERSON</u> (v.16)
- The "Safety Device" <u>IS</u> available—<u>BUT</u> you'll have <u>Less</u> <u>Control!</u>
- This "lifting up" involves a <u>POWER</u> (v.17)
- At this Time of Rapture, Jesus will Lift Us up with His Great Power.

### 2. THIS FLYING AWAY INVOLVES A LEAVING BEHIND.

- We will leave **SIN BEHIND** (Rev. 21:27)
- Some will "Choose To Refuse" to <u>Turn from their sin</u> that <u>Opens</u> their hearts to Jesus.
- We will leave <u>SORROW</u> <u>BEHIND</u> (Rev. 21:4)
- Missing those we love can Hurt SO bad!
- We will leave <u>SATAN BEHIND</u>. (Rev. 20:10)
- "See ya, wouldn't want to be ya'!!"

## 3. THIS FLYING AWAY ALSO INVOLVES A LANDING.

- Every <u>Departure</u> leads to an <u>Arrival</u>.
- This "landing" will involve a **NEW <u>BODY</u>**. (Phil. 3:20-21)
- This "landing" will involve a **NEW <u>BUILDING</u>**. (John 14:2; 1 Cor 2:9)
- This "landing" will involve NEW BLESSINGS. (Rev. 22:3)
- Our <u>Greatest Blessing</u> will be to <u>SEE</u> JESUS & <u>FALL</u> on our knees & <u>CRY</u> HOLY, HOLY, HOLY.
- When the <u>Rapture Trumpet Sounds</u>, WILL YOU <u>Hear</u> it and <u>Fly Away</u> with <u>Christ</u> to Heaven?