

Surprise Homecoming

February 23, 2020

Pastor Randy Clarke

1st Thessalonians 4:13 – 5:11

Scripture is clear that the _____ of the _____
of _____ has not been revealed to anyone.

“Revelation” in the Greek is _____: the
uncovering or _____ of Jesus in all his
glory when he returns.

Anyone who predicts the exact date when Jesus
will return is a _____. *Do not _____ to them!*

The focus of the passage is to _____
grieving people who have lost loved ones. (4:18)

Followers of Christ have the _____ of
resurrection!

The _____ ones to meet Jesus at his return will
be the _____ in _____ who will be resur-
rected. (v15-16)

Be _____ by this prophetic picture of
their reunion with Christ! (v18)

Christ’s first coming was _____ and under
the _____.

The 2nd coming of Jesus is completely out in the
_____ and _____ to the whole earth!

Believers will be caught _____ into the clouds to
meet him. (v17) We call this the _____
of the _____.

The Tribulation is a ___-year period of judgment.

_____ -Trib: rapture _____ tribulation

_____ -Trib: rapture _____ years into tribulation

_____ -Trib: rapture _____ tribulation

The important thing is that Jesus will _____ for
his _____, the Church.

Don’t be _____ when it happens. Don’t
be taken off-guard. And don’t be _____!

Let us not lose hope but be encouraged that all
things are under the _____ of the Lord God.