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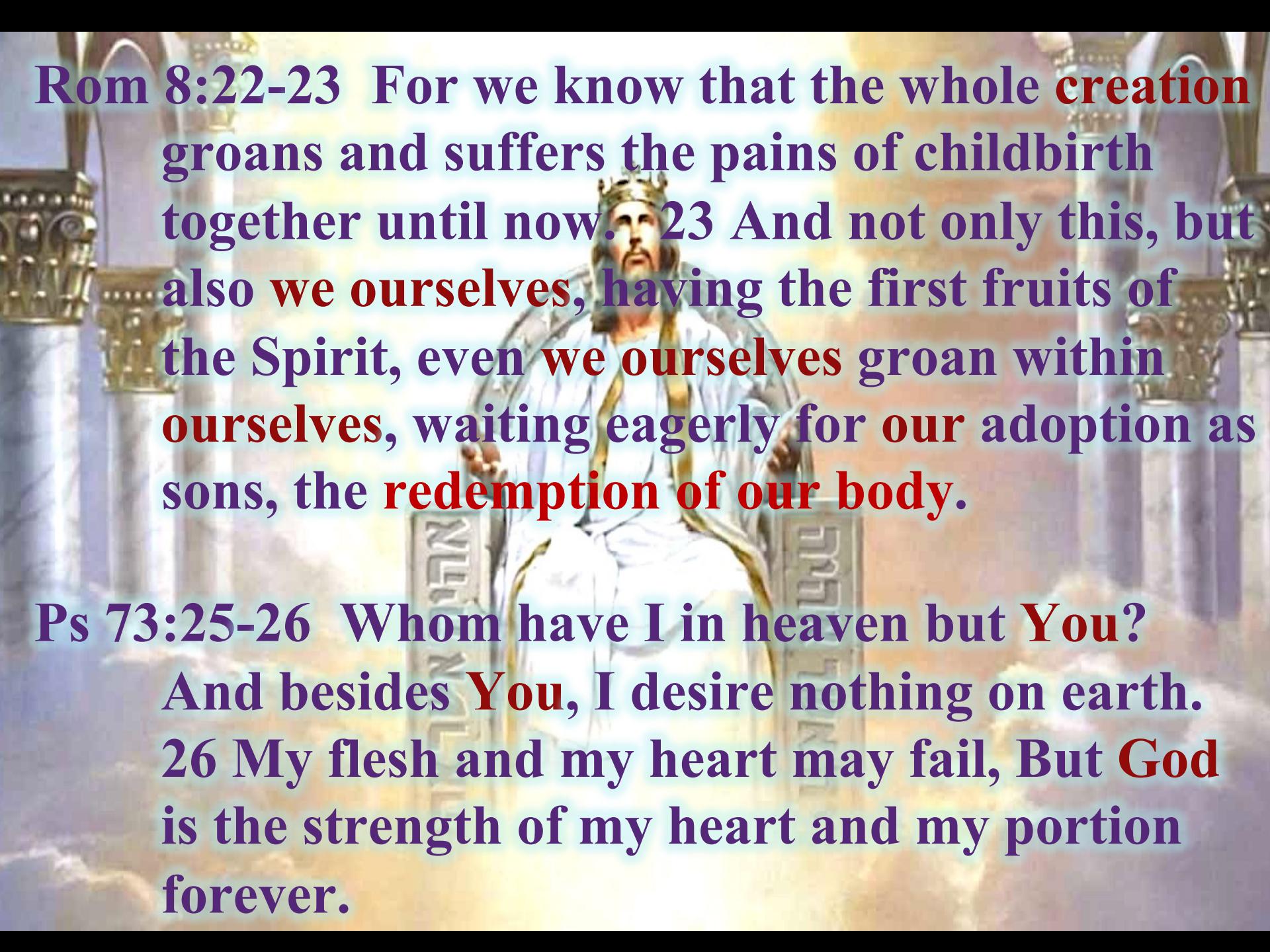
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BIBLE

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IEWS - 21:1-22:5

1. Millennium
2. Habitation of Millennial Saints
3. Eternal State





Rom 8:22-23 For we know that the whole creation groans and suffers the pains of childbirth together until now. **23** And not only this, but also **we ourselves**, having the first fruits of the Spirit, even **we ourselves** groan within **ourselves**, waiting eagerly for **our** adoption as sons, the **redemption of our body**.

Ps 73:25-26 Whom have I in heaven but **You**? And besides **You**, I desire nothing on earth. **26** My flesh and my heart may fail, But **God** is the strength of my heart and my portion forever.

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3 JERUSALEMS



➤ City of David of History
➤ Transformed Millennial City

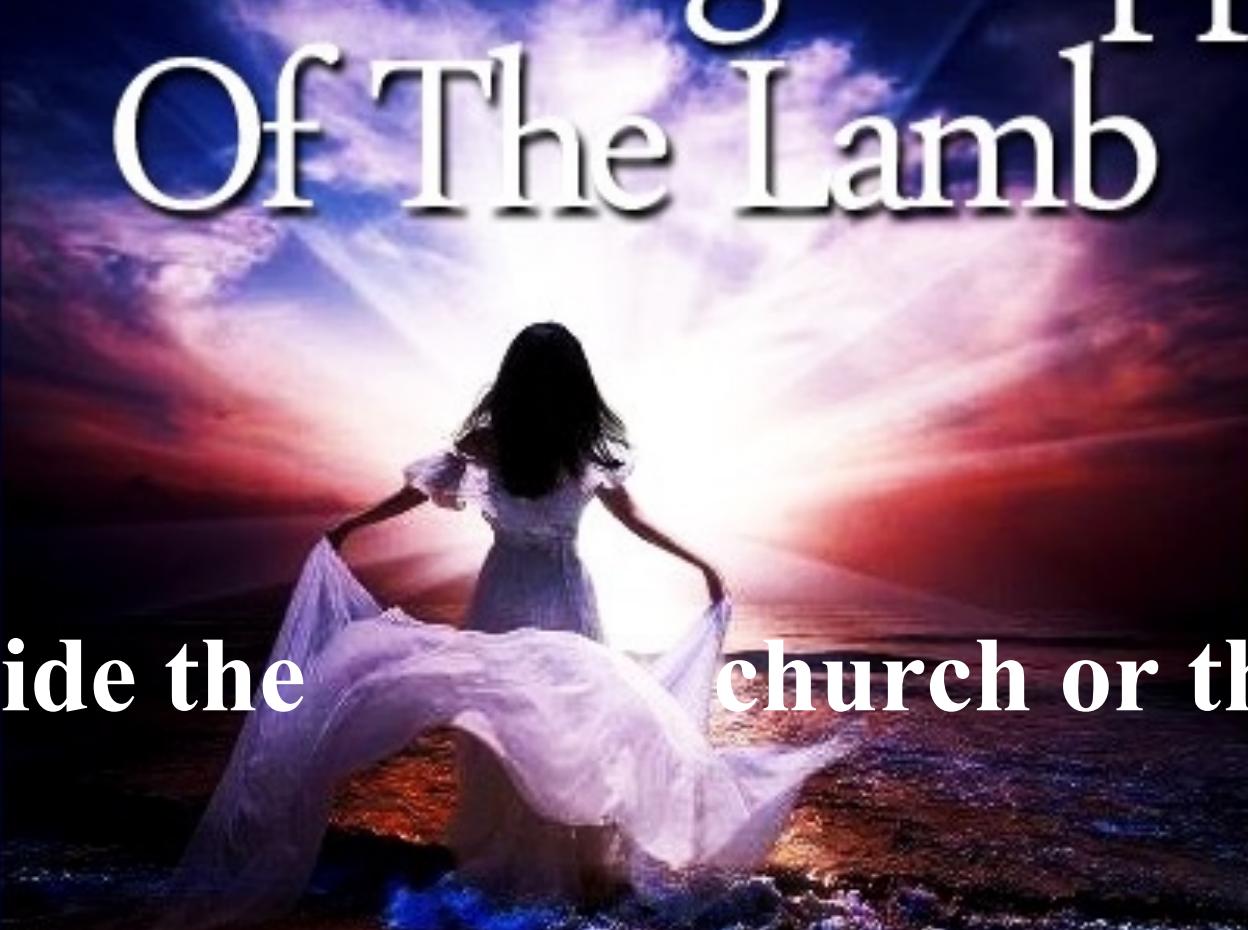
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➤ New Eternal Jerusalem
Jn 14:1-3, Heb 11:8, 10, 16, 13:14



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The Marriage Supper Of The Lamb



- Is bride the church or the city?
- Perhaps city is personification of bride

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Ex 25:8-9, 29:45

Lev 26:11



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3. Dwell - **σκηνόω** (skevoo)
to take up residence, to dwell



**1Kg 8:27,
Jn 1:14, 2Cor 6:16**



Ezek 37:26-27
Rev 21:22

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οὐρανός (ouranos)

- Best definition of Heaven
- Face-to-face presence of God
- Direct fellowship/intimacy
- No need for building - 21:22

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7. No thirst (6) -	longings, needs
8. No sinners (8) -	bad neighbors, citizens

SIGNIFICANCE - II

8. No sinners (8) - bad neighbors, citizens
9. No temple (22) - distant God
10. No sun or moon (23) - sweat, cold
11. No closed gates (25) - losing keys
12. No sinners (27) - again
13. No curse (22:3) - 2nd Law

Sea of Galilee

**Praise God for our
undescribable
future!!!**