

NIV Final Trumpet Rapture Passages

Matthew 24:29-31

“Immediately after the distress of those days ‘the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light; the stars will fall from the sky, and the heavenly bodies will be shaken.’ At that time the sign of the Son of Man will appear in the sky, and all the nations of the earth will mourn. They will see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of the sky, with power and great glory.

And he will send his angels with a loud trumpet call, and they will gather his elect from the four winds, from one end of the heavens to the other.”

(emphasis ours)

I Cor. 15:51,52

“Listen, I tell you a mystery: We will not all sleep, but we will all be changed—in **a flash, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet**. **For the trumpet will sound, the dead will be raised imperishable, and we will be changed.”**

(emphasis ours)

I Thes. 4:15-18

“According to the Lord’s own word, we tell you that we who are still alive, who are left till the coming of the Lord, will certainly not precede those who have fallen asleep. **For the Lord himself will come down from heaven, with a loud command, with the voice of the archangel and with the trumpet call of God, and the dead in Christ will rise first. After that, we who are still alive and are left will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And so we will be with the Lord forever.**

Therefore encourage each other with these words.”

(emphasis ours)

Rev. 11:15-18

“The seventh angel sounded his trumpet, and there were loud voices in heaven, which said: ‘The kingdom of the world has become the kingdom of our Lord and of his Christ, and he will reign for ever and ever.’ And the twenty-four elders, who were seated on their thrones before God, fell on their faces and worshiped God, saying: ‘We give thanks to you, Lord God Almighty, the One who is and who was, because you have taken your great power and have begun to reign. The nations were angry; **and your wrath has come. The time has come for judging the dead, and for rewarding your servants the prophets and your saints and those who reverence your name, both small and great—and for destroying those who destroy the earth.”**

(emphasis ours)

Rev. 14:14-16

“**I looked, and there before me was a white cloud, and seated on the cloud was one ‘like a son of man’** with a crown of gold on his head and a sharp sickle in his hand. Then another angel came out of the temple and called in a loud voice to him who was sitting on the cloud, ‘Take your sickle and reap, because the time to reap has come, for the harvest of the earth is ripe.’

So he who was seated on the cloud swung his sickle over the earth, and the earth was harvested.”

(emphasis ours)