Last week IS THERE ANY HOPE? Quick review Heb. 2:1-4; I Thess. 5:1-11; II Thess. 2:1-12

I. The Event to Escape - I Thess. 5:2,9

Some names of this event: The Day of Jehovah – Joel 1:15 The Day of the Lord – I Thess. 5:2 The wrath of God -- I Thess. 5:9 The Tribulation – Matt. 24:21, 29 The Time of Jacobs Trouble – Zeph. 1:14-18; Jer. 30:7

II. Descriptions of this event

1. Wrath	Zeph. 1:15,18	6. Destruction	Joel :15
2. Judgment	Rev. 14:7	7. Darkness	Amos 5:83
3. Indignation	Isa. 26:20-21	8. Desolation	Dan. 9:27
4. Trial	Rev. 3:10	9. Overturning	Isa. 24:1-4
5. Punishment	Isa. 24:20-21	10. Trouble	Jer. 30:7

III. The NEED to Escape

There is no second chance 2 Thess. 2:9-12 Trouble will be unprecedented Matt. 24:21

The participants will be cast into the lake of fire along with the beast (Roman Dictator) and the false prophet (Antichrist) Rev. 19:20 and Satan Rev. 20:10, 21:8

IV. The MEANS of escape Heb. 11:7

By receiving Christ as Savior By being part of the First Resurrection Rev. 20:6 How to receive Christ Heb. 2:3

Repent of Sin
Believe Christ is the only Savior Acts 4:12
Confess Him as your Savior Rom. 10:9,10

V. The TIME of Escape

- A. At death
- B. At the Rapture of the Church (body, bride, branches, building) of Christ I Thess. 5:9 cf. I Thess.4:13-18; Rev. 20:6