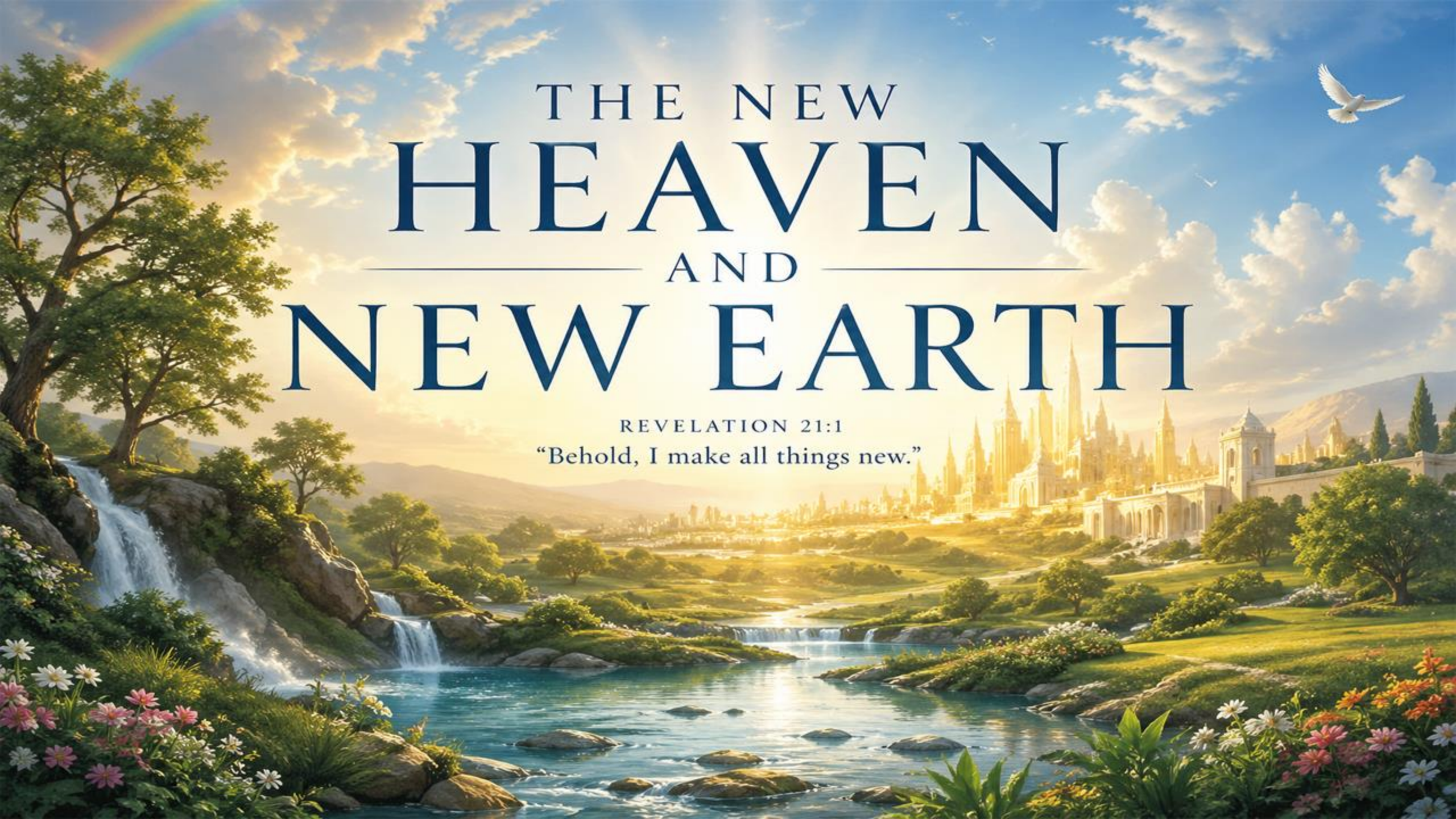
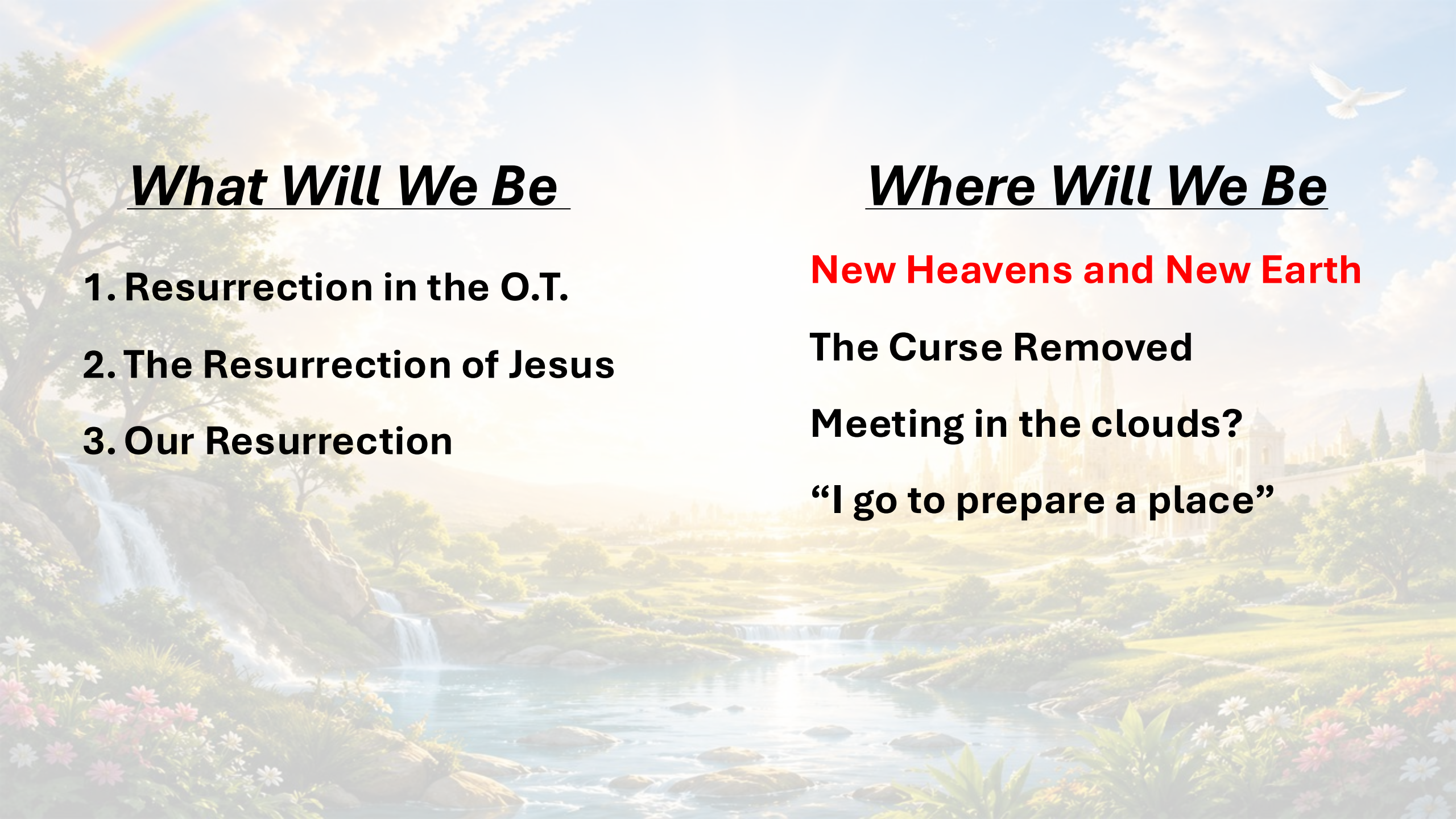




# THE NEW HEAVEN AND NEW EARTH

REVELATION 21:1

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# ***New Heaven and New Earth***



***Isaiah 65:17; 66:22***

***2 Peter 3:13***

***Revelation 21:1***



# ***All Things New***

## **Genesis 1-2**

- Creation of heaven and earth
- God dwells with humanity
- Garden of Eden
- Tree of life
- No curse initially
- No death initially
- River flowing from Eden
- Humanity reigns over creation

## **Revelation 21-22**

- New heaven and new earth
- God dwells with humanity
- Paradise / New Jerusalem
- Tree of life
- Curse removed
- Death no more
- River of life
- Saints reign forever

# Revelation 21:1-5

<sup>1</sup> Then I saw ***a new heaven and a new earth*** for the ***first heaven and the first earth had passed away*** and the sea was no more. <sup>2</sup> And I saw the holy city, ***new Jerusalem***, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. <sup>3</sup> And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, “Behold, ***the dwelling place of God is with man. He will dwell with them,*** and they will be his people, and God himself will be with them as their God. <sup>4</sup> He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away.” <sup>5</sup> And he who was seated on the throne said, ***Behold, I am making all things new.***’ Also he said, “Write this down, for these words are trustworthy and true.”

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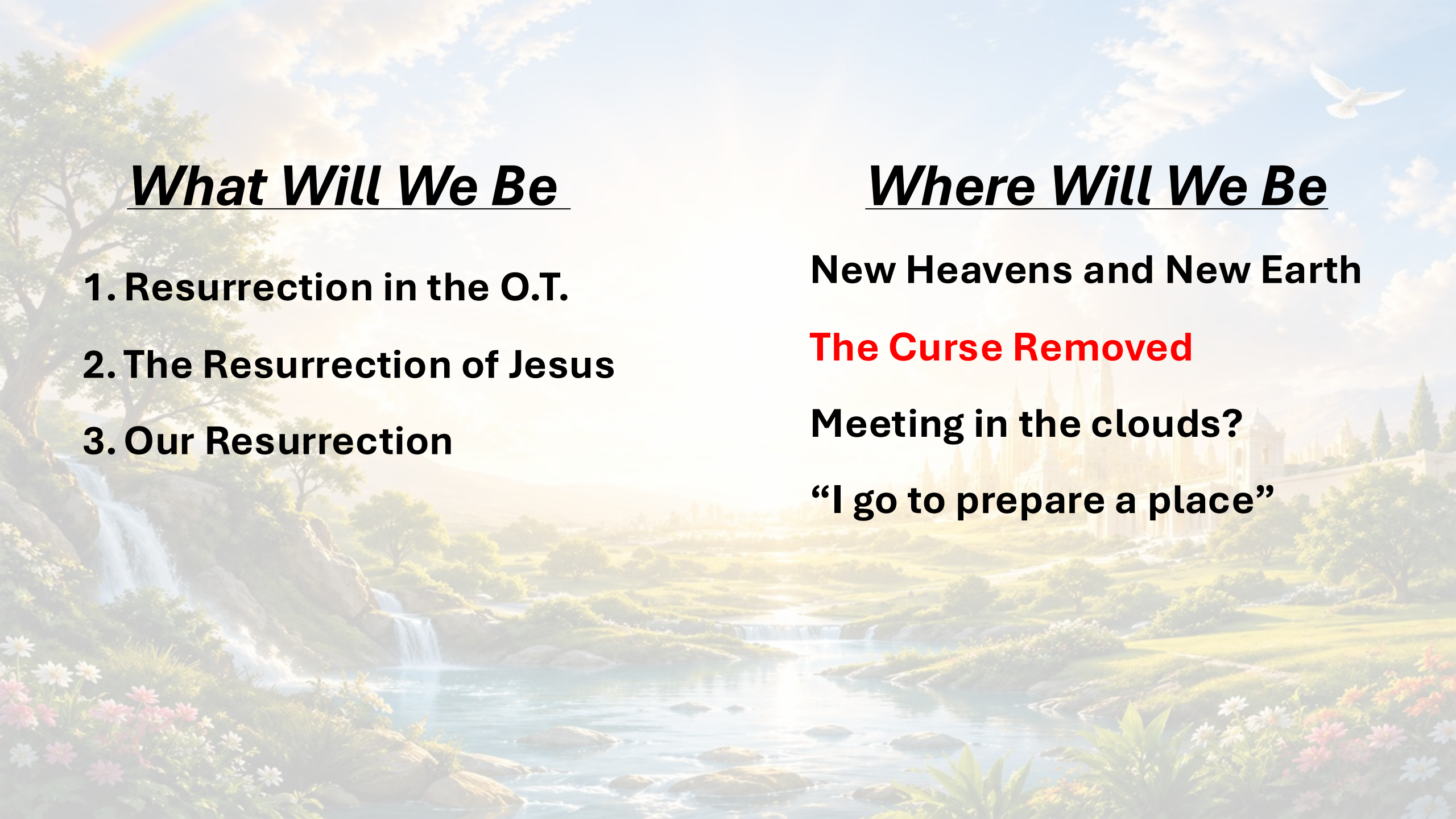
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Example: 2 Corinthians 5:17, Ephesians 4:21-24, Colossians 3:7-10

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# Genesis 3:14-19

<sup>14</sup> The LORD God said **to the serpent**, “Because you have done this, cursed are you above all livestock and above all beasts of the field; on your belly you shall go, and dust you shall eat all the days of your life. <sup>15</sup> I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and her offspring; he shall bruise your head, and you shall bruise his heel.”

<sup>16</sup> **To the woman** he said, “I will surely multiply your pain in childbearing; in pain you shall bring forth children. Your desire shall be for your husband, and he shall rule over you.”

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<sup>17</sup> And *to Adam he said*, “Because you have listened to the voice of your wife and have eaten of the tree of which I commanded you, ‘You shall not eat of it,’ *cursed is the ground because of you* in pain you shall eat of it all the days of your life; <sup>18</sup> *thorns and thistles it shall bring forth for you*; and you shall eat the plants of the field. <sup>19</sup> By the sweat of your face you shall eat bread, *till you return to the ground, for out of it you were taken; for you are dust, and to dust you shall return.*”

# Romans 8:18-25

<sup>18</sup> For I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory that is to be revealed to us. <sup>19</sup> For *the creation waits with eager longing for the revealing of the sons of God*. <sup>20</sup> For *the creation was subjected to futility*, not willingly, but because of him who subjected it, in hope <sup>21</sup> that *the creation itself will be set free from its bondage to corruption and obtain the freedom of the glory of the children of God*. <sup>22</sup> For we know that *the whole creation has been groaning together in the pains of childbirth until now*. <sup>23</sup> And not only the *creation* but we ourselves, who have the firstfruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly as we wait eagerly for adoption as sons, the *redemption of our bodies*. <sup>24</sup> For in this hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what he sees? <sup>25</sup> But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.

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