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The New Jerusalem (2) Rev. 21:9-22:5

- I. The Appearance of the New Jerusalem (21:9-14)
- II. The Measurements of the New Jerusalem (21:15-17)

III. The Building Materials of the New Jerusalem (21:18-21)

- A. The material of the wall was jasper (18a)
- B. The city was pure gold, like clear glass (18b)
- C. The foundation stones of the city wall were adorned with every kind of precious stone (19-20)
 - 1. Jasper
 - 2. Sapphire
 - Chalcedony
 - 4. Emerald
 - 5. Sardonyx
 - 6. Sardius
 - 7. Chrysolite
 - 8. Beryl
 - 9. Topaz
 - 10. Chrysoprase
 - 11. Jacinth
 - 12. Amethyst
- D. The Gates and the Street (21)
 - 1. The twelve gates were twelve pearls Each one of the gates was a single pearl
 - 2. The street of the city was pure gold, like transparent glass

IV. The Interior Features and Inhabitants of the New Jerusalem (21:22-27)

- A. The Temple (22)
 - 1. I saw no temple in it
 - 2. The Lord God the Almighty and the Lamb are its temple
- B. The City (23)
 - 1. No need of the sun or the moon to shine on it
 - 2. For the glory of God has illumined it
 - 3. Its lamp is the Lamb



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- C. Nations and Kings (24-26)
 - D. Those who inhabit and those who do not (27)
- V. The Presence of God in the New Jerusalem (22:1-5)
 - A. The River of the Water of Life (1-2a)
 - 1. Then he showed me a river of the water of life
 - 2. Clear as crystal
 - 3. Coming from the throne of God and of the Lamb
 - 4. In the middle of its street
 - B. The Tree of Life (2b)
 - 1. On either side of the river was the tree of life
 - 2. Bearing twelve kinds of fruit
 - 3. Yielding its fruit every month
 - 4. The leaves of the tree were for the healing of the nations
 - C. The New Humanity (3-5)
 - 1. No longer any curse (3a)
 - 2. The throne of God and of the Lamb will be in it (3b)
 - 3. His bondservants will serve Him (3c)
 - 4. They will see His face (4a)
 - 5. His name will be on their foreheads (4b)
 - 6. There will no longer be any night (5ab)
 - a. They will not have need of the light of a lamp
 - b. Not the light of the sun
 - c. Because the Lord God will illumine them
 - 7. And they will reign forever and ever (5c)

