The Heaven New Jerusalem

"Looking in The City"

Promise(s) in Hebrews: <u>Faith</u> Hope

Promise from God

- 1. The promise of the gospel of rest (Heb. 4:1).
 - 1) Conditional (Heb. 4:9-10).
 - 2) New Testament saints only (Heb. 4:6).
 - 3) We rest/cease when enemies are not attacking.
- 2. We are inheriting promises now (Heb. 6:12).
- 3. The Hope behind the veil (Heb. 6:18-19).
- 4. The New and better Covenant/promise (Heb. 8:6).
- 5. The New Covenant's future promise (Heb. 9:15).
- 6. Our perspective should be towards the promises (Heb. 10:36).
- 7. Abraham and his seeds' promises (Heb. 11:9).
- 8. Abraham through Law saints have not received their promise (Heb. 11:13, 39).
- 9. We receive our promise before saints prior to the Cross receive theirs (Heb. 11:40).

Heb. 12:22-29 is a Millennial scene demonstrating the church having received their promise that is behind the veil; thus the all others have their promise too. This scene is a proof of the promise realized.

- 1. But we, New Testament saint, have come to a Heavenly city.
- 2. The Heavenly New Jerusalem is currently existing, extant (Heb. 12:22; Jn. 14:2-3; Gal. 4:26).
- 3. Terms:

Mount symbolizes government, rule (Is. 2:3). Zion symbolizes the city where God dwells (Ps. 9:11). City of the Living God (Rev. 21:22).

- 4. Myriads of angels in a festive assembly.
- 5. Church, the called out ones belonging to the First born.
- 6. Which (church) having been enrolled in heavens.
- 7. And the Judge of all.
- 8. The spirits of righteous men made perfect.