Week 1 Eschatology Logos Class Chris Darakjian

1. Why did Augustine believe that an earthly kingdom of jesus was carnal and opted for the view that the kingdom of God is a spiritual entity, the church?

Answer.) Platonism infiltrated the church, which taught that the spiritual was Holy and that the flesh was sinful, hence, the kingdom of God was not seen by Augustine to be a physical manifestation on earth.

1. How can we apply grammatical-historical interpretation to the second coming of Jesus?

Answer.) If prophecies of Jesus’ first coming were fulfilled literally, so too will prophecies concerning his second coming.

1. Can we tell from the old testament that there would be two distinct arrivals of the Messiah?
2. What verses in the New Testament can we use to prove the Rapture?
3. Does the old testament distinguish between heaven and hell, or does it only refer to the place of the dead “Sheol”?
4. How do we know that souls sent to hell are not annihilated instead?

Answer.) Is 66:24 For their worm does not die, nor is the fire quenched…

1. Is there biblical evidence to suggest that entities other than Angels or Demons might be present in the 2nd heaven?