

# **The Lamb's Book of Life**

Series: Heaven – Part 8

Text: Revelation 21:27

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## **INTRODUCTION – Rev. 21:27**

### **I. THE PURPOSE OF THE BOOK**

- A. *Phil. 4:3*
- B. *Luke 10:18*
- C. The purpose of the Book of Life is to keep a roster of the names of all those who belong to Christ

### **II. THE POSSESSOR OF THE BOOK**

- A. *Rev. 21:27*
- B. *Rev. 13:8*
- C. These verses inform us that the “LAMB” is the possessor of the book.
- D. Who is the Lamb? (*John 1:29*)

### **III. THE PRESENTATION OF THE BOOK**

- A. The book will be presented at the Great White Throne judgment, as mentioned in *Rev. 20:11-15*

### **IV. THE PERIL OF NOT HAVING ONE'S NAME IN THE BOOK**

- A. One will not enter heaven (*Rev. 21:27*)
- B. One will be cast into the lake of fire (*Rev. 20:15*)

### **V. THE PREREQUISITE FOR GETTING YOUR NAME IN THE BOOK**

- A. One must be born again (*John 3:3*)
  - 1) To be born again, one must hear the gospel (*Rom. 10:17*)
  - 2) One must be drawn by the Holy Spirit and convicted of sin, righteousness, and judgment (*John 6:44; 16:7-8*)
  - 3) One must believe (*Acts 16:31*)
  - 4) One must repent (*Luke 13:3*)
  - 5) One must receive Christ (*John 1:12*)

### **VI. THE PERTINENT QUESTION**

- A. Is your name in the Lamb's Book of Life?