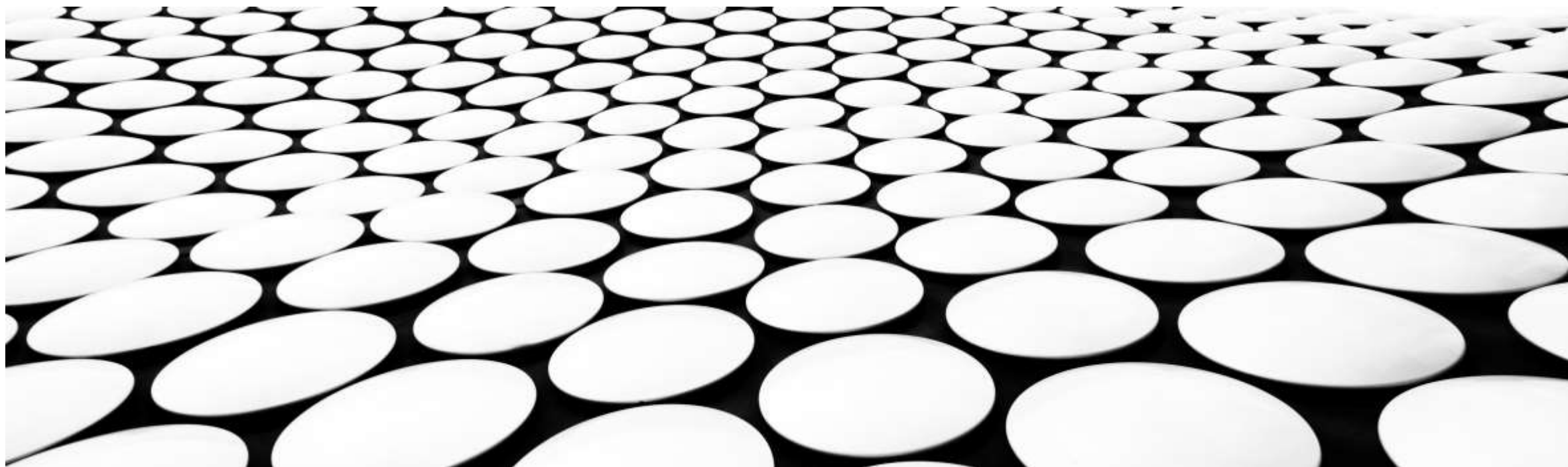

ARE YOU READY?

REVELATION 21:1-7



ARE YOU READY FOR THE NEW YEAR?

- In the first century many holidays were characterized by gluttony, drunkenness and debauchery. Christians would not have participated in such wantonness.
- The observing or not observing of “days” was considered a liberty as long as it was “to the Lord”. – Romans 14:1-8
- Whether or not you make “resolutions” you should always be examining yourself. – 2 Corinthians 13:5
- Have you taken time to consider how you will approach the New Year?



ARE YOU READY FOR JUDGMENT?

- An important part of self-examination answers, “Am I ready to stand before God?”
Hebrews 4:1; 12:14-15
- We will not stand by our own merit!
Ephesians 2:8,9
- “Nothing but the blood of Jesus!”
- Are you washed in the blood of the Lamb?
- What are you waiting for? – Acts 22:16



ARE YOU READY FOR HEAVEN

- There are many things that hold our attention in this life.
- Some things are joyful blessings, others painful distractions. – Romans 8:18-21
- God has placed eternity in our hearts - Ecclesiastes 3:11
- Consider the promise of heaven and prepare your heart for eternity.
Revelation 7:9-12; 21:1-7



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