

TWO BOOKS OF LIFE AND THE BOOKS OF WORKS

Book of life

Rev. 3:5 He that overcometh I will never blot his name out of the book of life.

Overcomers are believers in Jesus. 1 John 5:5

All names are written in the book of life at conception.

Names of unbelievers are blotted out of the book of life at physical death because they resisted conviction. Rev. 3:5 Unbelievers, who never overcome the world, are blotted out of the book of life.

Unbelievers whose names are blotted out are cast into the Lake of Fire. Rev. 20:15

Babies and children who die are not blotted out of the book of life because they are not accountable enough to be in resistance to the conviction of the Holy Spirit.

LAMB'S BOOK OF LIFE Name's of believers are written in this book at their new birth.

Revelation 17:8b And those who live on the earth, whose names have not been written in the Book of Life from the foundation of the world, will wonder when they see the beast, that he was, and is not, and will come.

From the foundation of the world means they are written from creation to the present time. As a person is born again, their name is written in the Lamb's Book of Life.

Revelation 21:26,27 There is no entry into the heavenly New Jerusalem except for those whose names are written in the Lamb's Book of Life.

Revelation 13:8 All who dwell on the earth will worship the beast, whose names are not written in the Book of Life of the Lamb slain from the foundation of the world.

The book of life (with names blotted out) becomes identical to the Lamb's Book of Life which was written from the foundation of the earth. The moment you believe in Jesus, your name is written in the Lamb's Book. The moment you were conceived in the womb, your name was written in the book of life.

Books of Works

Revelation 20:12,15 I saw the dead, both great and small, standing before God's throne. And the books were opened, including the book of life. And the dead were judged according to the things written in the books, according to their works. And anyone whose name was not found written in the book of life was thrown into the lake of fire.