

# What about Utopia?

# 1. Suggested sources of Utopian Societies

- Economic equality (i.e. communism)
- Moral Freedom (relativism, sexual revolution)
- Technological / Scientific Advancement (medicine, communications, transportation)
- Spiritual Enlightenment (Eastern religions, mysticism)

### 2. What does freedom and advancement without God look like?

- Perversion, Defection, Violence (Genesis 6:1-8)
- Human focused religion on us (Genesis 11:1-9)
- Future repeat performance (Luke 17:20-37)

## 3. What is the fundamental problem and reality?

- Man is sinful and corrupt (Isa. 64:6)
- Man is in need of a Savior, the world is in need of a Savior (John 14:6)

# 4. What are some hints as to what the future paradise will be like?

- The presence of a King (Acts 1:11, Rev. 20:1-5)
- Life and healing (Ezk. 47:1-12)
- Peace and Prosperity (Isa. 2:4)
- Absence of Satan (Rev. 20:3)
- Universal knowledge of God (Isa. 11:9)

### **Bottom Line**

The sure hope for individual salvation is Jesus Christ and the only sure hope for the redemption of human civilization is Jesus Christ