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Following are a group of Scriptures that speak of the 2nd coming of the Lord. Please notice the context and the timelines and make up your own mind as to when He was expected back.

Matt 10:23

23 But when they persecute you in this city, flee ye into another: for verily I say unto you, **You** shall not have gone over the cities of Israel, till the Son of man be come *Who shall have not have gone over all the cities of Israel? Israel is NOW covered with the Gospel and has been for some time!*

Matt 16:28

28 Verily I say unto **you**, There be some **standing here**, which shall not taste of death, till they see the Son of man coming in his kingdom. *Are they still alive and standing there?*

Matt 24:30

30 And then shall appear the sign of the Son of man in heaven: and then shall all the tribes of the earth mourn, and they shall see the **Son of man coming** in the clouds of heaven with power and great glory. *Read Matthew 24:34 to see when this took place.*

Matt 26:64

64 Jesus said unto him, Thou hast said: nevertheless I say unto you, Hereafter shall **you** see the Son of man sitting on the right hand of power, and coming in the clouds of heaven. *Who is to see the second coming? Be careful about "Audience Relevance".*

Mark 8:38

38 Whosoever therefore shall be ashamed of me and of my words in **this adulterous and sinful generation**; of him also shall the Son of man be ashamed, when he cometh in the glory of his Father with the holy angels. *What generation?? Audience Relevance again.*

Mark 9:1

1 And he said to them, "I tell you the truth, *some who are standing here* will not taste death before they see the kingdom of God come with power." *Who will see the Kingdom of God come?*

Mark 13:26

26 And then shall they see the Son of man coming in the clouds with great power and glory. *Who will see the Son of man coming? HINT: see verse 30!*

Mark 14:62

62 And Jesus said, I am: and **you** shall see the Son of man sitting on the right hand of power, and coming in the clouds of heaven. *Who shall see the Son of man sitting?*

Luke 12:40

40 **You** also must be ready, because the Son of Man will come at an hour when you do not expect him.

Who must be ready?

Luke 18:8

8 I tell you, he will see that they get justice, and **quickly**. However, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on the earth?" *Did these folks get justice quickly or not?*

Luke 21:27

27 And then shall they see the Son of man coming in a cloud with power and great glory. *Who will see the Son of Man coming? HINT: see verse 32*

1 Cor 1:7

7 So that **you** come behind in no gift; **waiting** for the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ: *Are they still waiting?*

1 Thes 2:19

19 For what is our hope, or joy, or crown of rejoicing? Are not even **you** in the presence of our Lord Jesus Christ at his coming? *Were they in the presence of the Lord Jesus Christ at His coming?*

1 Thes 4:15

15 For this we say unto you by the word of the Lord, that **we which are alive** and remain unto the coming of the Lord shall not prevent them which are asleep. *Did Paul and the Thessalonians remain alive unto the coming of the Lord?*

1 Thes 5:23

23 And the very God of peace sanctify you wholly; and I pray God your whole spirit and soul and **body** be preserved blameless unto the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. *Were their bodies preserved or were they decayed?*

II Th 2:1

1 Now we beseech **you**, brethren, by the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, and by **our** gathering together unto him. *Were Paul and the Thessalonians gathered together unto Him or did they die?*

James 5:7

7 **Be patient therefore, brethren**, unto the coming of the Lord. Behold, the husbandman waited for the precious fruit of the earth, and hath long patience for it, until he receive the early and latter rain. *Did their patience pay off or did they die in disappointment?*

James 5:8

8 Be you also patient; establish your hearts: for the coming of the Lord **draws nigh**. *Were they patient and did the coming of the Lord take place as he said--drew nigh?*

2 Pet 3:12

12 Looking for and hasting unto the coming of the day of God, wherein the heavens being on fire shall be dissolved, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat? *Did the early church hasten the day of His coming or are we still waiting?*

I Jn 2:28

28 And now, little children, abide in him; that, when he shall appear, we may have confidence, and not be ashamed before him at his coming. *Did they have confidence when He appeared or was this a false*

hope?

Rev 3:11

11 Behold, I come *quickly*: hold that fast which thou hast, that no man take thy crown. *Did He come quickly or has He not come yet??*

Rev 22:12

12 And, behold, I come quickly; and my **reward is with me, to give every man according as his work shall be.** *This is a reiteration of Matthew 16:27-28 when Jesus said that some of His 1st century disciples would still be alive when He came back to reward them. DID HE?*

Rev 22:20

20 He which testifies these things said, Surely *I come quickly*. Amen. Even so, come, Lord Jesus. *Did He come quickly?*

If you had difficulty answering these questions and felt uncomfortable, then your eschatological paradigm needs shifting!