

THE FATHER'S BIG HOUSE

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"Let not your hearts be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in me. ² In my Father's house are many rooms. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? ³ And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also. ⁴ And you know the way to where I am going." ⁵ Thomas said to him, "Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?" ⁶ Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me." JOHN 14:1-6 ESV

1. Heaven is a	-	
<i>"I go and prepare a <u>place</u> for you."</i> JOHN 14:3 ESV		
"place" = topos (Greek), refers to a real, physical place		
2. Heaven is a	place than	
<i>"I go and prepare a place for you."</i> JOHN 14:3 ESV		
Heaven is not the	_ we make for ourselves on earth.	

3. Heaven is the		
"In my Father's house are many rooms." JOHN 14:2 ESV		
And I saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down out of head God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband ¹⁵ And the with me had a measuring rod of gold to measure the city and its ¹⁶ The city lies foursquare, its length the same as its width. And city with his rod, 12,000 stadia. Its length and width and height a also measured its wall, 144 cubits by human measurement, while angel's measurement. REVELATION 21: 2, 15-17 ESV	e one who spoke gates and walls. he measured the are equal. ¹⁷ He	
4. Heaven is like a		
"And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also." JOHN 14:3 ESV		
Jesus had a first century	in mind when	
He spoke these words to His disciples.		
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