

Matthew 24:1-25:13 - Be Ready

A world in chaos

When will Jesus return?

A Warning – Don't be deceived by false messiahs

"What false messiahs?"

How do we deal with a "world in chaos"?

Option A - the "ostrich" approach

Option B - the "give-up" approach

Option C – look for a "messiah" ... a "saviour"

A world that creates "false messiahs"

A Hope – We have a real messiah and he is coming back

On-line shopping – you own it now, but you do not have possession of it yet, however it is on its way

Lesson from the fig tree – a sign that summer is near

Examples of being ready

For us today

- **Put away your "false messiahs"**
- **Don't despair - be ready**