Item #102 (Some Mulling about the Future)

After the Last Judgment there will be an enormous relief (for those who have made the cut) together with the awareness that the present situation will have no end. Sooner or later all the persons of the earth will probably know each other, since, there being no marriage nor giving in marriage, no new humans will be born. The Beatific Vision will command the attention of all, though of course the human body will still demand some kind of physical grounding. (The present writer will, perhaps on this basis, request his own galaxy.) We shall all have a risen body (those of us who have made the cut). Let us hope that all those who have been killed in the womb without having a chance for a risen body will somehow have such a chance. There will no longer be problems connected with Sacred Scripture: all will be clear. (James Swetnam, S.J., September 6, 2022)