

Eternity: A Day of Reunions

1. Our _____ Grief into _____ - _____ Grief

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1 Thessalonians 4:13

Now, dear brothers and sisters, we want you to know what will happen to believers who die so you will not grieve like people who have no hope. For since we believe that Jesus died and was raised to life again, we also believe that when Jesus returns, God will bring back with Him the believers who have died.

1 Thessalonians 4:13-14

2. The Assurance that They are _____ God

For to me, to live is Christ and to die is gain. If I am to go on living in the body, this will mean fruitful labor for me. Yet what shall I choose? I do not know! I am torn between the two: I desire to depart and be with Christ, which is better by far.

Philippians 1:21-23

We really want to be away from the body and be at home with the Lord.

2 Corinthians 5:8

Remember me when You come into Your kingdom. Luke 23:42

I tell you the truth, today you will be with Me in paradise. Luke 23:42

I see the heavens opened and the Son of Man standing at God's right side.

Acts 7:56

Lord Jesus, receive my spirit. Acts 7:59

The wages of sin is death. Romans 6:23

When He cleansed us from our sins, He sat down at the right hand of the Majesty on high. Hebrews 1:3

I saw under the altar the souls of all who had been martyred for the word of God and for being faithful in their testimony. They shouted to the Lord and said, "O Lord, how long before you judge the people who belong to this world and avenge our blood for what they have done to us?"

Revelation 6:9-10

Suddenly, Moses and Elijah appeared and began talking with Jesus.

Matthew 17:3

Since we are surrounded by such a huge crowd of witnesses to the life of faith.

Hebrews 12:1

The believers who have died will rise from their graves. Then, together with them, we who are still alive and remain on the earth will be caught up in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. Then we will be with the Lord forever.

1 Thessalonians 4:16-18

Eternity: The Return of Christ

1. Christ is Coming to _____ His People

This day is, The Great Day. Jude 6

“The arrival of the Son of Man will take place in times like Noah’s. Before the great flood everyone was carrying on as usual, having a good time right up to the day Noah boarded the ark. They knew nothing—until the flood hit and swept everything away.” Matthew 24:37-39

For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout.
1 Thessalonians 4:16

“The LORD will roar from on high.” Jeremiah 25:30

Jesus cried with a loud voice, “Lazarus, come out!” And he who had died came out. John 11:43-44

The dead will hear the voice of the Son of God all who are in their graves will hear His voice. Then they will come out. John 5:25, 28-29

The voice of an archangel, and with the trumpet of God.
1 Thessalonians 4:16

He will dispatch the angels; they will pull in the chosen from the four winds from pole to pole. Mark 13:27

2. Christ is Coming to _____ All People

All the nations will be gathered before Him. Matthew 25:32

It will happen in a moment, in the blink of an eye, when the last trumpet is blown. For when the trumpet sounds, those who have died will be raised to live forever. And we who are living will also be transformed. For our dying bodies must be transformed into bodies that will never die; our mortal bodies must be transformed into immortal bodies. 1 Corinthians 15:52-53

On that day heaven will pass away with a roaring sound. Everything that makes up the universe will burn and be destroyed. The earth and everything that people have done on it will be exposed. 2 Peter 3:10

The re-creation of the world. Matthew 19:28

The Son of Man coming on the clouds in the sky with power and great glory. Matthew 24:30

He will be King and sit on His great throne. Matthew 25:31

For through Him God created everything in the heavenly realms and on earth. He made the things we can see—and the things we can’t see such as thrones, kingdoms, rulers, and authorities in the unseen world. Everything was created through Him and for Him. He is the beginning, supreme over all who rise from the dead. Colossians 1:16, 18

Every knee will bow to the name of Jesus—everyone in heaven, and on earth, and under the earth. And everyone will confess that Jesus Christ is Lord. Philippians 2:10-11

The blackest darkness. Jude 13

Everlasting destruction. 2 Thessalonians 1:9

Weeping and gnashing of teeth. Matthew 8:12

We don’t want this man to be our king. Luke 19:14

Nothing impure will ever enter heaven, nor will anyone who does what is shameful or deceitful, but only those whose names are written in the Lamb’s book of Life. Revelation 21:27

I heard a loud shout from the throne, saying, “Look, God’s home is now among His people! He will live with them, and they will be His people. God Himself will be with them. Revelation 21:3

He will wipe away every tear from their eyes. Revelation 21:4

“Don’t let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God, and trust in Me.” John 14:1