

Getting a Grip on Death

TWO COMMON MYTHS

1.	stuff shouldn't happen to people
	TRUTH: "Yes, and all who desire to live godly in Christ Jesus will suffer persecution." 2 Timothy 3:12
2.	is the worst thing that could happen to us
	TRUTH: "I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in Me, though he madie, he shall live. And whoever lives and believes in Me shall never die." John 11:25-26
	How can this be true?
W	E ARE MADE IN THE
	"So God created man in His own image; in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them." Genesis 1:27
	We have 3 components:
W	hat happens to the spirit when the body dies?
	It waits for the

"Now this I say, brethren, that flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God; nor does corruption inherit incorruption. Behold, I tell you a mystery: We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed— in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed. For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality." 1 Corinthians 15:50-53

"who will transform our lowly body that it may be conformed to His glorious body" Philippians 3:21
Death is not the, but rather the
"And do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul. But rather fear Him who is able to destroy both soul and body in hell." Matthew 10:28
"So when this corruptible has put on incorruption, and this mortal has put on immortality, then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written: "Death is swallowed up in victory. O Death, where is your sting? O Hades, where is your victory?" The sting of death is sin, and the strength of sin is the law. But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ." 1 Corinthians 15:54-57 "Cleanse us from all blemish, all guile, all hypocrisy and the remembrance of evil entailing death"
Key to experience glorified life now:
"And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God." Romans 12:2
"that you put off, concerning your former conduct, the old man which grows corrupt according to the deceitful lusts, and be renewed in the spirit of your mind, and that you put on the new man which was created according to God, in true righteousness and holiness." Ephesians 4:22-24
Put off thinking, put on thinking
"Holy, Holy, Holy Lord of Hosts. Heaven and EARTH are full of Your Holy Glory."