

Christian World View

The Four States of Man

4th • The Glorified Man

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the state
of
goodness

the state
of
depravity

the state
of
spiritual life

the state
of
eternal life

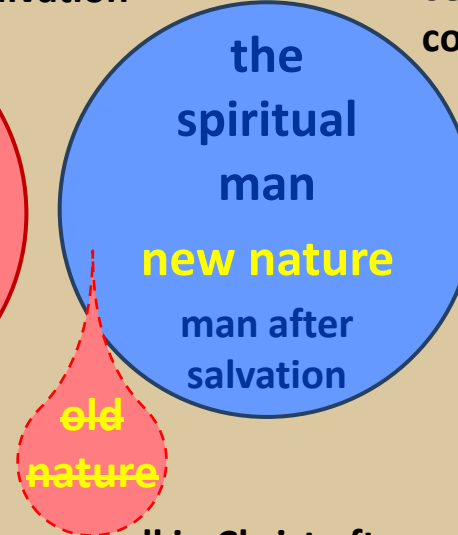
creation

the fall

salvation

the
second
coming

eternity



Adam & Eve

all mankind

all in Christ after
salvation

all in Christ after
the resurrection

posse peccare
able to sin

non posse non peccare
not able not to sin

posse non peccare
able not to sin

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4th · the state of glory

the second
coming



the kingdom of God
the crown of Jesus Christ

the
state of
eternal life
nature in glory
man after
the 2nd coming

eternity



new heavens & new earth
... forever with the Lord

all in Christ · after the resurrection

non posse peccare

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life · the first state of man

the life of God in man

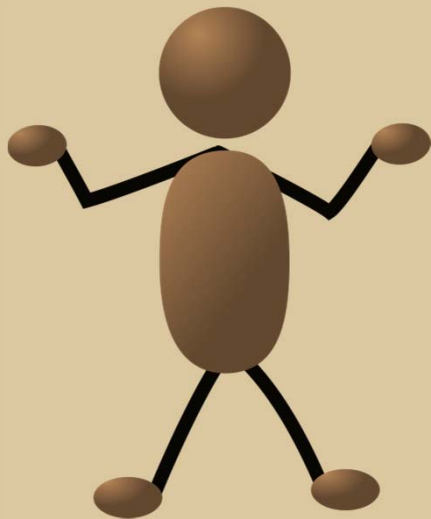
mankind

created in the image & likeness of God

the good man

fellowship with God

body + soul + spirit



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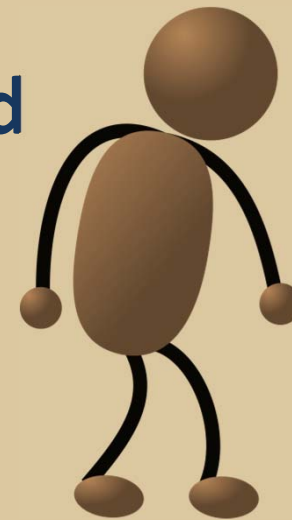
death · the first separation

sin & death in man

the fall of man
corruption of nature
the natural man
separation from God

body + soul | spirit

1



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death is separation

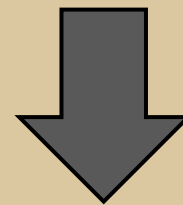
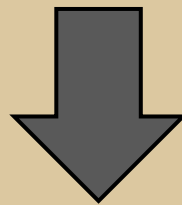
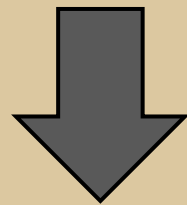
death is separation

- ① spiritual death = separation of the spirit of man from God ... in life
- ② physical death = separation of the soul from the body ... after life
- ③ eternal death = separation of the body + soul · ~~spirit~~ from God ... forever

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death · the second separation

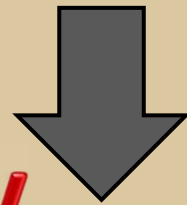
body + soul + spirit



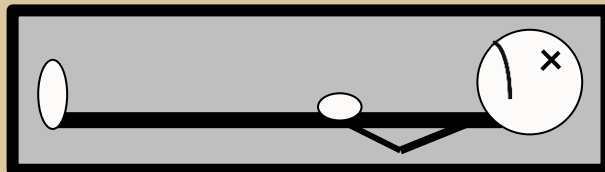
body ↔ soul | ~~spirit~~

2

1



body

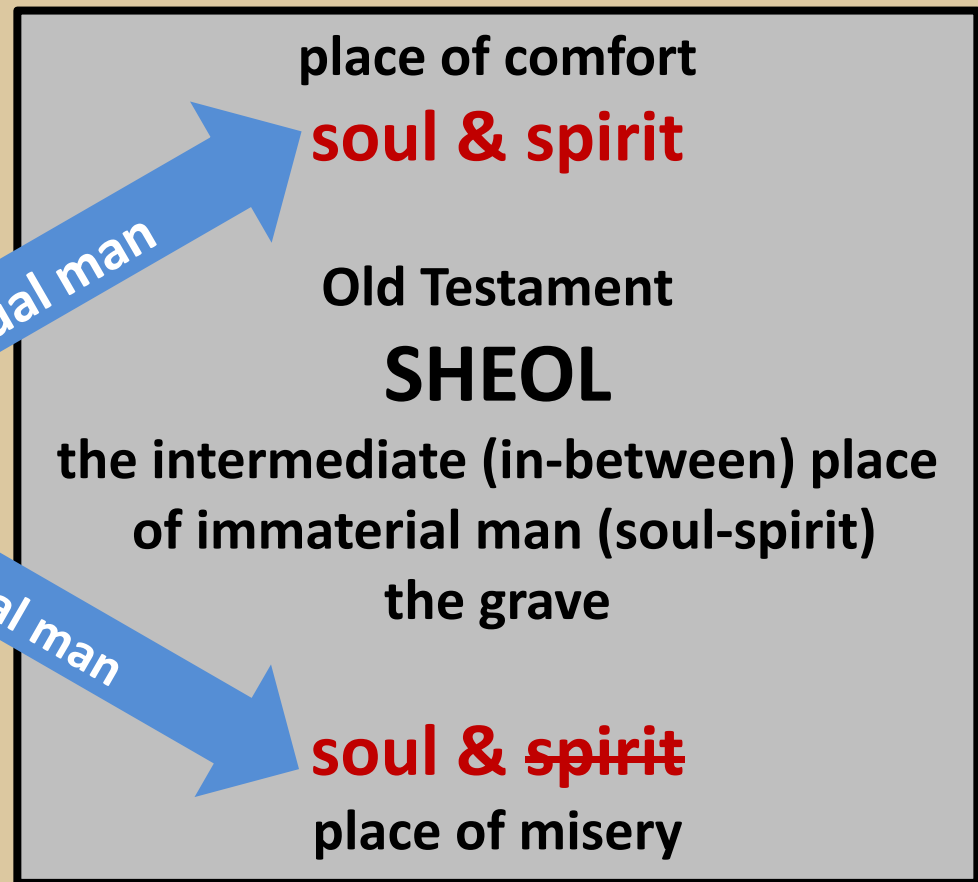
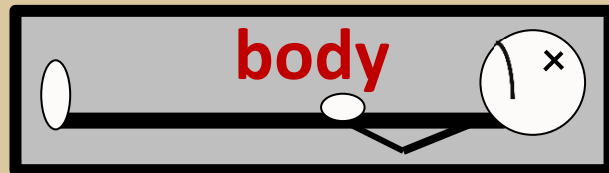


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death · the second separation

death

physical death

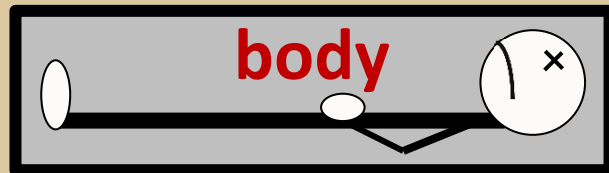


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death · the second separation

death

physical death



spiritual man

natural man

rest & blessing for the saved
soul & spirit
New Testament
HADES

the intermediate (in-between) place
of immaterial man (soul-spirit)
soul & spirit
darkness & misery for the lost

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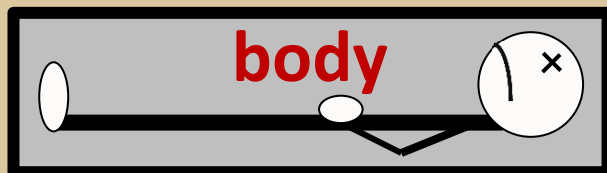
the procession · the spiritual man

Christ's
procession



Ephesians 4:8-10

Old
Testament
saints



soul & spirit
rest & blessing for the saved

Old Testament · New Testament
SHEOL · HADES

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death · the interim state today

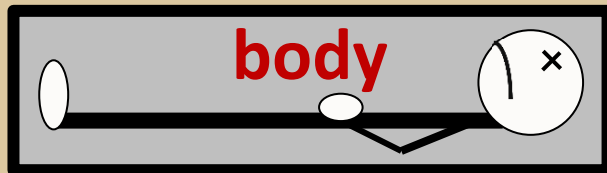
death

physical death



2 Corinthians 5:6-10

absent from the body = home with the Lord



soul & spirit

darkness & misery for the lost

Old Testament · New Testament

SHEOL · HADES

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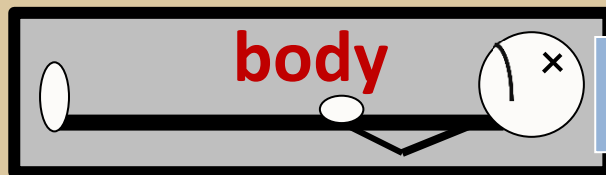
resurrection · the glorified man

**Christ's
coming**

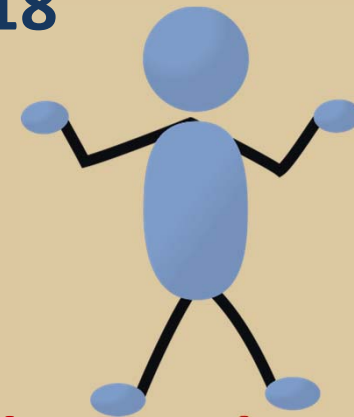


1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

1st



glorified



**body + soul + spirit
glorified**

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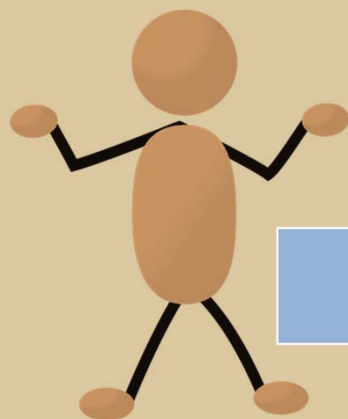
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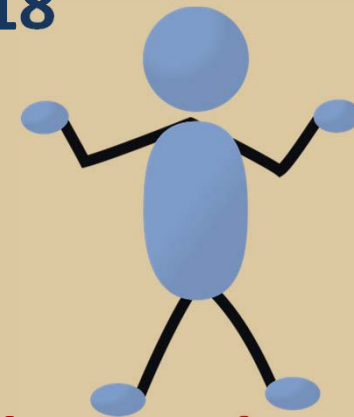
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2nd

glorified



living Christians

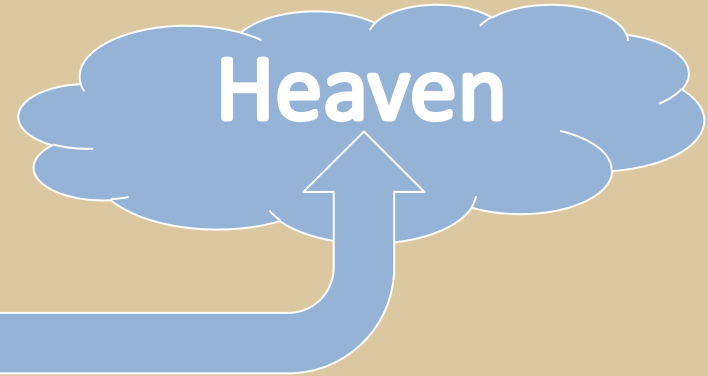


body + soul + spirit
glorified

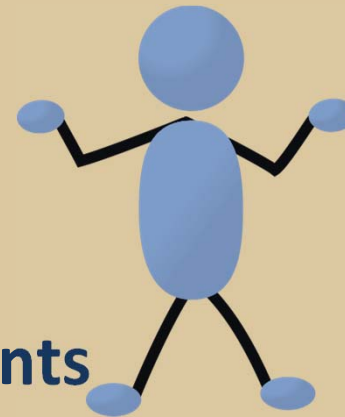
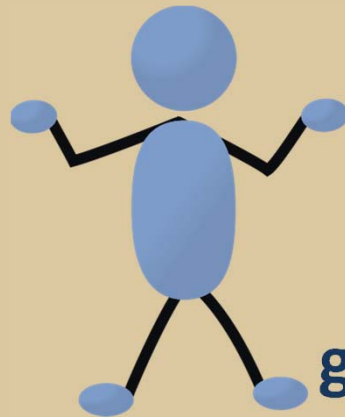
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**Christ's
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1 Thessalonians 4:13-18
"caught up" = rapture



3rd

glorified saints

body + soul + spirit

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heaven · the glorified man

Old Testament
Hebrew
SHĀ·MĀ·YIM



New Testament
Greek
OURANOS

Heaven

the place of everlasting rest for the glorified man

- 3rd Heaven · glory / paradise · the domain of God & angels**
- 2nd Heaven · space / the universe · the domain of stars & galaxies**
- 1st Heaven · sky / atmosphere · the domain of birds, animals & man**

- ① the intermediate (in-between) place of immaterial believers after the cross**
- ② the final place of glorified believers after the second coming of Christ**

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new heavens & new earth · the glorified man

the great white throne judgment

Revelation 20:11-15



2 Peter 3:10-13

Revelation 20:11 & 21:1



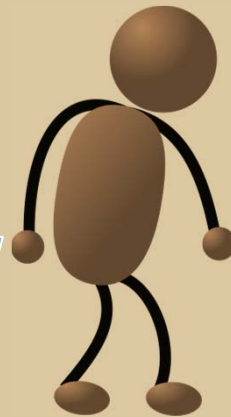
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resurrection · the natural man

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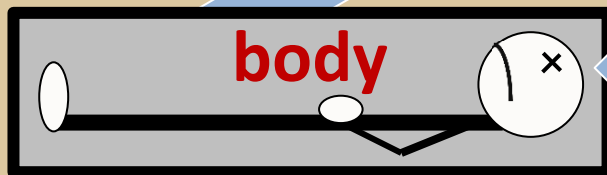
Christ's judgment

Revelation 20:11-15



resurrection

body + soul + spirit



body

soul + spirit

Old Testament · New Testament

SHEOL · HADES

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Hell · the natural man

Old Testament · New Testament

SHEOL · HADES

Hell = GEHENNA

the place of eternal punishment for the natural man

a place of darkness and fiery torment

named after the valley of Hennom south of Jerusalem

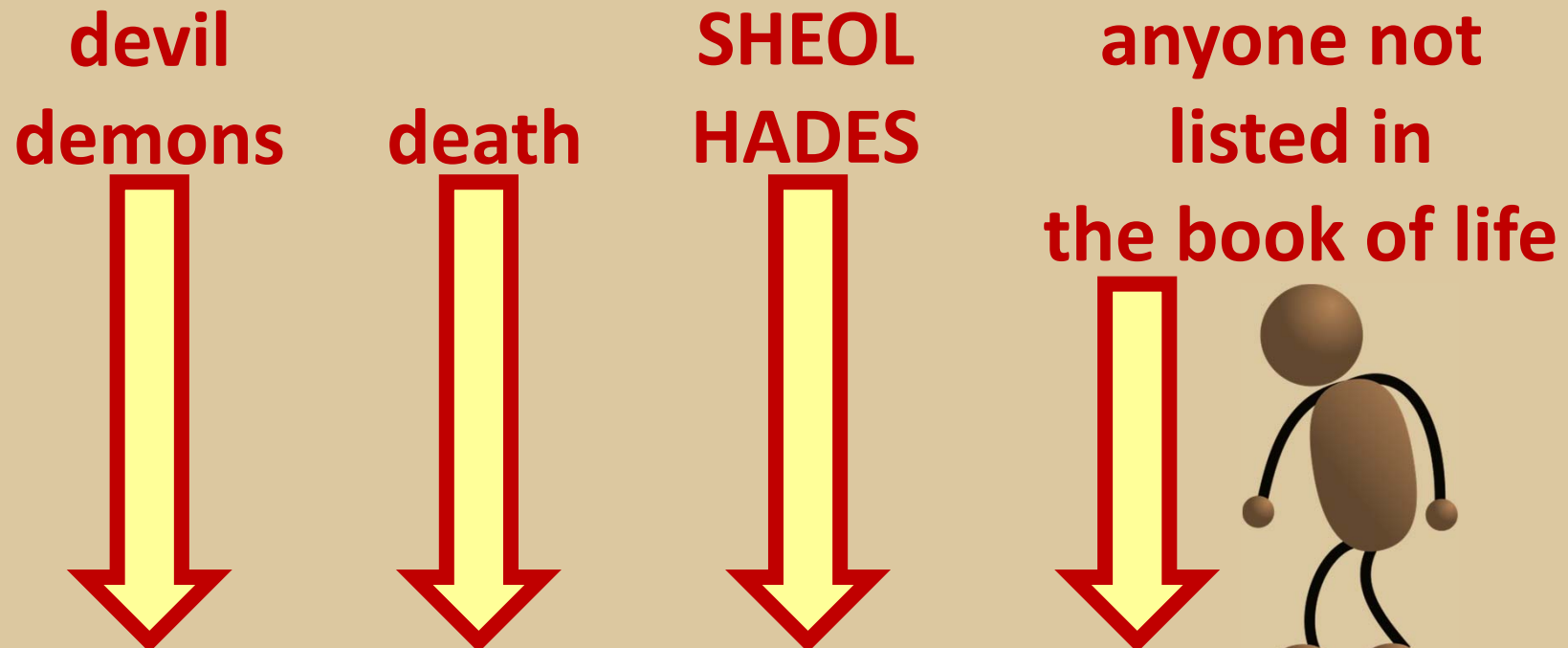
a place of idolatry and the burning of waste



the second death · the lake of fire

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Hell · the natural man



Hell = GEHENNA

the second death · the lake of fire

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the biblical descriptions of Hell

“the outer darkness”

“the blackness of darkness forever”

“the unquenchable fire”

“the furnace of fire”

“the lake of fire and brimstone”

“the worm does not die”

Hell = GEHENNA



the second death · the lake of fire

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Hell · the natural man

the biblical experience of Hell

“the blackness of darkness forever”

“burning with fire and brimstone”

“there will be weeping, wailing, and gnashing of teeth”

“undergoing the punishment”

“no rest day or night”

“torment day and night forever and ever”

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the body of Christ · the state of glory

the Lord Jesus Christ · the only One in glorified body today
“the first fruits of those who are asleep” · 1 Corinthians 15:20, 23
the transfiguration · the resurrection from the tomb

Jesus
Christ

- ① seeing and being recognized
- ② speaking and hearing
- ③ touching and being touched
- ④ vanishing
- ⑤ appearing
- ⑥ eating
- ⑦ ascending

“Beloved, now we are children of God,
and it has not appeared as yet what we will be.
We know that when He appears, we will be like Him,
because we will see Him just as He is.” · 1 John 3:1-3 (2)

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the body described · the state of glory

“How are the dead raised up? And with what body do they come?”

1 Corinthians 15:20, 23

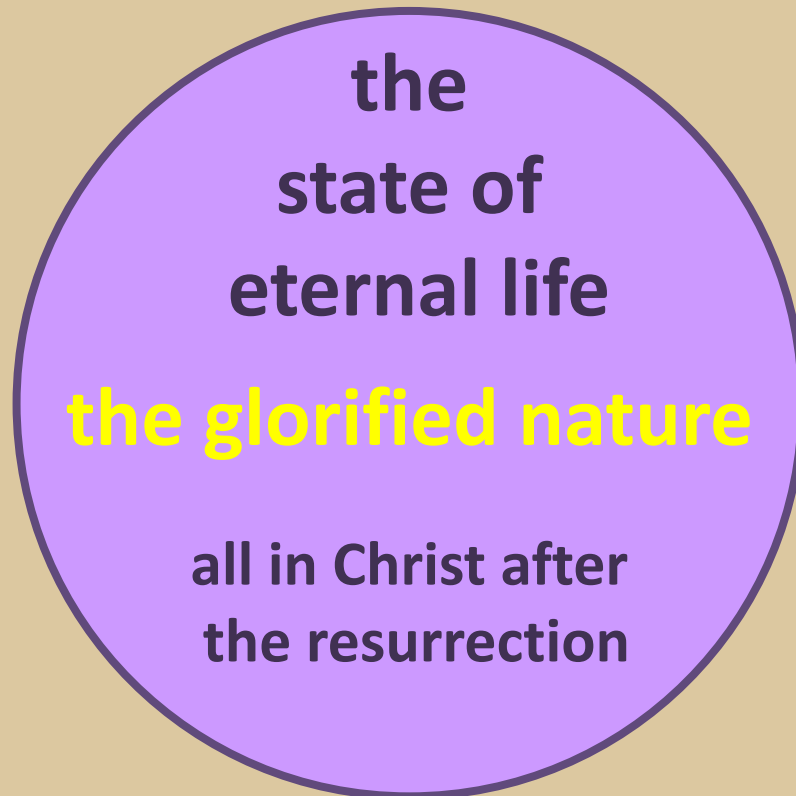
the
Bible

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|---|---------------|------------------|
| ① | perishable | → imperishable |
| ② | dishonor | → glory |
| ③ | weakness | → power |
| ④ | natural body | → spiritual body |
| ⑤ | earthly image | → heavenly image |
| ⑥ | mortal | → immortal |
| ⑦ | mortal | → eternal · life |

“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” · 1 Corinthians 15:51-52

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4th · the state of glory



**ARE
YOU
READY?**

“For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish, but have eternal life” · John 3:16

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the curse & the victory

Jesus Christ

the curse declared	• <u>the fall</u>	• Genesis 3:17-19 (17)
the curse defined	• <u>the Law</u>	• Deuteronomy 27:26 Galatians 3:10
the curse defeated	• <u>the cross</u>	• Deuteronomy 21:23 Galatians 3:13
the curse delayed	• <u>the creation</u>	• Romans 8:20-22
the curse diminished	• <u>the kingdom</u>	• Isaiah 11:1-16 Revelation 20:4-6
the curse deleted	• <u>the NH & NE</u>	• Revelation 22:3

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summing up all things in Christ

Jesus Christ

the five Solas of the Reformation:

sola Scriptura = Scripture alone

sola gratia = grace alone

sola fide = faith alone

solus Christus = Christ alone

solus Deo gloria = glory to God alone

Scripture alone: salvation is by grace alone through
faith alone in Christ alone. To the glory of God alone.

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the glory of God

Jesus Christ

*“For **from** Him and **through** Him and **to** Him are all things.
To Him be the glory forever. Amen.”*

Romans 11:36

Jesus Christ is · the **origin** · the **means** · the **end** · of all things

Glory be to God!

“Believe in the Lord Jesus Christ, and you shall be saved ...”

Acts 16:31

Jesus Christ is ...

the Son of God · the Messiah · the Lord · the Savior · the King