Lesson 10: The Blessed Hope

1 Corinthians 15:12-58
Introduction (p. 3)

• The Father \textcolor{red}{\textit{originated. . .}}
• The Son \textcolor{red}{\textit{executed. . .}}
• The Holy Spirit \textcolor{red}{\textit{applies. . .}}

. . .the redemptive plan.
Christ
The Cross Work of Christ
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- The Cross Work of Christ Is a Prophet’s Work
- The Cross Work of Christ Is a Priest’s Work
- The Cross Work of Christ Is a King’s Work
The Cross Work of Christ Is a Prophet’s Work

- John 3:16
- 1 John 4:8,16
- John 1:18
- Hebrews 1:1-3

- 1 Peter 2:21
- 1 John 4:11
- 1 John 3:16
- John 13:34-35
- Philippians 2:5-11
- Ephesians 5:1-2
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- Genesis 3:15
- 1 John 3:8
- Matthew 12:28-29
- John 12:31
- John 16:11
- Colossians 2:13-15
- Hebrews 2:14-15
- Colossians 1:13
- 1 Corinthians 15
“It is most significant that the work of Christ, which is so central in our Christian faith, is essentially a work of destruction that terminates upon the power and work of Satan. This is not a peripheral or incidental feature of redemption. It is an integral aspect of its accomplishment.”

—“The Fall of Man,” *Collected Writings of John Murray*, 2:68.
John Murray

“It is surely significant that the first promise of redemptive grace, the first beam of redemptive light that fell upon our fallen first parents, was in terms of the destruction of the tempter.”

—Redemption—Accomplished and Applied, 49.
“It was that triumph alone that released believers from the bondage of fear and inspired the confidence and composure of faith. But this triumph had relevance for them because their consciousness was one conditioned by the awareness of the role and activity of Satan.”

—Redemption—Accomplished and Applied, 50.
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(12-35) Fact: That the Dead Will Rise

• 12-19 If Christ Is Not Risen—Implications for Christian Faith

• 20-28 Christ Is Risen—Implications

• 29-35 If Christ Is Not Risen—Implications for Christian Behavior

(36-58) Explanation: How the Dead Will Rise