



To Live is Christ, to Die is Gain!

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Text: 1 Peter 1:3-5

Passage Summary: In the face of the growing persecution and suffering that will accompany the return of Christ, it is essential that believers know not only all that they _____ in Christ, but all that they _____ in Christ!

180 Degree Truth #1: See that those who are in Christ have received the glorious _____ of _____ from God! (1:3-5)

Application: Recognize that when it comes to the glorious gift of salvation from God, it is essential that we realize the Divine

- _____ of this _____! (v.3-5)

See that the glorious gift of salvation from God involves...

_____! (v.3)

“For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.”
Romans 6:23

_____! (v.3)

“I tell you the truth, no one can see the kingdom of God unless he is born again.”
John 3:3

_____! (v.3)

“Now faith is being sure of what we hope for and certain of what we do not see.”
Hebrews 11:1

An _____! (v.4)

“He saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit, whom he poured out on us generously through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that, having been justified by his grace, we might become heirs having the hope of eternal life.”

Titus 3:5-7

The 7 R’s that lie at the heart of our inheritance...

_____ from the wrath of God! (1 Thessalonians 1:9-10)

The _____ of the church! (1 Thessalonians 4:13-18)

The _____ from the dead! (1 Thessalonians 4:13-18, John 6:40)

The _____ of our bodies! (1 Thessalonians 4:13-18, 1 Corinthians 15:50-52, Philippians 3:20-21)

The _____ of Christ! (1 Thessalonians 5:1-3)

The _____ and _____ of Christ! (Revelation 20:4-6, 21:1-5)

“Having believed, you were marked in him with a seal, the promised Holy Spirit, who is a deposit guaranteeing our inheritance until the redemption of those who are God’s possession—to the praise of his glory.”

Ephesians 1:13-14

_____! (v.5)

Remember: When it comes to the glorious gift of salvation from God, you truly are _____ beyond any earthly _____; or as Paul put it to the Corinthians, “For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, so that you through his poverty might become rich.” (2 Corinthians 8:9)

Core Conviction to Live By: Resolutely determine that through your knowledge of the salvation you have received from God that you will live with boldness as a part of an _____ force that understands the power of Philippians 1:21, that “To live is Christ and to die is _____”!