

Video Sermon Notes: March 29th 2020

Easter Reflections: Resurrection

Philippians 3:17-21 + Hebrews 11:13-16

"When He shall come with trumpet sound Oh, may I then in Him be found Dressed in His righteousness alone Faultless to stand before the throne"

1. How do you think the <u>"Hope of Resurrection"</u> was different for those who lived in Old Testament times as compared to the New?

READ: Romans 8:22-25

What circumstance or situation for you in life right now causes you to look with "hope" to the resurrection? *Example: illness, lost loved ones, etc...*

2. The recreation of our physical bodies at the resurrection will be in-line with the work of the Spirit. Why is it important that we live and behave differently now (in conformity with God's <u>"Promise of Resurrection"</u>)? READ: 1 John 3:2

How would the hope of seeing Jesus in the flesh be superior to the hope of having *only* a renewed physical body *without* seeing Jesus? Does a longing for Jesus make any difference?

3. The <u>"Fact of Jesus' Resurrection"</u> is the foundation of our Faith. READ: 1 Corinthians 15:3-8

What does this passage teach us about the historicity of the resurrection? The resurrection of Jesus is mentioned in all of Peter's sermons: Acts 2:24; 3:15; 4:10; 5:30; 10:40. Why do you think Jesus' resurrection is an important element in sharing the gospel message?

Take a minute to allow your spirit to embrace the hope and promise of resurrection, and ask God to help focus your heart on the excitement of seeing Jesus in the flesh and sharing that excitement with others.