

Our Resurrection Proves Christ's Resurrection and Assures Gospel Hope

1 Corinthians 15:1-28

First Things First

A Falsifiable Ground for Gospel Hope

Paul's Logic of the Interdependence of Our Resurrection and Christ's

Wednesday Discussion

1 Corinthians 15:1-28, Philippians 3:17-21

1. What is your idea of a perfect life?
2. Why don't you have your perfect life now? Or do you?
3. Do you think eternity is an idea that holds immense boredom?
4. In 1 Corinthians 15, what is the issue that prompted this strong rebuke and corrective teaching? (v 12)
5. Why do you think Paul waited until nearly the end of his letter to address the issue of resurrection, after having already labored over so many pages of instruction to the church?
6. Comparing v 2 with v 14, what is it that would make faith worthless?
7. From verse 13, what would be the proof that Christ was not raised? How is this a proof?
8. From verses 6, 18, and 20 what does "fallen asleep" mean? What are the implications of sleep vs perishing?
9. If our resurrection is a reuniting of the eternal soul with a glorified body – like Christ's body (Philippians 3:21), then what is death and perishing?
10. Does God have the power to defeat death?
11. Where did death come from? Has death been defeated?
12. How does an expectation of resurrection affect the way you live?