

** (Note: All Bible Quotes Are Taken From The Original King James Version)

Subject: From Time To Eternity:

There are so few people who have learned that this present world is not their permanent home. Many people have not come to the realization that they are not going to be in this world much longer. The people of this world today are making plans and preparations for their lives as if they are going to be here forever. The clock, the calendar, and your birth certificate will remind you that your stay in this world is slowly, but surely coming to an end.

Your friends, relatives and associates of your former generation will also remind you that your exit from this world is certain. Eternity has more authority than time, because eternity will be implemented by God. Time is a temporary form of existence that God will allow to give us a chance to choose where we would like to spend eternity. Time permits a corruptible life, whereas eternity will permit an incorruptible or permanent life.

Subject: The Pleasure Of God Is That We Live Forever:

God brought us into the world for a purpose. God did not bring us into existence to die, and exist no more. The resurrection was planned by God for everybody to live again. God gets no pleasure out of people when they die, that is why He arranged the resurrection. Listen to St. Luke 12:32:

Verse 32 - *Fear not, little flock; for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom.*

That does not sound like a God who will get pleasure out of people dying. God gets pleasure out of giving us eternal life in his kingdom; this is why He is preparing the resurrection for the saved people. Those who are not going to be a part of the first resurrection have chosen not to accept God's offer to live in His kingdom.

Adam caused us to die, but God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son to save mankind, so that though we die, we can live again. When you are born again, it means that you have received the gift of eternal life to live in God's kingdom forever.

Subject: The Prophecy Of Daniel: (Daniel 12:1):

Daniel prophesied that there will be a time of trouble near the end of this world that has never been since the world existed. As we observed the conditions of the world today, we can see indications that Daniel's prophecy is coming to pass. Daniel is also prophesying that those who are saved shall be delivered right before the end. Such people will be born again having their names written in the book of life. Listen to Daniel 12:1:

Verse 1 - And at that time shall Michael stand up, the great prince which standeth for the children of thy people: and there shall be a time of trouble, such as never was since there was a nation even to that same time: and at that time thy people shall be delivered, every one that shall be found written in the book.

There are two books kept in the kingdom of heaven. One contains the names of those who are saved and their works. The other contains the names of the unsaved and their works. The book of life, which has the names of those who are saved, God revealed to Daniel that they will be delivered and given shelter from the storm when the world begins to experience the destruction.

Subject: A Prayer Request:

God sent Jesus into the world that He might bring the knowledge to man who was lost because he did not understand that only righteousness exalts a people or an individual. At the completion of Jesus' ministry on earth, He prayed to His Father using these words found in St John 17:24 in closing his prayer:

Verse 24 - *Father I will that they also, whom thou hast given me, be with me where I am; that they may behold my glory, which thou hast given me...*

Jesus is requesting of God that He desires for those that believe in Him that God has given Him to be with Him in heaven, and that God will allow Him to come back to the earth for those who believe in Him. Jesus had fulfilled His mission and He had planned to come back one day for those who believe in Him. Though some may be resting in the grave and others are living, Jesus is praying that God will make Him able to come back for them.