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## I Corinthians 15 : 32

“Let us eat and drink, for tomorrow we die!”

What would cause Paul to say such a thing?

I Corinthians 15 : 1 – 5, 11 – 14

Did Christ rise?

If yes – we will rise.

If no – there is no resurrection.

## Isaiah 22 : 13

What is the attitude of the people when God afflicted them with pains?

"Let us eat and drink, for tomorrow we die!"

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What has God called for today?

Matthew 5 : 4

“Blessed are they that mourn...”

James 4 : 9

“Lament and mourn...Let your laughter be turned to mourning...”

‘pentheo’ – to mourn, grieve

And yet what is the attitude of man today?

Did Jesus raise from the dead?

Yes – But what does this mean for us?

James 4 : 10

I Corinthians 15 : 34, 57 – 58

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II Kings 20 : 1 (Isaiah 38 : 1)

“Set your house in order, for you shall die, and not live.”

‘tsavah’ (h) – to constitute, enjoin; to command, charge, give orders, lay charge, give charge to, order

If God were to tell you this today, what ‘house’ would you be worried about?

Will, Life Insurance, Bills (mortgage, car payments, etc.), Money

I want you to think of your spiritual house.

What would it take for you to get it in “order”?

Baptism, Repentance, Forgiveness

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## II Corinthians 5 : 1 – 5

This earthly house, this tent, will one day be destroyed

There a house not made with hands and it is eternal

We have been given a guarantee

John 11 : 23 – 26

“I am the resurrection and the life...”

## II Peter 3 :10

## Revelation 3 : 11; 22 : 7

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“...for tomorrow we die!”

Be ready always!

II Peter 3 :10

“...the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night...”

Matthew : 24 : 42 – 44

“...you do not know what hour your Lord is coming.”

Matthew 25 : 13

“...you know neither the day nor the hour...”

There will be no time when He does come.

Revelation 3 : 11; 22 : 7

“Behold, I am coming quickly!...”

“in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye...” I Cor. 15 : 52

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If tomorrow we die, what is our mindset for today?

Hebrews 11 : 13

“...strangers and pilgrims on the earth.”

I Peter 1 : 1; 2 : 11

“...pilgrims...”

‘parepidemos’ – an alien alongside, that is, a resident foreigner; in the NT metaphorically in reference to heaven as the native country, one who sojourns on earth

“...sojourners...”

‘paroikos’ – having a home near, that is, (as a noun) a by-dweller (alien resident); in the NT, a stranger, a foreigner, one who lives in a place without the right of citizenship

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If tomorrow we die, what is today?

II Corinthians 6 : 2

Today is the “...accepted time...the day of salvation.”

Acts 22 : 16

“...why are your waiting?...” (tarriest – KJV)

‘mello’ - to intend, that is, be about to be, do, or suffer something; to be on the point of doing or suffering something

“When will I die?”

I do not know, but I would make the same suggestion God did to Hezekiah – “Set your house in order.”