

AFTERLIFE

WHAT COMES NEXT?

READ

1 Corinthians 15: 12-28

DISCUSSION

1. Why does Paul say he is writing chapter 15 in 1 Corinthians? (vs. 1-2) Why is this important? (vs. 2)
2. What is the gospel Paul is speaking of in vs. 1-2? (vs. 3-7) Why does he say it is of first importance? (vs. 3)
3. If there is no resurrection of the dead for us what does that mean about Christ's resurrection? (vs. 13) What does that mean about the gospels? (vs. 15) What does that mean about you? (vs. 14; 17, 19)
4. Do you believe that if Christ did not resurrect that we are to be pitied above all people? (vs. 19) Why or why not?
5. If there is no resurrection, how does Paul tell us to live? (vs. 32) How do you see this in the world today?
6. How does Paul describe the resurrected body? (vs. 42-49) How does that differ from our earthly body?
7. When can we challenge death as it says in vs. 55? (vs. 54)
8. How does Paul want us to respond to the resurrection? (vs. 58)

APPLICATION

What does Paul want us to understand about the resurrection and how does he want us to live in light of it?

