

The Easter to Come

The Consequences of Believing in the Resurrection

1 Corinthians 15:20-28

#1. We will share in His resurrection – vs. 20-22 *“But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep. ²¹ For as by a man came death, by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die, so also in Christ shall all be made alive.”*

Other verses used: Leviticus 23:6-11; 2 Corinthians 5:7-8; Philippians 1:23-24
Romans 5:12, 17, 18; Psalm 58:3

#2. We will share in His return – vs. 23 *“But each in his own order: Christ the firstfruits, then at his coming those who belong to Christ.”*

Other verses used: 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

#3. We will share in His reign – vs. 24-28 *“Then comes the end, when he delivers the kingdom to God the Father after destroying every rule and every authority and power. For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet.”*

Other verses used: Philippians 2:9-11; Revelation 20:1-6

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Three things this should do:

#1 – Strengthen our faith in Christ ...

#2 – Secure our hope in Christ ...

#3 – Stir our affections for Christ ...