

# PREACHING CURRICULUM



**SERMON TITLE:** The Victory of Eternal Life

**SCRIPTURE:** 1 Corinthians 15:35-58

*'...there is a solution to our sin problem, our death problem...but death has to happen in the fallen order, in order for new life to come...and He has made us of inestimable worth, made in the very image of God...'*

## 1 REVIEW THE SERMON

How are you living out the hope of resurrection life and a new body beyond merely intellectual assent?

What is meant in the idea that in our resurrection the old will go and the new will come? What is the point of the agricultural analogy here vs. 36-38?

What is the point and teaching of this second analogy of kinds vs. 39-41?

## 2 ASSESS YOUR LIFE

How does resurrection hope allow you to process through the fears and brokenness of this life?

How does your eventual resurrection allow you to put aside fear of death in this life? Are you living like this right now?

How has your life been affected, and practically day by day changed, by the doctrine of the resurrection (our bodily resurrection, not just Christ's)?

## 3 APPLY THE TRUTH

Why do we recognize that the "spiritual body" of vs. 44 is not immaterial? What is the true contrast we are being taught here between a "natural" and a "spiritual" body?

How are we both of the "dust", and from "heaven" vs. 48?

What is the foundation of all the contrasts of vs. 42-44?

What does resurrection hope really look like?

## 4 COMMIT THIS WEEK

How do we live the way of eternal life now, knowing the ultimate resurrection is yet to come (vs. 51-55)?