

I Will Dwell in the House of the Lord Forever

Living in the Goodness of God – Part 5

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Psalm 23:6 (NKJV - Emphasis added) - "Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; AND I will dwell in the house of the Lord FOREVER."

What is Heaven like?

Ephesians 2:4-7 – "But God, who is rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us, ⁵even when we were dead in trespasses, made us alive together with Christ (by grace you have been saved), ⁶and raised us up together, and made us sit together in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, ⁷that in the ages to come He might show the exceeding riches of His grace in His kindness toward us in Christ Jesus."

There is no EXPIRATION DATE associated with God's goodness!

A. Heaven is a _____ place.

John 14:2-3 (NASB) – "In My Father's house are many rooms; if that were not so, I would have told you, because I am going there to prepare a place for you. ³And if I go and prepare a place for you, I am coming again and will take you to Myself, so that where I am, there you also will be."

B. Heaven is a _____ place.

II Corinthians 5:1 – "For we know that if the earthly tent we live in is destroyed, we have a building from God, an **eternal house** in heaven, not built by human hands."

Revelation 22:3-5

C. Heaven is an _____ place.

Revelation 21:27 – "Nothing evil will be allowed to enter, nor anyone who practices shameful idolatry and dishonesty—but only those whose names are written in the Lamb's Book of Life."

Luke 10:20 (NASB -Emphasis added) - "Nevertheless, do not rejoice in this, that the spirits are subject to you, but rejoice that your names are RECORDED IN HEAVEN."

How is heaven different from earth?

I Corinthians 2:9 (NKJV) – “Eye has not seen, nor ear heard, nor have entered into the heart of man the things which God has prepared for those who love Him.”

What will we do in heaven?

1. We will be _____ with our loved ones.

I Thessalonians 4:16-17 - “For the Lord himself will come down from heaven, with a loud command, with the voice of the archangel and with the trumpet call of God, and the dead in Christ will rise first. 17 After that, we who are still alive and are left will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And so we will be with the Lord forever.”

2. We will participate in the mother of all _____ .

Revelation 2:10b - “Be faithful unto death, and I will give you the crown of life.”