

GRACE FOR DYING

1. Grace for dying, Job 5:17-27.
 - A. GRACE removes fear of death. Psalm 23:4, "Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me."
 - B. GRACE depends on who and what God is. Psalm 116:15, "Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints."
 - C. GRACE provision of deliverance in extreme difficulty. Job 5:17-21a, "Behold happy is the man whom God correcteth: therefore despise not thou the chastening of the Almighty: For He maketh sore, and bindeth up: He woundeth, and His hands make whole. He shall deliver thee in six troubles: yea, in seven there shall no evil touch thee. In famine He shall redeem thee from death: and in war from the power of the sword. Thou shalt be hid from the scourge of the tongue."
 - D. GRACE in dying gives comfort to those left behind. Job 5:21b-24, "Neither shalt thou be afraid of destruction when it cometh. At destruction and famine thou shalt laugh: neither shalt thou be afraid of the beasts of the earth. For thou shalt be in league with the stones of the field: and the beasts of the field shall be at peace with thee. For thou shalt know that thy tabernacle shall be in peace; and thou shalt visit thy habitation, and shalt not sin."
 - E. GRACE in dying gives comfort to those left behind. Job 5:25, "Thou shalt know also that thy seed shall be great, and thine offspring as the grass of the Earth."
 - F. God takes the believer at the right time, that is GRACE. Job 5:26, 27, "Thou shalt come to thy grave in a full age, like as a shock of corn cometh in in his season. Lo this, we have searched it, so it is; hear it, and know thou it for thy good."

2. The believer at death:
 - A. No judgment in eternity. Romans 8:1, "There is therefore now no condemnation to them which are in Christ Jesus, who walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit."
 - B. No sin nature in eternity. 1 Corinthians 3:11-16.
 - C. Face to face with the Lord in eternity. 2 Corinthians 5:1-8.
 - D. All sorrow removed in eternity. Revelation 21:4, "And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away."
 - E. We have an inheritance in eternity. 1 Peter 1:4, 5, "To an inheritance incorruptible, and undefiled, and that fadeth not away, reserved in heaven for you, Who are kept by the power of God through faith unto salvation ready to be revealed in the last time."
 - F. Death means an eternal home. John 14:1-3, "Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in Me. In My Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto Myself; that where I am, there ye may be also."
 - G. Death means a fuller realization of eternal life. 2 Corinthians 4:18, "While we look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen: for the things which are seen are temporal; but the things which are not seen are eternal."

WHO IS AFRAID TO GO HOME?

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