

DAY 22

Revelation 21:4

“He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away.” Revelation 21:4

Oh the tremendous hope that jumps off the page for the child of God as they read this precious promise. The day that our salvation in Christ is fully and finally realized! Through the finished work of Jesus Christ on the cross and because of the empty tomb we have already been justified (made right with God) the moment we trust Jesus alone to save us. At that very moment His Holy Spirit, dwelling in us, begins the work of sanctification in our lives (making us more like Christ). Then one day (what a day that will be) when Christ calls us home in death or when He returns and we meet Him in the air we will be glorified with Him. Glorification is the promise and hope of this passage. The tears, death, mourning, crying, and pain that are the result of mankind’s fall in Genesis 3 will be no more. Jesus will reverse the curse! Christ will make all things new!! A follower of Jesus who expects to walk through this life and not experience the effects of sin will be sorely disappointed (John 16:33). The message of the gospel is not to put your hope in this world, but rather to put your hope in Christ. The SURE hope for the believer in Christ is that there is coming a day when we will be glorified in the presence of our Savior for all of eternity! Rejoice today in the confidence that you have been justified, are being sanctified, and will one day be glorified! Hallelujah!!

How can you apply this passage to your life? Write your reflections in the space below.

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