

Colossians 3:1-4

Things Above

Those who have been resurrected with Christ have life in _____ realities, and so it's best to keep our _____ on those truths. (3:1)

What are one or two areas of your life that you may need to shift your focus upwards?

When _____ data suggests something different than _____ truths, our thinking should conform to the _____ things found in Christ. (3:2-3)

In what ways might you be tempted to buy into what your experience tells you is true over what Christ tells us is true?

In the end, all of these _____ truths about us will become _____ truths. (3:4)

What are the things you are most excited to see revealed about yourself when we see Christ?

Many of the things that Jesus has done for us and in us are unseen realities that we have to be told in order to understand. Just because they are unseen does not make them somehow less true but even more true because the seen is passing away, but these truths are eternal and unshakeable.

We can choose to spend our lives focused only on temporal things, but we will miss out on all of the best that God has for us. It is far better to look up, fixing our minds on the eternal, as we await the day when all that is unseen will be seen. In the meantime, our faith in and focus on the unseen truths that Christ has revealed will have ripple effects that will transform our here and now.