

Come Alive Perishable

Went to dump...Outside fridge

Perishable – Likely to decay or go bad quickly

People are Perishable

The Walking Dead

- Virus
- Rotting Corpses
- Dead
- The living people walk around...running around trying to not be eaten or infected by the walking dead.

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- **John 3:16** – NKJV – **Not God's Will**
¹⁶ For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not **perish** but have everlasting life.

PERISH – APOLLOMEE

- **To Destroy Fully, Die, Lose**

- Able to Perish...able to be destroyed, Able to Die, Able to Lose
- **Incorruptible** – Not subject to rot, decay or death; Everlasting

Not will that any should PERISH

- **2 Peter 3:9** – NKJV – **Imperishable/Repentance**

⁹ The Lord is not slack concerning *His* promise, as some count slackness, but is longsuffering toward us, not willing that any should perish but that all should come to repentance.

- **Matthew 8:23-26** – NKJV – **Save Us We Perish**

²³ Now when He got into a boat, His disciples followed Him. ²⁴ And suddenly a great tempest arose on the sea, so that the boat was covered with the waves. But He was asleep. ²⁵ Then His disciples came to *Him* and awoke Him, saying, “**Lord, save us! We are perishing!**”²⁶ But He said to them, “Why are you fearful, O you of little faith?” Then He arose and rebuked the winds and the sea, and there was a great calm.

We all are Perishing...Jesus is Life
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- **Luke 13:1-5** – NKJV – **Repent or Perish**

13 There were present at that season some who told Him about the Galileans whose blood Pilate had mingled with their sacrifices. ² And Jesus answered and said to them, “Do you suppose that these Galileans were worse sinners than all *other* Galileans, because they suffered such things? ³ I tell you, no; but unless you **repent you will all likewise perish**. ⁴ Or those eighteen on whom the tower in Siloam fell and killed them, do you think that they were worse sinners than all *other* men who dwelt in Jerusalem? ⁵ I tell you, no; but unless you repent you will all likewise perish.”

Prodigal Son – Repent

- Was starving...lost everything. “How many people in my Father’s house have bread enough to spare, yet I am **perishing** with hunger...I will arise and go to my Father and tell him I have sinned before you and before Heaven...I am not worthy!”

When we Repent...we are Forgiven!

1 John 1:9 – NIV – **After Repentance-Forgiveness**

⁹ If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.

- Forgiven
- Joined
- Raised
- Alive

Jews Challenge Jesus to tell them plainly if He is the Christ

- **John 10:22-30** – NKJV – **Eternal Life**

²² Now it was the Feast of Dedication in Jerusalem, and it was winter. ²³ And Jesus walked in the temple, in Solomon's porch. ²⁴ Then the Jews surrounded Him and said to Him, "How long do You keep us in doubt? If You are the Christ, tell us plainly." ²⁵ Jesus answered them, "I told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in My Father's name, they bear witness of Me. ²⁶ But you do not believe, because you are not of My sheep, as I said to you. ²⁷ My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me. ²⁸ And I give them eternal life, and they shall never **perish**; neither shall anyone snatch them out of My hand. ²⁹ My Father,

who has given *them* to Me, is greater than all; and no one is able to snatch *them* out of My Father's hand. ³⁰ I and My Father are one."

Incorruptible God

Romans 1:22-23 – NKJV – **God is Incurrptible**

²² Professing to be wise, they became fools, ²³ and changed the glory of the **incorruptible** God into an image made like **corruptible** (fthar-tos: decayed or perishable) man—and birds and four-footed animals and creeping things.

- He wears an incorruptible crown

1 Peter 1:3-10,13 – NKJV – **Salvation is**

Incorruptible

³ Blessed *be* the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who according to His abundant mercy has begotten us again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, ⁴ to an inheritance incorruptible and undefiled and that does not fade away, reserved in heaven for you, ⁵ who are kept by the power of God through faith for salvation ready to be revealed in the last time.

⁶ In this you greatly rejoice, though now for a little while, if need be, you have been grieved by various trials, ⁷ that the genuineness of your faith, *being* much

more precious than gold that perishes, though it is tested by fire, may be found to praise, honor, and glory at the revelation of Jesus Christ, ⁸ whom having not seen you love. Though now you do not see *Him*, yet believing, you rejoice with joy inexpressible and full of glory, ⁹ receiving the end of your faith—the salvation of *your* souls.

¹⁰ Of this salvation the prophets have inquired and searched carefully, who prophesied of the grace *that would come* to you,

¹³ Therefore gird up the loins of your mind, be sober, and rest *your* hope fully upon the grace that is to be brought to you at the revelation of Jesus Christ;

If there is no resurrection of the dead then Christ is died in vain

But a body...(corruptible body) Made like corruptible man

Half Dead – Alive on the Outside...Dead on the Inside...Come Alive

- What is on the Outside is temporary
 - Flesh and Blood will not inherit everlasting life
 - Spirit, Body, Soul

- Things you don't see...can't explain why you don't feel alive...everything looks good
- Suicide