

What If There Is No Resurrection?

1 Corinthians 15:12-34

- Christ has not been raised (12-13, 16)
- 2) The gospel is no gospel (14)
- Our faith is in vain (14)
- 4) Our heroes are liars and so are we (15-16)
- We are still lost in our sins (17)
- Those who died are lost (18)
- We are pitiful indeed (19)
- 8) No sequence of resurrection (20-28)
- 9) No finality to God's plan (24-28)
 - a) Satanic rule/authority will linger, as will death
 - b) Son won't deliver the kingdom to the Father
 - c) God will never be "all in all"
- 10) Baptism means nothing (v. 29)
 - a) Why give money, do good deeds, baptize children?
 - b) Why suffer at all by serving God? (30-32a)
 - c) Why not eat, drink, & be merry? (32b)
- 11) Application
 - a) False teachers et al. corrupt good people (33)
 - b) Become sober-minded; think clearly (34a)
 - c) Stop sinning (34b)