

SERMON OUTLINE & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS  
DECEMBER 18, 2022

**THE BELIEVER'S CONFIDENCE FOR LIFE AFTER DEATH**  
**2 CORINTHIANS 5:1-8**

**MAIN THOUGHT & OUTLINE**

Christian, God's provision of eternal life in heaven after death means you can approach your death with a confident desire.

- I. God Provides Your Heavenly Home (v.1-5)
- II. You Can Confidently Desire Your Heavenly Home (v.6-8)

**QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION & DISCUSSION**

1. Do you think about your own death? Does it fill you with dread or desire? What does this passage teach you about how you should improve your meditation on this subject?
2. How can you use this passage to help a fellow believer who lives in fear of death? How can you use this passage evangelistically?
3. How would you respond to someone who says Paul is teaching us to find a way to end our life as soon as possible after we come to faith? Why is this a disturbing distortion of Paul's teaching? What other Scriptures would you point to?
4. Boys & girls – what is your hope for life after death? Why should you think about this question, even being as young as you are?

**FURTHER READING:** John 14:2-3; Rom 14:18; 2 Cor 4:16; Eph 1:13-14; Phil 1:21; Heb 11:13-14