

BIG WORDS IN THE BIBLE

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#3 = GLORIFICATION

Romans 8:29-30

WHAT IS GLORIFICATION?

- *Justification* = Our legal standing with God has changed. We are declared righteous, because of Jesus' righteousness on our account. (We are saved from the _____ of sin.)
- *Sanctification* = Past/Present/Future = We are currently being progressively sanctified, or made holy, to be more like Jesus here on Earth. (We are saved from the _____ of sin.)
- *Glorification* = Glorification is an instantaneous transformation to a body without sin. (We are saved from the _____ of sin.) This is the complete removal of sin from our lives.
- **1 Corinthians 15:41-44, 52-53**
- We are no longer going to be mortal, but _____ with direct access to God's presence.
- This is the ultimate goal of the Lord. He justified us so that He could glorify us.

WHEN ARE WE GLORIFIED? (Philippians 3:20-21; 1 John 3:2)

- This is a _____ event in Heaven.
- If we are glorified when Christ returns, what about those who have already gone to Heaven?
 - Those saved who are already passed are in the presence of Jesus. (2 Corinthians 5:8)
 - Their bodies are still here because they have not been _____.
 - 1 Thessalonians 4:16-17 tells us that at the Rapture, the dead in Christ will rise first. Then, those who are alive at His coming will go to Heaven.
 - 1 Corinthians 15:51-54 tell us that we will be raised incorruptible and changed in the twinkling of an eye. We will all be resurrected and glorified together when Christ returns.
- Justification is complete, but _____. Sanctification is incomplete, but visible. Glorification will be visible and complete.

WHAT DOES GLORIFICATION DO FOR US NOW?

1. It _____ us for trials. (Romans 8:18; 2 Corinthians 4:17)
 - a. Realizing that all of these trials will pass strengthens us to keep going now.
 - b. How does that help us? Because you know something that you didn't know before. Knowing the _____ helps you get through this life with joy.
2. It _____ us to purity.
 - a. 1 John 3:3, "And every man that hath this hope in him purifieth himself, even as He is pure."
 - b. Since we are the children of God, we should be preparing for that life now.
 - c. God is pure; let us be pure. God is holy; let us be holy.
 - d. Knowing the love God has given us, knowing Who He is, and knowing who we are should be all the motivation we need to purify our lives of sin.
3. It _____ our victory. (1 Corinthians 15:57-58; Philippians 3:21)
 - a. We are sinners, but this flesh will one day be gone.
 - b. Once we have the new body, we will battle sin no more!

Are you justified, sanctified, and waiting to be glorified?

Are you purifying yourself?

_____ your heart by remembering that you have the victory!