

GLORIFIED IN CHRIST

1 Corinthians 15:20-23, 44b-49 // July 26, 2026 PM

Future glorification is the culminating completion of our salvation through union with Christ.

I. We will share in the glory of Christ's *life* (vv. 20-23).

II. We will share in the glory of Christ's *likeness* (vv. 44b-49).

QUESTIONS FOR FAMILY WORSHIP

1. What does it mean for history to be linear (as opposed to cyclical), and why is it important to understand it as such?
2. Are our bodies bad? How does the gospel help us to answer that question?
3. How does Paul use the imagery of a harvest to help us understand the relationship between Christ's resurrection and the resurrection of believers?
4. When will believers be raised from the dead, and what will their bodies be like?
5. What is glorification, and how is it related to union with Christ?
6. What is hope, and what role ought it to play in the Christian life?

QUESTIONS FOR PRIVATE REFLECTION

1. What does Paul teach in this passage about bodily resurrection, and what difference does it make for how I live now?
2. How does glorification relate to the other saving blessings experienced in Christ like justification, adoption, and sanctification?
3. How often do I meditate on the glory to come? Is it, in the language of John Owen, "the object of a vigorous, active hope"?