



Moving on up!
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2 Corinthians 5:1-10
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2 Corinthians 5:1 For we know that if the tent that is our earthly home is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens. [2] For in this tent we groan, longing to put on our heavenly dwelling, [3] if indeed by putting it on we may not be found naked. [4] For while we are still in this tent, we groan, being burdened—not that we would be unclothed, but that we would be further clothed, so that what is mortal may be swallowed up by life. [5] He who has prepared us for this very thing is God, who has given us the Spirit as a guarantee. [6] So we are always of good courage. We know that while we are at home in the body we are away from the Lord, [7] for we walk by faith, not by sight. [8] Yes, we are of good courage, and we would rather be away from the body and at home with the Lord. [9] So whether we are at home or away, we make it our aim to please him. [10] For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each one may receive what is due for what he has done in the body, whether good or evil.

Application Questions

1 How can we groan without grumbling (v.2-4)?

2 How can we remain 'heavenly minded' and still be of 'earthly good' (v.6-8)?

3 Discuss the imagery of 'aiming' and what it practically looks like to 'please him'?

Sermon Outline

Embracing the reality of a future resurrection life will encourage us to live for Christ in the present.

- From a tent (temporary) to a building (permanent) (1-5)
- Living courageously by faith (6-8)
- Aiming to please Him (9-10)

Upcoming Events & Opportunities

» **Kansans For Life—Life Chain:** Will be held again this year on Sunday, October 5th at 1:30 PM. Redeemer's location is on the south side of 95th between Beverly and Horton. Consider participating in this event by being part of the seven mile long Life Chain. For more information and sign-up sheets go to the Pro-Life table in the book table hallway