

You Don't Have to Wait for Hope!

1 Peter 1:3-9

To be human is to _____.

But hope is only as good as its _____.

Only God offers a truly _____ hope.

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead ... (1 Peter 1:3)

Our hope has the _____ and _____ of roots.

It is grounded in the _____ goodness and grace of our _____! It is as _____ as God Himself!

We have been _____ by the Father, _____ by the Spirit, and _____ by the blood of the Son, Jesus Christ! (1 Peter 1:1-2)

God will _____ what he _____!

Our hope is a _____.

The reason our hope is living is because our _____ is living!

Without the _____ of Jesus, there is no hope for anyone ever! (1 Cor 15:14-19)

But because of Christ's _____ and resurrection, we can be _____ to a living hope!

All the _____ of the resurrection of Jesus are directly _____ to us who believe! (John 11:25-26, Romans 4:25; 8:11; 8:33-34, 1 Corinthians 15:20-23)

Our hope carries an immeasurable _____.

We can know _____, _____ and thru _____ that reward will come!

It is our _____ in Christ – a _____ of _____, not a _____ for _____.

It is based on our _____ with our Heavenly Father!

It is held _____ by the One who holds us. It is as _____ as we are! (John 10:28)

God keeps _____ for us, and He keeps _____ for it!

Our hope will be fully _____ in the future, but it can be truly _____ in the present.

In the *future*, we will praise, honor, and glorify God for our salvation finally and fully fulfilled.

In the *present* ...

We can have _____ because we know our lives are _____ by God!

We can have _____ as we are learning to _____ in Him and His faithfulness even as we _____ difficulty.

We can have _____ that is not a response to our _____ but is something we cannot _____. (It comes from a different *source*.)

We can have _____ because we know our pains are never _____ but _____ us for forever.

We can enjoy the _____ of God and _____ Him in return because we have been made to _____ Him.

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