

Swallowed By Life

## John 8

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# Colossians 1

*(27) Christ in you the hope of glory.*

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...nothing has really changed in the world just because scientists have told us of one more thing in this world that can produce death. Whether it is cancer, a car accident or Covid 19, or a thousand other possibilities, we are all destined to die. So let us not ever be surprised by that reality but let us always be prepared.

Sorrow? Yes.

Fear? Never.

MILES  
CALDWELL  
JOHNSON  
ROD

NO GUILT IN LIFE  
NO FEAR IN DEATH  
THIS IS THE POWER  
OF CHRIST IN ME.  
...E'S FIRST

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## Joshua 2

*(11) When we heard of it, our hearts melted in fear and everyone's courage failed*

## 2 Corinthians 1

*(8) We do not want you to be uninformed, brothers and sisters, about the troubles we experienced in the province of Asia. We were under great pressure, far beyond our ability to endure, so that we despaired of life itself.*

## 2 Corinthians 1

*(9) Indeed, we felt we had received the sentence of death. But this happened that we might not rely on ourselves but on God, who raises the dead.*

## 2 Corinthians 4

*(11) For we who are alive are always being given over to death for Jesus' sake,*

## 2 Corinthians 5

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to unending strength



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## 1 Corinthians 15

*(42) So will it be with the resurrection of the dead.*

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*(42) The body that is sown is **perishable**, it is raised **imperishable***

## 1 Corinthians 15

*(43) it is sown in **dishonor**, it is raised in **glory***

## 1 Corinthians 15

*(43) it is sown in **weakness**, it is raised in **power***

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*(43) it is sown a **natural** body, it is raised a **spiritual** body*

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## 1 Corinthians 15

*(51) We will not all sleep, but we will all be changed—(52) in a flash, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet.*



## 1 Thessalonians 4

*(14) For we believe that Jesus died and rose again, and so we believe that God will bring with Jesus those who have fallen asleep in him.*

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*(16) For the Lord himself will come down from heaven...with the trumpet call of God, and the dead in Christ will rise first*

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*(16) For the Lord himself will come down from heaven...with the trumpet call of God, and the dead in*

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*(17) After that, we who are still alive and are left will be caught up together with them in the clouds*

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**1 Corinthians 16:22**

*Come Lord.*

*Come Lord = Maranatha*

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*(2) Meanwhile we groan, longing to be clothed instead with our heavenly dwelling,  
(3) because when we are clothed, we will not be found naked.*

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*(4) we groan and are burdened, because we do not wish to be unclothed but to be clothed instead with our heavenly dwelling,*

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We groan for heaven like a prisoner longs for freedom, like a sick man longs for health, like a hungry man longs for food, like a thirsty man longs for a drink, like a poor man longs for a payday, like a soldier longs for peace.

- John Macarthur

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*(4) so that what is mortal may be swallowed up by life.*

## Isaiah 28

*(6) On this mountain the Lord Almighty will prepare a feast of rich food for all peoples, a banquet of aged wine—the best of meats and the finest of wines.*

## Isaiah 25

*(7) On this mountain he will destroy  
the shroud that enfolds all peoples,  
the sheet that covers all nations;*



## Isaiah 25

*(8) he will swallow up death forever.*

## 2 Corinthians 5

*(4) so that what is mortal may be swallowed up by life.*

## Isaiah 25

*(8) The Sovereign Lord will wipe away the tears from all faces; he will remove his people's disgrace from all the earth. The Lord has spoken*

## Revelation 7

*(9) a great multitude that no one could count*

## Revelation 7

*“Praise and glory and wisdom and thanks  
and honor and power and strength be to our  
God for ever and ever. Amen!”*

## Revelation 7

*(14) those who have come out of the great tribulation;*

## Revelation 7

*(14) they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.*

## Revelation 7

*Therefore, they are before the throne of God and serve him day and night in his temple; and he who sits on the throne will shelter them with his presence.*







God will hold you firm.

God will hold you forever.