

Sermon Outline: “Comfort In Dying!”

1 Thessalonians 4.13-18

22/11/20

Elysium

Death / Funerals

The Christian has a certain hope

Built on the death and resurrection of Christ

Built on the promise Jesus will return for them

What happens

To ponder over a cuppa with a friend:

What views are held by people regarding what happens when they die?

What terms do we use to describe death?

What comfort do these verses give us?

Study Questions: "Comfort In Dying!"

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1. What views are held by people regarding what happens when they die?
2. What does Paul not want the Thessalonians to be ignorant of?
3. What does "fall asleep" mean?
4. What terms do we use to describe this?
5. What does the Christian believe regarding death?
6. Why would it be necessary for this to be told to the Thessalonians?
7. What will happen when Jesus returns?
8. How does John 14:1-6 fit into this?
9. What comfort does I Thessalonians 4:13-18 give to the Christian?
10. According to Paul what happens to those who have already died?
11. What are we to make of verses 16 & 17? How are they comforting for the dying?
12. What are we to do with these verses?