

## CHRIST IN YOU THE HOPE OF GLORY-PT-2

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### Colossians 1:26-27-Passion

26 There is a divine mystery—a secret surprise that has been concealed from the world for generations, but now it's being revealed, unfolded, and manifested for every holy believer to experience.

27 Living within you is the Christ who floods you with the expectation of glory! This mystery of Christ, embedded within us, becomes a heavenly treasure chest of hope filled with the riches of glory for his people, and God wants everyone to know it!

### Hebrews 11: 35-38-Passion

35 Faith-filled women saw their dead children raised in resurrection power. Yet it was faith that enabled others to endure great atrocities. They were stretched out on the wheel and tortured and didn't deny their faith in order to be freed, because they longed for a more honorable and glorious resurrection!

36 Others were mocked and experienced the most severe beating with whips; they were in chains and imprisoned.

37 Some of these faith champions were brutally killed by stoning, being sawn in two or slaughtered by the sword. These lived in faith as they went about wearing goatskins and sheepskins for clothing. They lost everything they possessed, they endured great afflictions, and they were cruelly mistreated.

38 They wandered the earth living in the desert wilderness, in caves, on barren mountains and in holes in the earth. Truly, the world was not even worthy of them, not realizing who they were.

39 These were the true heroes, commended for their faith, yet they lived in hope *without receiving the fullness of what was promised them.*

***40 But now God has invited us to live in something better than what they had—faith's fullness! This is so that they could be brought to finished perfection alongside of us.***

### Hebrews 11:13-Passion

13 These heroes all died still clinging to their faith, not even receiving all that had been promised them. But they saw beyond the horizon the fulfillment of their promises and gladly embraced it from afar. They all lived their lives on earth as those who belonged to another realm.

14 For clearly, those who live this way are longing for the appearing of a heavenly city. indicates that God's plan for these OT saints also includes NT Christians who today share in that New Covenant through Christ.

### Hebrews 10: 5-7-Passion

5 So when Jesus the Messiah came into the world he said, "Since your ultimate desire was not another animal sacrifice, you have clothed me with a body that I might offer myself instead!

6 Multiple burnt offerings and sin-offerings cannot satisfy your justice.

7 So I said to you, God—I will be the One to go and do your will, to fulfill all that is written of me in your Word!

### Hebrews 10:14-Passion

...And by His one perfect sacrifice he made us perfectly holy and complete for all time!

### John 14:17-Wuest

17 ...But, as for you, you know Him experientially, because by your side He dwells, and in you He shall be.

18 I will not leave you behind, helpless. I come to you.

19 Yet a little while, and the world no longer sees me, but as for you, you see me. Because I live, also you shall live.

20 In that day you shall know experientially that I am in my Father and you in me and I in you.

**Jesus' message is that the Spirit will guide us into truth, that He will not seek glory for Himself, but always point us to Christ.**

### John 16:8-15-Passion

8 And when he comes, He will expose sin and prove that the world is wrong about God's righteousness and his judgments.

9 "Sin,' because they refuse to believe in who I am.

10 "God's 'righteousness,' because I'm going back to join the Father and you'll see me no longer.

11 "And 'judgment' because the ruler of this dark world has already received his sentence.

12 "There is so much more I would like to say to you, but it's more than you can grasp at this moment.

13 But when the truth-giving Spirit comes, He will unveil the reality of every truth within you. He won't speak his own message, but only what he hears from the Father, and he will reveal prophetically to you what is to come.

14 He will glorify me on the earth, for he will receive from me what is mine and reveal it to you.

15 Everything that belongs to the Father belongs to me—that's why I say that the Divine Encourager will receive what is mine and reveal it to you.

**Sin** - The sin that condemns the soul is unbelief, the rejection of Christ.

**Righteousness** - The Spirit's presence in the world is proof of the righteousness of Christ, who is now returned to the Father.

**Judgement** - Christ is speaking here of the past judgment at the cross. The presence of the Spirit in the world is evidence that Satan has been judged and defeated.

### Colossians 2:9-10-Passion

9 For he is the complete fullness of deity living in human form.

10 And our own completeness is now found in him. We are completely filled with God as Christ's fullness overflows within us. He is the Head of every kingdom and authority in the universe!