

Jesus Christ gives future

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I strive to agree with Jesus Christ in all things, because He loved me and suffered the punishment of my sins. It is possible that I have been mistaken in some matters. However I trust that He will correct me, if I have misunderstood something. I love His reprimand and His comfort because without them I cannot remain in truth. Thus, if there is something wrong in these writings it is the fault of Erkki Kuisma. Jesus deserves the credit for everything that is right.

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Future

A man tells to his friend: I remember when I had to give up my property for the sake of Jesus for 10 000 years ago. I would have been crazy, if I would have held on to my earthly property only for 80 years and lost eternal life. His friend points out: Yes, but it was then so difficult for you to see what really is valuable. The man says: Thanks to God! He opened my eyes, when I saw how Jesus went onto the cross and gave up His earthly life for my sake. Some have found the treasure which never loses its value. They are ready to give up everything to be able to keep their share of it.

A preview of the distant future

A man tells to his friend: "My wife deserted me, when I became a believer. She said to me: 'I will not live with a believer. You must choose me or Jesus'. I said to her: 'I love you, but I love Jesus more. So I choose Jesus.'"

The friend points out: "It would have been crazy to lose eternal life for the sake of some tens of years of happiness."

The man continues: "I lived alone up to the day when my wife died, because Jesus says that 'anyone who marries a divorced one commits adultery'. Sometimes I felt myself lonely, but I do not regret that I was faithful to Jesus. Now I am so happy in this splendour and eternal body that the life in that earthly body seems very unreal."

The friend tells: "When God was calling me it was difficult to me to become a believer, because I was afraid that I must give up my property. I had gained it using many kinds of frauds. When I became a believer I confessed my crimes and lost all my property. I was even in a jail for my frauds." The man points out to his friend: "It would have been stupid to exchange eternal life for money and property. By the way, now it has been already 9000 years since all those were burnt out in the destruction of the old earth."

The friend continues: "Now I have so fine a house here that those earthly properties seem very poor. Really, God is good and so

generous! 10 000 years ago all seemed so different, when we had to live by faith and we could not see what we see now."

Jesus or nothing

Open your eyes and see what there is for you in future. Jesus promises very much for your future. He promises so many good things that everybody wants to own them. Who doesn't want to get forgiveness of his sins? Who could refuse to receive eternal life? Who doesn't want an immortal body? Who would not like to live in the splendour of God's city?

Therefore everybody who has rejected Jesus claims that He is a liar.

It would be really terrible, if Bible's Jesus would be a liar. The most terrible thing would not be that we would then be left without the forgiveness of our sins or that we would be left without eternal life. It would be so terrible because He is so good and perfect.

If the greatest Goodness would lie nothing would exist. Look at nature how well it is planned! Glory to God! He has done all well! Look at Jesus Nazareth as man! There has never been another like Him, and there is not one now and never will be.

Rejecting Jesus

Everybody wants to take the good that Jesus promises, but they would not want to give up anything for His sake. Therefore so many rather bear the judgement of their sins. They are satisfied with enjoyments of their earthly life and close their eyes to eternity. They dream only of the cities built by men and achievements of science.

They are ready to believe in the good things promised by Jesus, if they at the same time can live as godless people do without giving up anything. The majority of Christianity consists of churches with that kind of people. They believe that they can walk on two ways at the same time, but they deceive themselves.. They have not godliness given by God's grace, but only the form of Christianity.

Give up your godless thoughts

"Let the wicked forsake his way and evil man his thoughts. Let him turn to the LORD, and He will have mercy on him, and to our God, for He will freely pardon." Isaiah 55:7 We do not get a share of mercy of the atonement work of Jesus in the water of baptism neither in

the Holy Communion, because it is our heart that needs to turn to Him.

To give up one's dear opinions is the most difficult cession for man.

However it is the crucial thing so that we can be saved. The faith comes from hearing of God's message. If you don't abandon your own thoughts and instead adopt the thoughts of Jesus, you cannot have the faith of Jesus. When you come to the faith the thoughts of your heart are changed acceptable to God and therefore He gives you His grace and the heavenly gifts. All other cessions in your practical life for Jesus' sake are the result of thinking like Jesus.

What must I give up for Jesus' sake?

You may give up your sins. Because Jesus died for your sins you don't want to continue in sin. You are ready to give up everything for Jesus' sake, because you love Him. Because Jesus paid the price for your freedom from the slavery of sin, you submit yourself in all cases to Him with joy.

"Any of you who does not give up everything he has cannot be my disciple." Luke 14:33 This may sound very hard, but actually it is a great relief for us, because we will get something better instead of it. As a matter of fact it is even a good investment, for Jesus promises to repay it to our heavenly account. The things which we are allowed to give up for Jesus' sake are very different for individuals.

"And everyone who has left houses or brothers or sisters or father or mother or children or fields for my sake will receive a hundred times as much and will inherit eternal life. But many who are first will be last, and many who are last will be first." Matth.19:29-30

It is obvious that without the hope of eternal life everybody acts only for the benefit of earthly aims. Take pains to know God through Jesus Christ. Give up everything that is in a conflict with Jesus. Receive with joy everything He gives you. He will make Himself so real to us that we can follow Him. *"Christ Jesus my Lord, for who sake I have lost all things. I consider them rubbish, that I may gain Christ."* Phil.3:8

Principle is the way

Because your choices are crucially affected by your principles, they form your way, in which you will walk. If you persist in the way of your principles you will achieve something. So it is possible to predict something about your future on the grounds of your principles. If you fall into actions against your principles, you feel astray. To be able to change your principles you need some kind of awakening that opens the access to a new way. Bad principles lead to destruction and good ones to life. Jesus is able to wash clean your inner being from your bad principles. You adopt His good principles through your love for Him. He is the gate to purity. He is the way to eternal life.

Principles are the law of the heart

Principles are like a law that is adopted voluntarily. Its content is written to the heart not to the statute-book. Principles are adopted from those who are loved and honoured. The first principles are adopted from the parents. When rebelling against the parents some of the principles are also forsaken for the first time.

Every principle is tested in the pressures of practice. It is a good thing if you stay in the way you selected, when your principle is good. Some try to live without any principles, because they feel that they are not able to follow them.

Seeking a way

Principles are the way written into your heart. You try to walk in it. If the pressure of circumstances makes you act against your principles, you feel astray. Then you either aim back at your way or you seek a new way or you keep on straying outside all roads.

Giving up one's principles is not easy for anyone, whatever is the content of one's principles. Some gate must be entered through so that a conscience could get a new content, which puts life to a new track. The lost one finds again a way which he can walk.

God is calling all stray people: *"Ask for the ancient paths, ask where the good way is, and walk in it, and you will find rest for your souls. But you said, 'We will not walk in it.'"* Jer.6:16 Nowadays many

answer to the previous call. "I will not walk in it, because I don't want to be so old-fashioned." The evolution theory has been deeply adopted by people. Therefore they believe that everything old is somehow primitive and a new one is somehow better, because they consider it more advanced. Woe those, who walk in the way of a chance!

Nobody is as old-fashioned as God, because His way is eternal! Also you could be happy to walk in His way.

Jesus is the gate

Jesus says: *"I am the gate; whoever enters through me will be saved."* John.10:9 and *"Enter through the narrow gate."* Matth.7:13 So He says that He is the narrow gate to the salvation. Why is Jesus the narrow gate to the new life? Therefore, because the gate is measured for a person who has humbled himself. It is too narrow only for a proud one.

To get the acceptance of God is the narrow gate and to get the acceptance of people is the wide gate. The narrowness of the gate comes from the fact, that it is a difficult thing for a sinner to get the favour of God. The death of the Son of God was needed for that purpose. We can get the acceptance of God only through Jesus, because He has paid for our sins. Come close to God through the sacrificial death of Jesus and you will get in His principles! If you cannot accept for yourself the sacrifice of Jesus, the gate is too narrow for you.

When you adopt the principles of the public opinion you go through the wide gate. Then the acceptance of the majority will be the ground of your conscience. A democratic conscience is formed in a polling booth of the wide gate, a pure conscience received by calling on Jesus in a repentance room of the narrow gate.

Jesus is the way

Jesus says: *"Small is the gate and narrow the road that leads to life."* Matth.7:14 *"I am the way and the truth and the life. No-one comes to the Father except through me"* John.14:6

When Jesus speaks about Himself as the way the Jews certainly remembered the word of the Bible, which Moses spoke after he had given the ten commandments: *"So be careful to do what the*

LORD your God has commanded you; do not turn aside to the right or to the left. Walk in all the way that the LORD your God has commanded you." Deut.5:32-33 So the law of God is the way.

When He said, "I am the Way", Jesus moved the authority of God's law to Himself. He replaced the law text of Moses by Himself, His words and His example. Apostle John says about this as follows: *"Whoever claims to live in Him must walk as Jesus did."* 1John.2:6 If you know His mercy and love you follow Him. To follow Him cannot be based on copying His behaviour but adopting His principles. If you love Him you embrace His principles.

Who has entered into God's grace through the gospel, has got the new mind and spirit. A reborn inner being loves God's law. He is not any more under the law, but the law is inside him, *"for in my inner being I delight in God's law."* Rom.7:22 He who is not inside the grace of God doesn't love Jesus and therefore doesn't obey His commands. Jesus says: *"He who does not love me will not obey my teaching."* John.14:24

Walking in the Jesus-Way

To make progress in the Jesus-Way is important but most important is to be in the Way: *"Only let us live up to what we have already attained!"* Phil.3:16 Nobody must think that we could follow Jesus using our own power. What we ourselves can do to stay in the Jesus-Way is the same we did when we came to the faith.

We have to unite ourselves in spirit with Jesus who is revealed by the gospel. If we take care of our attitudes God will take care of our ways. If we have the attitude of Jesus He will give us strength to follow His way.

On the right side of the Jesus-Way there is the religious world of those who live under the law. On the left side there is the godless world of those who live without the law.

Some of the believers have come to the Jesus-Way from the right side of the way, others from its left side. Apostle Paul describes his efforts to win those under the law and those without the law as follows. *"To those under the law I became like one under the law though I myself am not under the law, so as to win those under the*

law. To those not having the law I became like one not having the law though I am not free from God's law but am under Christ's law, so as to win those not having the law." 1Cor.9:20-21

When he preached the gospel to those who lived under the law, he tried to get them hear what the law says, so that they would realise their guilt and would become needy of mercy. When he preached the gospel to those who lived without the law, he tried to get them hear how good Jesus is, so that they would realise the futility of their false gods and would become needy of the connection to the real God. He describes his own walking in the Jesus-Way by saying "I myself am not under the law" and "I am not free from God's law" and "I am under Christ's law".

Jesus is such a narrow Way that it is difficult for an outsider even to notice that it exists. This is true especially when it is looked at from a distance by the side of the Way. On the right side of the Way there is the religious and on the left side the godless world. In other words the people under the law are on the right side and the people without the law are on the left side.

Those who walk in the Jesus-Way are often equally misunderstood by those who are on the right side as those on the left side. Those who are under the law suppose that the believers walking in the Way are free from God's law, because they don't see the Way. They only see the lawlessness which is behind the Way and therefore it seems to be so that those walking in the Way would live in lawlessness. Those who are without the law suppose that the believers walking in the Way are under the law, because also they don't see the Way. They only see the world under the law which is behind the Way and therefore it seems to be so that those walking in the Way would live under the law. This is the reason why those who are walking in the Jesus-Way have to receive insults as well from the right side as from the left side. Some people consider us regulated by law and others consider us unregulated by law.

Staying on the Road

The best way to stay on the narrow road is to look straight ahead at the Road which means looking at Jesus. Glancing around easily leads out of the Road.

If you are frightened by messages of the law you easily fall into the lawlessness. If you are frightened by messages of the lawlessness you easily fall under the law.

A message of the law can also bewitch you so that you turn on purpose to the right. Also a message of the lawlessness can fascinate you so much that you forget the Road and turn to the left.

When you came to the faith you admired Jesus as the crucified Lamb of God and the up risen Lord on God's throne. So that you would be able to walk in the Jesus-Way you also must admire Him as man. As such He is the Way for us, for *"in this world we are like Him."* 1John.4:17

What Jesus experienced when he walked on earth as a human being, encourages us. *"Consider Him who endured such opposition from sinful men, so that you will not grow weary and lose heart."* Heb.12:3
He left *"you an example, that you should follow in His steps."* 1Pet.2:21

There is darkness on the right and on the left but ahead there is the ever brighter and brighter Jesus-Way!

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The well-to-do

Who are well-to-do? Are they not the rich, the wise, the beautiful and the healthy? The have-nots are dreaming of a better life. They are fighting a consuming battle against their hard destiny waiting for lucky strokes and trying with all efforts to replace their bad place in life with the better one. A bad lot in this life easily makes man mock God. A good lot again easily makes man forget his eternal lot. God offers everybody a good lot in Jesus Christ. Do you rather want to be a well-to-do eternally than temporarily? You cannot hold on both.

The have-nots

Many feel that their lot in this life is bad. Therefore they are dreaming of a better position. In their dreams they change for a better appearance and for better talent, for a lovelier spouse and for a more respected profession. Urged by their dreams they often try also in practice to start "a new life", though they actually have only one life. In ecstasy of their dreams they resist eagerly all requests which advise them to resign themselves to their fate.

In practice circumstances of life allow only a limited number of opportunities to choose a better lot. Many things remain only a dream no matter how much we pursue them. Therefore those who are unsatisfied with their life are angry at their hard lot. There is a short way from grumbling over one's lot to hating God, because everybody realises that there are issues, which are in the hand of the Almighty.

A good lot given by God

Most people experience that they are unfortunate in some area of their life. Restless they struggle with their hard lot. Many a man has so concentrated on seeking a worldly good lot that he is not interested in the offer of God. However God would have a very good lot for everybody, if only it would do one. To be a sinner is a bad lot of everybody.

The only way out of this bad lot is to change your lot as a godless person for a child of God in Jesus Christ. After this you can follow the next direction: *"Nevertheless, each one should retain the place*

in life that the Lord assigned to him and to which God has called him." 1Cor.7:17

When man receives Jesus Christ as the Redeemer of his own sins he chooses for himself a good lot. The lot of God's child is much better than the lot of all the well-to-do of this world. Whatever is the lot that God gives His child in this world He takes care of everything what is needed for life.

Although a slave still doing well

A bad lot in this world loses its depressing power, if one has got a good lot in the new world that will come. Therefore Paul could urge even slaves to be satisfied as slaves. *"Were you a slave when you were called? Don't let it trouble you."* 1Cor.7:21

This is not an expression of opinion for slavery, but for a good lot given by Jesus. Some of these slaves made the hearts of their hosts so softened that they gained freedom for themselves and for many others.

Although a confiscated still doing well

Don't worry about your hard lot in this world, but rejoice in the good lot that you have got in Jesus. Even losing one's property is not a hard lot to a person who has the mind of Jesus. *"You sympathised with those in prison and joyfully accepted the confiscation of your property, because you knew that you yourselves had better and lasting possessions."* Heb.10.34

This is not an expression of opinion for robbing, but for the eternal property given by Jesus. Some of these robbed believers made their robbers to change, when these received evidences of a more valuable property which cannot be confiscated.

Although a divorced still doing well

Many have nowadays a hard lot when their spouse deserts them and they are divorced. In this situation many have difficulties to resign themselves to their fate as unmarried. *"To the married I give this command (not I, but the Lord): A wife must not separate from her husband. But if she does, she must remain unmarried or else be reconciled to her husband. And a husband must not divorce his wife."* 1Cor.7:10-11 *"A woman is bound to her husband as long as*

he lives. But if her husband dies, she is free to marry anyone she wishes." 1Cor.7:39

This is not an expression of opinion for loneliness, but for the happiness given by Jesus. Some of these deserted ones have got their spouses back, when their spouse got an evidence of the true love that is faithful till death.

It is natural that people of modern times don't understand the previous teachings, because they think too much about their ability to exchange for a better lot. A divorced one who doesn't want to live as unmarried, rebels against God. God cancels a marriage only through death. A human court cannot cancel an effect of God's word.

Followers of Jesus look often unfortunate though they actually are fortunate.

Fortunate forever

All worldly good things come from God. How we adopt an attitude towards our gifts and our properties tests the character of our spirit. All glory and thanks to God of everything that is good in my life!

If the good things are taken away from us let us say: God gave and He took away, may the name of God be praised! God gave health and He took it away. Thanks to God for it! God gave property and He took it away. Thanks to God for it! God gave a spouse and He took him or her away. Thanks to God for it! How is it possible to have this kind of attitude? By adopting the mind of Jesus you will be an overcomer.

When God takes away a good thing that He has given as, He tests our faith in the resurrection. When we lose something that is important to us, we have an opportunity to realise our faith. God took away my health, but my heart rejoiced in eternal health, which I will have in my new body. That joy helped me to carry calmly my sickness. You see, sickness is only temporal. If He wants He can restore my earthly health, but my joy doesn't depend on it. All glory to God who is the Giver of all good!

Jesus Christ is my lot! Therefore I am fortunate forever.

Homesickness

Your house is not your true home, but your body where your spirit lives. Your current home has been made of mortal material. Notice how wonderfully it has been planned, although it has been made of inferior material! It is easy to believe that the same Designer is able to implement your body of everlasting and undamaged material. Would you not want to move into your new home already?

Where is your home?

Normally the house where we live is called home. Our personal belongings and familiar people who live with us create the nice and safe atmosphere of home. In the Bible also the body where our spirit lives is called home.

Who lives with you in your body house or are you lonely? Does God or an evil spirit live with you? He who lives with you brings his own articles with him.

Many think that getting to Heaven is the most central Christian expectation of future. Actually Jesus gives the resurrection of body for the hope of our future. *"Everyone who looks to the Son and believes in Him shall have eternal life and I will raise him up at the last day."* John.6:40

Physical life is God's will. Therefore He wants to give our body immortality. God doesn't speak to us about life after the death, but He speaks about eternal life. *"Now we know that if the earthly tent we live in is destroyed, we have a building from God, an eternal house in heaven, not built by human hands."* 2Cor.5:1

Paul compares his current body with a tent "built by hands" and his new heavenly body with a building. Homesickness of a believer can be compared with the longing of a person who lives in a tent and is longing for living in a building. Getting a new body is also called adoption as God's sons. *"We groan inwardly as we wait eagerly for our adoption as sons, the redemption of our bodies."* Rom.8:23 If we speak only about getting to Heaven, it doesn't do justice to what God has promised.

A new home to your spirit

At God's place is the home of God's children. Every Jesus-believer is longing for one's new home. *"We know that as long as we are at home in the body we are away from the Lord. We live by faith, not by sight. We are confident, I say, and would prefer to be away from the body and at home with the Lord. So we make it our goal to please Him, whether we are at home in the body or away from it."*

2Cor.5:6-9

In other words Paul says: As long as we live in this body, we are away from our true home, because we live by faith. If we now feel at home in our body, we are away from God and live by sight. In the same way if we feel at home in a church organisation we are away from the Lord. An earthly Church is as mortal as our body. As a body of a believer, so is a congregation a tent temple of God, and not an immovable building.

He who lives in the Spirit of God is longing for the home he doesn't expect to find on the earth. When believers assemble here something of the atmosphere of the heavenly home can be felt, but be careful not to build an immovable building. We are living stones being polished for the future Building of God.

Here we have no enduring Church, it is high up. *"Our citizenship is in heaven. And we eagerly await a Saviour from there, the Lord Jesus Christ, who will transform our lowly bodies so that they will be like His glorious body."* Phil.3:20

Qualities of the new body

It is very important what we do in this body, because it affects in the qualities of our new body. We have to give the parts of our mortal body to God for the service of righteousness. *"You were bought at a price. Therefore honour God with your body."* 1Cor.6:20

We love God and trust in His promises and therefore we work hard to please Him, *"for we must all appear before the judgement seat of Christ, that each one may receive what is due to him for the things done while in the body, whether good or bad."* 2Cor.5:10

The brightness of your new body depends on your deeds in your current body. Do you want to get a better resurrection? Already

about the saints of the Old Testament it is said: *"Others were tortured and refused to be released, so that they might gain a better resurrection."* Heb.11:35 *"Star differs from star in splendour."* 1Cor.15:41 *"Multitudes who sleep in the dust of the earth will awake: some to everlasting life, others to shame and everlasting contempt. Those who are wise will shine like the brightness of the heavens, and those who lead many to righteousness, like the stars for ever and ever."*

Dan.12:2-3

From a mortal to an immortal home

Jesus said that He is going to prepare a heavenly place for us.

"In my Father's house are many rooms; if it were not so, I would have told you. I am going there to prepare a place for you?"

John.14:2 Often we understand that this promise means a house in the heavenly Jerusalem. It can be so, but in any case He is speaking about a new body that He prepared for us when His own body experienced the resurrection.

All believers will get a new body at the same moment on the great day of the resurrection. I believe that it happens at the same moment because all believers form a unity. Together they form the wife of the Lamb. What kind of qualities will your body have? What kind of cells will it be made of?

Nowadays scientists have learned more to understand the functions of stem cells. Those cells are able to transform into any other cells of the body. They are active during the embryonic development, but they can be active also later. They can be used to replace a damaged tissue with a new tissue, even nerve cells. Is not God wonderful! He has created a cell that "knows" into what it must transform itself, when it has been put to the correct place. Would not God then know how an immortal body will be made! Glory to God who planned stem cells!

God is the Master of cells! Is it not easy to believe that He is able to make a body of some other material? *"There are also heavenly bodies and there are earthly bodies; but the splendour of the heavenly bodies is one kind, and the splendour of the earthly bodies is another."* 1Cor.15:40

When Jesus rose up from the dead, His body experienced this process "from a tent to a building". Then came true the following word: *"The perishable must clothe itself with the imperishable, and the mortal with immortality."* 1Cor.15:53

Close is the great day when Jesus' own will experience the same as their Lord. The exciting atmosphere of the great day of removal is already glimmering in my mind. In the twinkling of an eye I will experience the power of God in my body and my cells will be transformed into immortal and my being to the likeness of the place Jesus prepared for me at God's home.

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New world

Creator's new version of the creation will be better than the current one. The old creation is going toward its destruction, but God will make everything new. How would you feel to be in an immortal body or to live in a house that is designed by God? How would you feel to stroke a lion that eats grass or to caress a wolf with your right hand and a lamb with your left hand? How would you feel to walk on the shiny streets of the city that is build by God and to eat the fruit of the tree of life in the perfect gardens, and you would have no need to sleep? You will have these experiences and boundlessly other good things, if you believe in Bible's Jesus.

Waiting in paradise

We know that we as Jesus' own will be in heaven after we die. However it is only a temporary form of existence. There we are waiting for the new body that we will get. When a believer dies his soul goes to Jesus, to the paradise of God. Jesus says: *"Father, I want those you have given me to be with me where I am,..."* John.17:24
Jesus said on the cross to the criminal who humbled himself:
"Today you will be with me in paradise."

New body

When Jesus pronounces His promise about our future, He doesn't stress that we will get to the paradise, but that we will have a new body in the resurrection. *"Everyone who looks to the Son and believes in Him shall have eternal life, and I will raise him up at the last day."* John.6:40

He speaks about rising up from dead, because He speaks about our future from the viewpoint of this world. The dead seem like fallen asleep to us, but to those who live in paradise they are like competitors of a race who finish their race. Cries of joy are heard there and praises to God of one more believer getting a haven.

Also apostle Paul speaks like Jesus when he says: *"We do not want you to be ignorant about those who fall asleep, or to grieve like the rest of men, who have no hope. 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. ..., and the dead in Christ will rise first..."

1Thess.4:13-17

What kind of resurrection?

Jesus is a new Adam. His new body that He got in the resurrection is a prototype of a new man, because it is written: *"But our citizenship is in heaven. And we eagerly await a Saviour from there, the Lord Jesus Christ, who, by the power that enables Him to bring everything under His control, will transform our lowly bodies so that they will be like His glorious body."* Phil.3:20-21

When disciples met Jesus after His resurrection He went through walls though He also ate with them. His body had the same shape, but its quality was much better. In that body He also flew up to the clouds.

"For the perishable has been clothed with the imperishable, and the mortal with immortality." 1Cor.15:53

"We ourselves, who have the firstfruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly as we wait eagerly for our adoption as sons, the redemption of our bodies." Rom.8:23

Resurrection of nature

"The creation waits in eager expectation for the sons of God to be revealed....that the creation itself will be liberated from its bondage to decay and brought into the glorious freedom of the children of God." Rom.8:19,21 Nature movies are not always so nice, because animals kill each other. What now is natural is not inevitably that what God originally planned. The consequences of the Fall concern the whole creation, not only man.

What kind of a new nature?

"The wolf and the lamb will feed together, and the lion will eat straw like the ox, but dust will be the serpent's food. They will neither harm nor destroy on all my holy mountain, says the LORD."

" Isaiah 65:25

God so loved the world that He sent Jesus to save the whole creation. Therefore it is written: *"Preach the good news to all creation."* Mark 16:15

So hear all plants and animals the word of God: "You will be made new, when Jesus comes."

New planet

This planet will have the future of about one thousand years. *"Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and there was no longer any sea."*

Rev.21:1 This will happen after Jesus has ruled on the earth with His own about one thousand years.

It is said about the destiny of the old world: *"But the day of the Lord will come like a thief. The heavens will disappear with a roar; the elements will be destroyed by fire, and the earth and everything in it will be laid bare."* 2Peter.3:10

What kind of the new planet?

Then there will be no more two separate creations, invisible and visible, but they are joined together to one creation. *"He made known to us the mystery of His will,... to bring all things in heaven and on earth together under one head, even Christ."* Eph.1:9-10

On that planet there is no sea. There is one high mountain on which it is build Jerusalem of God. God Himself lives there. The planet doesn't need light of any sun, but God will give them light. It must be bigger planet than the earth, because the city is so high that it cannot stay on this small planet.

The city is designed by God. Its building materials are precious and excellent. Its beauty is brilliant. There is the river of the water of life and the tree of life. Whatever we will do together with God, it will be interesting! The variety of His deeds in the current nature gives us a little foretaste of the richness of His talents.

Jesus Christ died once for you so that you could have the access to the new world. Take care that we will meet in the golden city!

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Perfect is complete

Nothing is complete, if there is a need to make a new and better version of it. A perfect one is complete, because it cannot be done better. Development is needed as long as there is something imperfect. Our world is full of imperfect technology that has polluted nature. Because sinful man cannot make anything perfect this world will never become complete through actions of man. He who Himself is perfect will create a perfect world. He makes it perfect at once. There is no development or evolution in His world, because it is not needed.

God is the perfect Creator

His deeds are appropriate. His design is perfect in beauty. He is the Master in the use of colours. His skill of planning is phenomenal and His power is absolute. The macrocosm and the microcosm are between His thumb and little finger.

He is able to plan a perfect entirety. In the species, created by Him, is seen the perfect harmony of similar and different properties. Everything is created for a certain purpose. Between perfections dwells perfect interaction.

A breath came out of the mouth of God and words full of power and wisdom. And it was so as He said and the earth teemed with living creatures. The DNA-codes of every creature are a part of wise entirety and every planet goes around on the defined track. There are no bugs in His codes, and no chance controls His deeds. Glory to God, to the only wise!

God is the perfect Person

Everything He says will come true. He never takes back His speeches, for His words are perfect. They are complete when they come out of His mouth. He doesn't need to correct His speeches, because His expression is perfect.

He never changes, because He is perfect. His attitudes are unshaken, they don't change. His character is perfectly good. He is perfect in faithfulness and love. His grace creates a perfect fellowship with Him. He is perfect in patience and anger. His judgement is perfect

in justice. He knows and feels everything perfectly. Glory to God, only He is good!

Perfect salvation

When sin came into world God immediately announced the salvation from it. He has a perfect advice for every situation. God's all plans work perfectly. He will carry out His sentences on earth finally and perfectly. His timing is perfect and nothing is taking place too early or too late in His schedules.

God has planned to save you through Jesus Christ. He is able to save you perfectly, if you come to God through Jesus. He forgives you all your sins, because He atoned them on the cross perfectly. He gives you eternal life, because He got the perfect victory over death through Jesus' resurrection. He will make you perfect as He Himself is perfect. Jesus Christ calls you by His glory and perfection! Glory to God's Lamb, for His sacrifice is perfect.

Some have found the treasure which never loses its value. They are ready to give up everything to be able to keep their share of it. Because your choices are crucially affected by your principles, they form your way, in which you will walk. So it is possible to predict something about your future on the grounds of your principles.

Who are well-to-do? God offers everybody a good lot in Jesus Christ. Do you rather want to be a well-to-do eternally than temporarily?

Your house is not your true home, but your body where your spirit lives. Your current home has been made of mortal material. Notice how wonderfully it has been planned, although it has been made of inferior material! It is easy to believe that the same Designer is able to implement your body of everlasting and undamaged material. Would you not want to move into your new home already?

Creator's new version of the creation will be better than the current one. The old creation is going toward its destruction, but God will make everything new.

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