

YOUR SOUL IS REQUIRED

Luke 12:13-21

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Luke 12:16-21

16 And he spake a parable unto them, saying, The ground of a certain rich man brought forth plentifully:

17 And he thought within himself, saying, What shall I do, because I have no room where to bestow my fruits?

18 And he said, This will I do: I will pull down my barns, and build greater; and there will I bestow all my fruits and my goods.

19 And I will say to my soul, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years; take thine ease, eat, drink, and be merry.

20 But God said unto him, Thou fool, this night thy **soul shall be required** of thee: then whose shall those things be, which thou hast provided?

21 So is he that layeth up treasure for himself, and is not rich toward God.

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SOUL

Noun

the principle of life, feeling, thought, and action in humans, regarded as a distinct entity separate from the body, and commonly held to be separable in existence from the body; the spiritual part of humans as distinct from the physical part.

the spiritual part of humans regarded in its moral aspect, or as believed to survive death and be subject to happiness or misery in a life to come:

arguing the immortality of the soul.

the disembodied spirit of a deceased person:

He feared the soul of the deceased would haunt him.

the emotional part of human nature; the seat of the feelings or sentiments.

a human being; person.

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Genesis 2:7, And the LORD God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul.

Genesis 3:19, in the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread, till thou return unto the ground; for out of it wast thou taken: for dust thou art, and unto dust shalt thou return.

Ecclesiastes 3:20, All go unto one place; all are of the dust, and all turn to dust again.

Ecclesiastes 12:7, Then shall the dust return to the earth as it was: and the spirit shall return unto God who gave it.

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In the Beginning the LORD God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living being. In the process of time shall the dust return to the earth as it was and the spirit shall return unto God who gave it.

There is more.

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1 Corinthians 15:51

51 Behold, I shew you a mystery; We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed,

52 In a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump: for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed.

53 For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality.

54 So when this corruptible shall have put on incorruption, and this mortal shall have put on immortality, then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written, Death is swallowed up in victory.

55 O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory?

56 The sting of death is sin; and the strength of sin is the law.

57 But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

58 Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye stedfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord.

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John 14:1-7

- ▶ 14:1 Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in me.
- ▶ 2 In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you.
- ▶ 3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also.

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1 Corinthians 15:1-11

- ▶ 15:1 Moreover, brethren, I declare unto you the gospel which I preached unto you, which also ye have received, and wherein ye stand;
- ▶ 2 By which also ye are saved, if ye keep in memory what I preached unto you, unless ye have believed in vain.
- ▶ 3 For I delivered unto you first of all that which I also received, how that Christ died for our sins according to the scriptures;
- ▶ 4 And that he was buried, and that he rose again the third day according to the scriptures

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