

Text: Various Passages
Topics: Heaven, Holiness, Wealth
Series: As It Is In Heaven

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Living Between Two Worlds

I. This Body (1 John 3:1-3)

Having become God's child in the past, and destined for a resurrected body in the future, I cleanse myself today.

II. This Place (2 Peter 3:11-13)

I replace dedication to the lusts of this perishing world for a lifestyle of pleasing God.

III. These Things (Matthew 6:19-21)

I give the most value to the things today that still have value in heaven.

I'll better prepare for heaven by _____
_____ today!

Application Questions - *These questions are provided for your further study and application of the subject of today's message. Thoughtfully writing out answers to these questions will help drive home the point. They are designed to be discussed in your home, with other believers, and in a Life Group, for even more benefit.*

1. Where would your thoughts and actions place you on this scale? Why? Just glad to get to heaven 1.....3.....5.....7.....10 Desire to be rewarded

2. In 1 John 3:1-3, John tells his readers, "We are children of God." What are some of the truths that this designation captures?

What is the hope John is referring to in verse 3? Why would that motivate someone to purify their life?

What does it mean to purify one's life? Give some examples.

3. What does 2 Peter 3:11-13 say will be destroyed?

How should knowing this affect a person's thinking about what's most important in life?

Does knowing this make the Christian life easier, or harder? Explain.

4. In Matthew 6:19-21 Jesus urges His listeners not to "store up for yourselves treasures on earth." What is He warning them about? Why?

What are the "treasures in heaven" that Jesus urges them to store up?

Of what value will they be in heaven?

Is Jesus urging His followers to embrace a life of poverty? Explain.

5. Finish this statement: I'll better prepare myself for heaven today by -