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2 Corinthians 5:1

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1. Death remains our great enemy. But what happens when we die? The Bible does not give a detailed blueprint but hints about what to expect.
2. This future is a fixed reality based in the promise of God, not in speculation or in wishful thinking (Philippians 3:20-21; Romans 8:18).
3. The Bible depicts the eternal God coming into the world, taking human form in same way we live in our tents (John 1:14).
4. The tent is a metaphor for your human body; it is a temporary home for your eternal soul until you get your real home in Heaven.
5. We live as paupers on this planet, forgetting that there is a vast treasure house waiting in our near future.
6. Believers should long for Heaven like a hungry man longs for food.
7. Disease and death will dismantle your tent.
8. Jesus spoke of His resurrection body not as a pro-created, physical body built by the work of a man and a woman, but rather built by God (Mark 14:58; Hebrews 9:11).
9. The resurrection body differs radically from the physical body (1 Corinthians 15:36-49).
10. Will we know each other? We'll know each other as God knows us because all the imperfections of this life will be removed (1 Corinthians 13:12). In Heaven there will be no strangers.
11. How old will we be in heaven? Ageless
12. The Bible teaches that the moment we die we go directly to the presence of the Lord (2 Corinthians 5:7-8; Philippians 1:21-23).

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