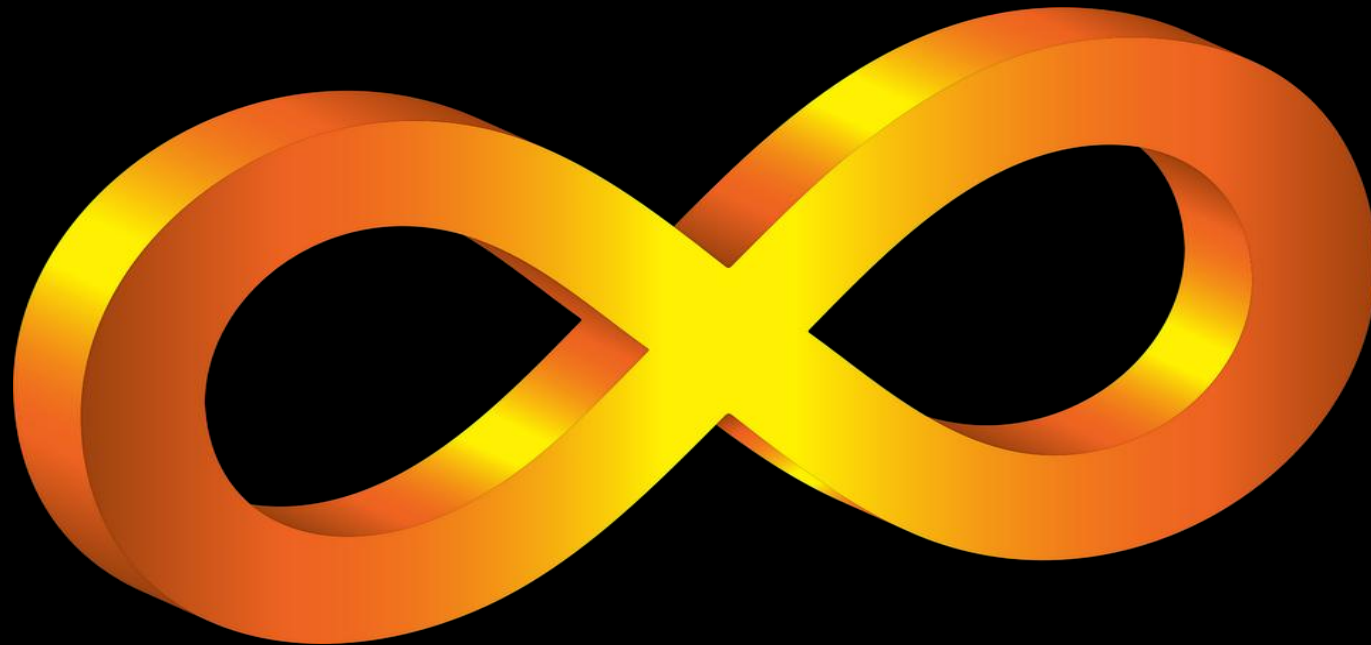


I Corinthians 15:50-58

3 Elements Of Jesus' Victory For Believers

(Part 2)



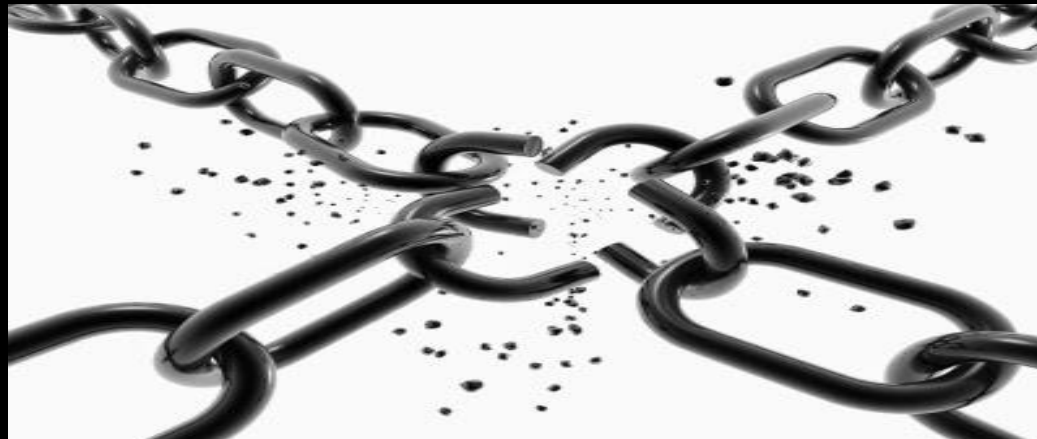
Context/Background

- Apostle Paul wrote letter to believers in the church in the Greek city of Corinth (AD 56)
- I Corinthians 15: Paul's explanation of the Resurrection of Jesus (how it applies to believers)
- Foundation: Rapture of the Church
- One aspect: Believers are given a perfect body, with a perfect mind and soul.

Victory Over Death

- (vv. 54-57) Paul continues explanation of Jesus' victory; quotes Isaiah 25:8, and Hosea 13:14 to prove point
- Resurrection of Jesus (and believers) predicted in Scripture and fulfilled at Cross and Tomb
- Jesus has made the way death can be overcome
- Don't need to be paralyzed in life by fear of death; it has been declawed by Jesus and His life, death, and Resurrection

- 2 Cors. 5:4, “For we who are in this tent groan, being burdened, not because we want to be unclothed, but further clothed, that mortality may be swallowed up by life.”
- Rev. 2:14, “And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes; there shall be no more death, nor sorrow, nor crying. There shall be no more pain, for the former things have passed away.”





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