

HOMEBOUND
2 COR. 5:8 / March 12, 2017 PM

I. **FIRST, DEATH ISN'T THE END.**

A. Paul believed he was made for another world--5:1-2.

1. Paul was confident there was a heaven--v.8 **“we are confident”**.
2. Paul preferred to go to heaven--v.8 **“I say and would prefer to be away from the body.”**
3. Paul didn't have a death wish but neither did he dread dying--Phil 1:21-23.

B. This is a reminder that all of us will survive death--John 11:25-26.

II. **SECOND, EARTH ISN'T OUR HOME.**

A. Paul describes heaven as home--v.8 **“to be away from the body and at home with the Lord.”**

B. We must never forget that heaven is our home--1 Cor. 2:9.

III. **THIRD, HEAVEN IS WHERE JESUS IS.**

A. Paul identifies heaven's well-known inhabitant--v.8 **“at home with the Lord.”**

B. Someday we will see Jesus too--Rev. 22:4.