

THE FEAR OF DEATH

Why come I afraid to die?

Isaiah 38:1-5

Job. 2:14, 15

I The natural Fear of Death

- 1. a mechanism to preserve life
- 2. animals run, fight, hide, sting

2. Death is terrible & scary

- (1) Disintegration, dismember, dissolution, corruption, horror
- 3. Abraham 'at' may bury I deal out of right

(2) Disregard of person

- no matter who
- not care for tears, groans, agony

Isaiah 23:4
 Psalm 88
 That which begeth the soul, as we die, or with the soul, we
 breathe; as we die, or with the soul, we
 they all have the breath, no soul a man hath
 no for-soulless when a soul. All go
 into one place: all are of the dust, and all
 turn to dust again. (1) Some, like
 coming up like
 a God, from
 the dust, then
 to stop the process.

(3) The body binds to the dust. no power to separate.

The loneliness of dying
no one can die for us
cut off from you, agony

3. Our mortality evidenced everywhere

- This planet earth is a vast cemetery; the death row of the new ones
- Is it a house? { Death houses at the door, tears to family apart
- town? every spot the cemetery enlarged
- work .. market place? new names, laws, companies
- Boys .. church? changing frequently. Ex 10 for. 1 out of 4 die
- Cities .. great nations? Every day enters in a country church yard
- The Boasts, heraldry, the pomp of families
- All the beauty, all the wealth are gone
- await able to inevitable doom.
- The path of glory lies but a few paces.

4. Our questions
 "In their life beyond the year?"
 "Are the dead conscious?"
 "Will we be conscious or someone else?"
 "Will we have bodies?"
 "Will we recognize each other?"
 The answer to every question is "Yes"
 in Scripture full, reassuring. I know 4:13 (part)
 worked out just out of without knowledge, truth, power, plan
 which are lacking...
 (1) born, given without delay..."

II. The Christian Assurance
 (1) early 12th century..."

We are in total dark, will
 10 weeks to the death...
 17 total about, then a decade of calamity
 are not better, cynical, rebellious
 the first time that from the beginning of his record... because...
 the preceding...
 I will remain...
 2. Total will is, last
 at Hospital, 15 years.
 (1) Brother, body with, fragile.
 19: 3, 4, 7, 12
 against...
 found...
 I would...
 take all...
 because...
 which he did in Jerusalem

3. "How's From notes"
 over 100 in the Bible
 Bible will show you the terror, how
 to, call...
 to, your' eyes
 I Cor. 15:26 "The last enemy that shall be destroyed is death"

4. But coming in years

Rev. 1:17, 18
100:43, 2 "When you found carcasses in waters, I will be with the
and through the rivers, they shall not be polluted
when you walk on them, they shall not be bound
neither shall a plague be laid upon them."

10:23

Y does not stand on a pedestal apart from us
he is with us: Tried, tested, reproved, slain

His victory over us: 2 Tim 1:10 "Y shall abolish death,
and hath brought life and immortality to light through the gospel"
1 Cor 15:55, 57 "O death, where is thy sting?"

(1) Death described in form as a thief
in 1 Peter 4:11-14
so Paul in 2 Tim. 4: 13-14

(2) The dead in their bodies are raised at the 2nd coming
John 19: 29, 36 "realized in 1 Cor. 15: 51-53"

(3) We shall be dead, recognizing
a. Jesus
b. man's self, "scripture, tho it said
c. our bodies clay say 2 years: but our identity preserved.
as for me, I shall
be raised up in
the resurrection; I shall
be raised up, when
I awake, with the
living."

(4) at death go to Hell, Hades, intermediate state, awaiting resurrection
2 parts.

Saladin - John to malfeasance. "Yody"
Tartarus - 2 Th. 1:6-9 "And in Hades he lifted up his eyes being in torment."
- II. 2: 4 TARTAROS "But spare not the angels that sinned
but cast them down to Tartarus, into the measure
unto judgment"

III. Beginning to Death
"set house in order"

1. Good work, phobias, set papers
maybe at good work, anxiety, more hours

2. Human being, now, beginning set papers
(a) David Burns

3. But Y. Kaplan is, real case
4. Kessler

6. Paul Winter 4, 6-3 "I am now ready to be offered, as to time of my departure is at hand." "I have finished..."
← (a) Ernest T. Schickel

Some sort of cat
counts that I feel like it
(of) collect out to yellow fur... just
in blood. next 0 9-10

some other
as long as only
the paper
has been
with, as if
at the end
of the

(of) out power, but counter, with, then, escape
(of) the end, with, to, some body, because
of power, played, next, what, to, as for.
this an, in order,
to the day but to ^{with} ^{substantive} ^{counts} ^{deduce} " "

You say, swine, not bear small. But
when time comes, will you?

DAVID HUME, philosopher and
infidel, ranted against the cross,
ridiculed $\bar{\chi}$, and at the same
time confidently claimed that
when his time came to die, he
would face death fearlessly.

His housekeeper, who was
with him to the end, asserted
that when his agnostic friends
visited him, he put on a brave
front; but, she added:

"When he was alone, the
scene was different. His
mental agitation was so great
as often to alarm me greatly.
He struggled to appear composed
even before me; but to me
who had attended his bedside
for many days and nights,
who witnessed his disturbed

A great German poet, theologian, in the days of terror
was old Adelbert von Arnim, died his German on
an Easter Sunday morning:

"When I die, and someone finds
my skull, may this skull speak
to him as follows:

- > I have no eyes, yet I see Him
- > I have no brain nor understanding,
yet I know Him
- > I have no lips, yet I kiss Him
- > I have no tongue, yet I praise Him
with all you who call upon
His name.
- > I am a hard skull, yet I am
softened and melted in
His love.
- > I lie without, in the churchyard,
yet I am within Paradise.

All suffering is forgotten because
of His great love when for us
He bore this cross and went
to Calvary."

-HELMUT THIELICKE