

Scriptural Death & Dying:

Sin, Death & Satan Defeated

We are going to answer 3 Questions:

- 1) How many kinds of death are there?**
- 2) What is the scriptural perspective on death & dying?**
- 3) Can we die in a way that we can escape the suffering?**

“Since the children have flesh and blood, he too shared in their humanity so that by his death he might destroy him who holds the power of death—that is, the devil—and free those who all their lives were held in slavery by their fear of death.”

Hebrews 2:14-15 (NIV)

2) What is the Scriptural Perspective on Death & Dying?

In His death and resurrection, Jesus defeated sin, Satan, and death.

**Death has been abolished / annulled / rendered
idle or useless & made of no effect:**

***“but has now been revealed by the appearing of
our Savior Jesus Christ, who has abolished (to
render entirely idle or useless) death and brought
life and immortality to light through the
gospel...”***

2 Timothy 1:10 (NKJV)

“[It is that purpose and grace] which He now has made known and has fully disclosed and made real [to us] through the appearing of our Savior Christ Jesus, Who annulled death and made it of no effect and brought life and immortality (immunity from eternal death) to light through the Gospel.”

2 Timothy 1:10 (AMP)

Sin defeated & rendered powerless.

“For God has done what the Law could not do, [its power] being weakened by the flesh [the entire nature of man without the Holy Spirit]. Sending His own Son in the guise of sinful flesh and as an offering for sin, [God] condemned sin in the flesh [subdued, overcame, deprived it of its power over all who accept that sacrifice], [Lev 7:37.]

Romans 8:3 (AMP)



**Satan is defeated & rendered
powerless.**

"Inasmuch then as the children have partaken of flesh and blood, He Himself likewise shared in the same, that through death He might destroy (to render entirely idle or useless) him who had the power of death, that is, the devil..."

Hebrews 2:14 (NKJV)

“For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.”

John 3:16 (NIV)

“For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.”

Romans 6:23 (NKJV)

“who, in the days of His flesh, when He had offered up prayers and supplications, with vehement cries and tears to Him who was able to save Him from death, and was heard because of His godly fear, [8] though He was a Son, yet He learned obedience by the things which He suffered. [9] And having been perfected, He became the author of eternal salvation to all who obey Him...”

Hebrews 5:7-9 (NKJV)

“And for this reason He is the Mediator of the new covenant, by means of death, for the redemption of the transgressions under the first covenant, that those who are called may receive the promise of the eternal inheritance.”

Hebrews 9:15 (NKJV)

“And this is the will of Him who sent Me, that everyone who sees the Son and believes in Him may have everlasting life; and I will raise him up at the last day.”

John 6:40 (NKJV)

“Most assuredly, I say to you, he who believes in Me has everlasting life.”

John 6:47 (NKJV)

“Most assuredly, I say to you, he who hears My word and believes in Him who sent Me has everlasting life, and shall not come into judgment, but has passed from death into life. “Most assuredly, I say to you, the hour is coming, and now is, when the dead will hear the voice of the Son of God; and those who hear will live. [26]“For as the Father has life in Himself, so He has granted the Son to have life in Himself, and has given Him authority to execute judgment also, because He is the Son of Man. Do not marvel at this; for the hour is coming in which all who are in the graves will hear His voice and come forth—those who have done good, to the resurrection of life, and those who have done evil, to the resurrection of condemnation.”

John 5:24-29 (NKJV)

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2 Timothy 1:10 (NKJV)

(G2673 - “Abolished”)

from 2596 and 691; to be (render) entirely idle (useless), literally or figuratively:--abolish, cease, cumber, deliver, destroy, do away, become (make) of no (none, without) effect, fail, loose, bring (come) to nought, put away (down), vanish away, make void.

There are TWO reasons people still die:

1) There is a process that began with Jesus' death and resurrection, which culminates at the White Throne Judgment.

2) Our bodies must be made new before we can go to heaven and be in God's presence / inherit the kingdom.

“The last enemy that will be destroyed is death.”

1 Corinthians 15:26 (NKJV)

“Then Death and Hades were cast into the lake of fire. This is the second death. And anyone not found written in the Book of Life was cast into the lake of fire.”

Revelation 20:14-15 (NKJV)

“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.”

Revelation 21:4 (NKJV)

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To grasp this, we must key-in-on:

- 1) Death has been rendered entirely idle or useless
(NKJV)**
- 2) Jesus annulled death and made it of no effect (AMP)**
- 3) Death has been rendered powerless, and useless, of
no effect, and one day it will be removed totally**

“For He must reign till He has put all enemies under His feet. The last enemy that will be destroyed is death.”

1 Corinthians 15:25-26 (NKJV)

**Does this body ultimately need to be changed?
(YES)**

- It cannot inherit the kingdom as it is.
- We cannot be in Heaven with it the way it is.
- That's a predominate reason why physical death / going back to dust is still happening on this earth.



2) Our bodies must be made new before we can go to heaven and be in God's presence / inherit the kingdom.

“For we know that if our earthly house, this tent, is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens. [2] For in this we groan, earnestly desiring to be clothed with our habitation which is from heaven, [3] if indeed, having been clothed, we shall not be found naked. [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. [5] Now He who has prepared us for this very thing is God, who also has given us the Spirit as a guarantee. [6] So we are always confident, knowing that while we are at home in the body we are absent from the Lord. [7] For we walk by faith, not by sight. [8] We are confident, yes, well pleased rather to be absent from the body and to be present with the Lord. [9] Therefore we make it our aim, whether present or absent, to be well pleasing to Him. [10] For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, that each one may receive the things done in the body, according to what he has done, whether good or bad. [11] Knowing, therefore, the terror of the Lord, we persuade men; but we are well known to God, and I also trust are well known in your consciences.”

2 Corinthians 5:1-11 (NKJV)