

Real Hope

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Copperfield Bible Church

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...but hold Christ holy as Lord in your hearts, ready always for a defense to everyone who asks you an accounting concerning the hope *which is* in you....

1 Peter 3:15 (DJP)

Introduction: what this verse tells us

I. Hope Because of Jesus' *Life*

A. What He Lacked: _____

1. Using OT imagery (____:18-19)

2. Using legal language (____:22-23)

B. What He Had: Perfect Righteousness

1. Contrasting with _____ judgment (____:4)

2. In keeping with _____ judgment (____:18)

II. Hope Because of Jesus' _____

A. It Is _____ ical (____:1)

B. It Is Substitutional (____:18)

C. It Is Effectual

____:18-19

____:24-25

D. It is _____al (___:2)

III. Hope Because of Jesus' Resurrection: Which Makes It...

A. ...a _____ing Hope (___:3)

B. ...and a _____ing Hope (___:21)

IV. Hope Because of Jesus' Return

A. A _____ Hope (___:3-7)

B. A Guiding Hope (___:13)

C. A Guaranteed Hope (___:10)