

Acts 26:6-8

***-Why Is It Thought Incredible
by Any of You that God Raises
the Dead?***

-The first one is that of being a witness for the risen Lord Jesus Christ.

**-Living in perpetual confidence
that Jesus Christ actually rose
from the dead.**

-2 Timothy 1:7 (ESV) 7 for God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control.

**-Philippians 4:8 (ESV) Finally,
brothers, whatever is true,
whatever is honorable, whatever
is just, whatever is pure, whatever
is lovely, whatever is
commendable, if there is any
excellence, if there is anything
worthy of praise, think about
these things.**

**-Hebrews 9:27 (ESV) And just
as it is appointed for man to
die once, and after that comes
judgment,**

**-Hebrews 9:28 (ESV) so Christ,
having been offered once to
bear the sins of many, will
appear a second time, not to
deal with sin but to save those
who are eagerly waiting for
him.**

**-How much *finitude* does it
take to make *infinitude*?**

-Dr. James Dolezal:

The aseity of God.

**-God exists in and of Himself
and He is sufficient
explanation for His being.**

-God IS BEING. He never came into being, He IS being.

-Nothing makes God be.

**-God is not an instantiation of
Divinity as we are an
instantiation of humanity; He
IS God.**

-Psalms 102:25-27 (ESV) 25 Of old you laid the foundation of the earth, and the heavens are the work of your hands. 26 They will perish, but you will remain; they will all wear out like a garment. You will change them like a robe, and they will pass away, 27 but you are the same, and your years have no end.

-Malachi 3:6 (ESV) “For I the LORD do not change; therefore you, O children of Jacob, are not consumed.

**-Hebrews 6:13 (ESV) For when
God made a promise to
Abraham, since he had no one
greater by whom to swear, he
swore by himself,**

-James 1:17 (ESV) Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow due to change.

-John 8:58 (ESV) Jesus said to them, “Truly, truly, I say to you, before Abraham was, I am.”

**-And now on (the) hope, the
unto the fathers of us promise
after being made to come to be
by/through the God I
resultantly stand being
judged/tried.**

-Job 19:25-27 (ESV) 25 For I know that my Redeemer lives, and at the last he will stand upon the earth. 26 And after my skin has been thus destroyed, yet in my flesh I shall see God, 27 whom I shall see for myself, and my eyes shall behold, and not another. My heart faints within me!

-Psalm 1:5-6 (ESV) 5 Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous; 6 for the LORD knows the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish.

-Psalm 37:18-20 (ESV) 18 The LORD knows the days of the blameless, and their heritage will remain forever; 19 they are not put to shame in evil times; in the days of famine they have abundance. 20 But the wicked will perish; the enemies of the LORD are like the glory of the pastures; they vanish--like smoke they vanish away.

-Psalms 73:24-27 (ESV) 24 You guide me with your counsel, and afterward you will receive me to glory. 25 Whom have I in heaven but you? And there is nothing on earth that I desire besides you. 26 My flesh and my heart may fail, but God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever. 27 For behold, those who are far from you shall perish; you put an end to everyone who is unfaithful to you.

-Daniel 12:2 (ESV) And many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt.

-Ezekiel 37:1-14 The valley of dry bones being resurrected.

-Exodus 3:14-15 (ESV) 14 God said to Moses, "I AM WHO I AM." And he said, "Say this to the people of Israel: 'I AM has sent me to you.'" 15 God also said to Moses, "Say this to the people of Israel: 'The LORD, the God of your fathers, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, has sent me to you.' This is my name forever, and thus I am to be remembered throughout all generations.

-Isaiah 53:1-12

-2 Corinthians 11:24-27 (ESV) 24 Five times I received at the hands of the Jews the forty lashes less one. 25 Three times I was beaten with rods. Once I was stoned. Three times I was shipwrecked; a night and a day I was adrift at sea; 26 on frequent journeys, in danger from rivers, danger from robbers, danger from my own people, danger from Gentiles, danger in the city, danger in the wilderness, danger at sea, danger from false brothers; 27 in toil and hardship, through many a sleepless night, in hunger and thirst, often without food, in cold and exposure.

-Before 722 BC:

-Many of those from the ten tribes had left the Israel (the Northern Kingdom) under Jeroboam (2 Chronicles 11:14-17).

-Many left during the reign of Baasha (2 Chronicles 19:9).

-Representatives of the northern tribes are found in Judah (the Southern Kingdom) during the reign of Jehoshaphat (2 Chronicles 19:8).

-They are also found in Judah during the reign of Joash (2 Chronicles 24:5).

-After 722 BC:

-Hezekiah sent messengers to tribes in the northern areas to notify them of the celebration of the Passover (2 Chronicles 30:1, 10, 25).

-Josiah celebrated the Passover which included inhabitants of the northern tribes (2 Chronicles 35:18).

-Representatives of all twelve tribes came back from Babylon in the period of Restoration (Ezra 2:70; 6:17; 8:35).

-The NT refers to the tribe of Asher in Luke 2:36.

**-The book of James also refers
to all twelve tribes in James
1:1.**

-John 14:1-3 (ESV) 1 “Let not your hearts be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in me. 2 In my Father’s house are many rooms. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? 3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also.”