## **The Resurrection Mystery** 1 Corinthians 15:29-58

The Situation if Christ was not Resurrected	?
Our would be in vain	
<ul> <li>Your would be worthless</li> </ul>	
• We of all people, ought to be	
<ul> <li>We would still be in our</li> </ul>	
Those who teach the resurrection woul	d be
Those who had already in the fair	th are simply dead
Baptism for the Dead?	v. 29
<ul> <li>Paul is <u>not</u> teaching baptism</li> </ul>	n for the dead
The Believer's Incentive	vv. 30-32
<ul><li>Why do we live as we live?</li></ul>	
• If there is no resurrection, hedonism ma	akes perfect sense!
The Believer's Sanctification	vv. 33-34
<ul><li>"bad company corrupts good"</li></ul>	1 Cor. 5:6
<ul> <li>Wrong thinking/teaching leads to wrong</li> </ul>	ıg
Bad leads to bad living	
The Resurrection Body  • "How are the dead raised?"	vv. 35-44
• "With what kind of body to they come?"	
• John 12:24	
Our glorified body will be radically	than this one!

- Contrasts between the glorified and earthly body: o durability of the body: v.42 o value/potential of the body: v.43 o ability of the body: v.43 o existence of the body: v.44 Luke 20:34-36 The First Man Adam, and the Last Adam vv. 45-49 Who is the Last Adam? • Progression from the natural to the spiritual Phil. 3:20 The Mystery of the Resurrection vv. 50-58 • Our body \_\_\_\_\_ be changed • What about those \_\_\_\_\_ when Jesus returns? • "...in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet." • 1 Thessalonians 4:13-17 • "Death is swallowed up in \_\_\_\_\_" Isaiah 25:8 • Where does the fear of death come from? • "O Death, where is your victory?" Hosea 13:14 • "The sting of death is \_\_\_\_..." Death is only an \_\_\_\_\_ • "...the power of sin is the law" • No law → no \_\_\_\_ → no condemnation • "...God, who gives us the victory through... Jesus Christ."
  - "...the work of the Lord..."
    - o steadfast
    - o immovable
    - o always abounding