

GOD IS WITH ME BOTH IN LIFE AND IN DEATH

I am not expecting Utopia through American legislation. In the Bible, God has told humanity ahead of time what will come to pass. For example, God told us through Moses that Jerusalem would be destroyed and the Israeli people dispersed throughout the whole world (Deuteronomy 28:64-68). This happened in 70 AD.

Deuteronomy 30:1-20 foretold that the Israeli people would return to their land after being scattered all over the earth. This has happened in our lifetime. God says there is coming a time when Israel will recognize that Jesus is truly their Messiah and their God in the flesh. When Israel learns to love God in Christ, Jesus will come and set up His Kingdom on earth. We are to pray, "Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven (Matthew 6:6-15). The world's blessed hope is a coming justice, peace, and rule of Christ on earth (Isaiah 65:22-25).

I have believed in Jesus for eternal life and I am calling upon Jesus to save me from sin. I have a promise that God is with me in life and in physical death. The LORD is with me. Jesus said, "I am the resurrection, and the life. Anyone who believes in me will live, even after dying. Everyone who lives in me and believes in me will never ever die." John 11:25

For we know that when this earthly tent we live in is taken down (that is, when we die and leave this earthly body), we will have a house in heaven, an eternal body made for us by God himself and not by human hands. 2 Corinthians 5:1

To me, this means that the moment I die, I will enter my new body made in heaven and live with Jesus forever.