

# Death Will Be Destroyed

1 Corinthians 15:20-28

(series #64)

**Intro:** Jesus' attitude toward death - John 11:32-38

- Hebrews 4:15-16

- Isaiah 53:3

## I. The Assurance of Resurrection v. 20

A. Christ is risen!

B. He is the firstfruits - the guarantee of more

C. Those who have fallen asleep

1. The body sleeps - John 11:11, Acts 7:60

2. The soul doesn't

a. Phil. 1:23

b. Acts 7:59

c. 2 Corinthians 5:8

d. Luke 16:19-24

## II. The Means of Resurrection vv. 21-22

A. Death came through Adam

B. Life comes through Christ

## III. The Order of Resurrection v. 23

A. The great gathering together - 1 Thess. 4:13-18

B. The two special witness - Revelation 11

C. O.T. and Tribulation saints at the 2<sup>nd</sup> Coming

## IV. The Purpose of Resurrection vv. 24-28

A. To destroy the enemies of God vv. 24-26

B. To return to the kingdom to the Father vv. 27-28

**Conclusion:** Resurrection is coming! Are you ready?