

*Philippians #29*

*“Working out with God”*

*Philippians 2:12-13*

*1st Corinthians 1:4-8*

**You can know everything about a subject in your mind but if you don't have it in your heart, you don't have it.**

*“You will seek Me and find Me when you seek Me with all your heart.”*

*Jeremiah 29:13*

**The Rapture and the two Resurrections:**

**1. The first resurrection:**

**a. Resurrection of Jesus at the First Advent**

**b. Resurrection of the Church, the royal family of God, at the Rapture.**

**c. Resurrection of Old Testament believers and Tribulational martyrs at the Second Advent.**

**d. Resurrection of the Millennial believers.**

**2. The second resurrection is for unbelievers.**

**There is NO prophecy in Church Age, the dispensation of the mystery doctrine.**

**To have patience means to apply what you know; patience is a system of concentration and thinking and applying biblical truth to experience, so application says:**

**“As long as I'm alive, I have control over my life, so I can have a positive attitude, executing the plan of God or reacting negatively, becoming a cosmic believer and my own worst enemy.”**

**Enrichment in the Christian life is not measured in terms of work and Christian service, but in terms of truth and knowledge.**

**In our resurrection bodies, we will be “blameless” forever.**

**How do we wait with keen anticipation?**

**We wait by thinking with patience, which is applied biblical truth.**

**The purpose of the Rapture is to get the royal family of God prepared for the Second Advent and the Wedding Supper of the Lamb.**

**Since the Church, or the royal family of God is the first spiritual building to be completed, it's resurrected after our Lord.**

**Once the royal family is completed, the Church is resurrected and the body of Christ will become the bride of Christ.**

**Paul wants to brag at the Rapture as he sees his congregation rewarded; this boasting of Jesus Christ's work, comes from the rewards that the royal family receives.**

**Three days and nights later, the omnipotence of God the Father restored His human spirit to His body; the omnipotence of the Holy Spirit restored His soul to His body and He received His resurrection body.**

**The power that raised Jesus Christ from the dead is not only the same power that will raise us from the dead, but it is the power made available to us today.**

**Tons of human good and evil are done in the name of working out with God.**

**Sanctification is a technical theological term for the status the royal family of God in**

**the three phases of the  
plan of God.**

**The secret to spiritual advancement lies in identifying the right pastor for you and developing self-discipline for reception of his teaching.**

**Whether Paul was present or absent, they were hearing or reading his doctrine and were always obedient.**

**Only if a pastor is in a constant state of spiritual momentum, can he be consistently effective in leading his congregation to advancement, IF they are responsive and willing.**

**When you believe in Jesus Christ, you are delivered from the impending disaster of the last judgment but here, it actually means experiential preservation from the dangers of rebellion.**

**Under the policy of grace, God gives and man receives; God does all the work and providing, while man does all the receiving and benefitting.**