



## Our Resurrected Body

1 Corinthians 15:43-44 **It is sown in dishonour; it is raised in glory: it is sown in weakness; it is raised in power: It is sown a natural body; it is raised a spiritual body. There is a natural body, and there is a spiritual body.**

This chapter deals with the resurrection.

First the resurrection of Christ

Then resurrection of the redeemed.

Death and resurrection / seed-sowing and harvest.

The seed is planted in the ground.

It is as if it had died and buried.

For a time the seed cannot be seen.

Then it rises in its intended form.

Jesus used this same symbolism.

John 12:24 **Except a corn of wheat fall into the ground and die, it abideth alone: but if it die, it bringeth forth much fruit.**

It's the same with our human bodies,

Because of sin and the Curse.

We will eventually die and be buried.

But one day we will rise again.

We will become what we are intended to be.

Both immortal and glorified.

Far better than they were before.  
But only if we are born again.  
Faith in the resurrected Saviour.

Our new spiritual bodies will be real physical bodies.  
Like Jesus' body.  
No longer under bondage death.  
No longer susceptible to evil forces.  
But we know what we will be like.

**Philippians 3:20-21 For our conversation is in heaven; from whence also we look for the Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ: Who shall change our vile body, that it may be fashioned like unto his glorious body, according to the working whereby he is able even to subdue all things unto himself.**

**1 John 3:2 Beloved, now are we the sons of God, and it doth not yet appear what we shall be: but we know that, when he shall appear, we shall be like him; for we shall see him as he is.**

In our glorious, powerful, spiritual bodies ...  
We will serve Him forever.

**Revelation 22:3 And there shall be no more curse: but the throne of God and of the Lamb shall be in it; and his servants shall serve him.**

