



## Heaven in Black and White

Week 3 Discussion Questions: What Will We Do In Heaven?

### GETTING STARTED

After catching up with each other, open your time with this:

*If you could ask a question of any person from the Bible (Moses, David, Paul, etc.), who would you ask and what would you ask them?*

**-Pray together to start your Bible study and discussion time.**

**Designate one person to read Philippians 1:21-23 out loud, as the group follows along.**

1. In these verses Paul states that it is "better by far" to be with Christ. Is it easy for you to agree with Paul on this, why or why not?
2. Think about the question of, "What will we do in heaven?" What other questions come to your mind? Make a list of everyone's questions. These might be questions that were covered in the message or additional questions that weren't covered.
3. Why do you think we are so interested in knowing what we will do in Heaven?
4. Scripture affirms that worship, rest, and work will all continue in Heaven (optionally reference Rev. 5:13, Rev. 14:13, Gen. 2:15). Does knowing that these activities will still be a part of the Kingdom of Heaven affect how you view your participation in them right now?

### CLOSING QUESTIONS

**Designate one person to read Psalms 16:11 out loud, as the group follows along.**

5. It is probably difficult for most of us to imagine pure joy, untouched by any sorrow. But pure joy is the picture that this verse gives us of what eternity in God's presence will be like. Do you have a memory (maybe from childhood) that is close to pure joy?
6. Do you feel full of joy or lacking in joy right now? Share ways that you can pray for each other to increase in joy.

**-Pray together to close your time.**

### LOOKING AHEAD

In your anchoring time this week...

- **FOCUS** on the promise that Heaven will be full of joy and we will share in God's great happiness! (Matthew 25:23)
- **THANK** God for the kindness He has shown to us in Christ Jesus. (Ephesians 2:6-7)
- **CONFESS** the ways you have neglected worship and service in your life. (Genesis 2:15 and Revelation 5:13)
- **ASK** God to fill you with joy even now! (Psalm 16:11)

