

## What Happens at Death

**The Bible teaches us that when death occurs the soul and spirit leave the body and go to either Heaven or Hell. There is no in between and no dwelling on the earth after death.**

**1 Kings 17:21–22** And he stretched himself upon the child three times, and cried unto the LORD, and said, O LORD my God, I pray thee, **let this child's soul come into him again.** 22 And the LORD heard the voice of Elijah; and **the soul of the child came into him again, and he revived.**

**Genesis 35:18** And it came to pass, **as her soul was in departing, (for she died)** that she called his name Benoni: but his father called him Benjamin.

**Luke 8:54** And he put them all out, and took her by the hand, and called, saying, Maid, arise. 55 And **her spirit came again, and she arose** straightway: and he commanded to give her meat.

**James 2:26** For as **the body without the spirit is dead,** so faith without works is dead also.

**2 Corinthians 5:8** We are confident, *I say*, and willing rather to **be absent from the body, and to be present with the Lord.**

**Ecclesiastes 12:7** **Then shall the dust return to the earth as it was: and the spirit shall return unto God who gave it.**

**Ecclesiastes 3:20–21** All go unto one place; all are of the dust, and all turn to dust again. 21 **Who knoweth the spirit of man that goeth upward,** and the spirit of the beast that goeth downward to the earth?

**Luke 16:22–23** And it came to pass, that **the beggar died, and was carried by the angels into Abraham's bosom:** the **rich man also died, and was buried;** 23 **And in hell he lift up his eyes, being in torments,** and seeth Abraham afar off, and Lazarus in his bosom.

**Ecclesiastes 8:8** **There is no man that hath power over the spirit to retain the spirit; neither hath he power in the day of death:** and *there is* no discharge in *that* war; neither shall wickedness deliver those that are given to it.

**Job 7:9-10** As the cloud is consumed and vanisheth away: so he that goeth down to the grave shall come up no *more*.

10 **He shall return no more to his house, neither shall his place know him any more.**

**Psa. 90:10** The days of our years are threescore and ten; and if by reason of strength they be fourscore years, yet is their strength labour and sorrow; for it is soon cut off, and **we fly away.**