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1) Those who are

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	• Ecclesiastes 12:7	
	• 2 Corinthians 5:8	
	• Philippians 1:23	
	• Revelation 6	
	 Philippians 1:21 	
2)	The	will rise first v.16
	• 2 Corinthians 5:1-5	
	I Corinthians 15:42-4	44
	I Corinthians 15:50-!	57
3)	So we shall	be with the Lord v.17
4)	one a	nother with these words v.18
My Response:		

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Discussion Questions

Weekly Memory Verse: "We do not want you to be uninformed, brethren, about those who are asleep, so that you will not grieve as those who have no hope." I Thess 4:13

How is the knowledge that we will be immediately with the Lord when we die a comfort while we are living? Paul said "for me to live is Christ and to die is gain".

How do you think our resurrection bodies will be similar and yet different from our earthly bodies?

Think about what it would be like to be "caught up" with Him in the skies at that last day. What might that look like?

Our promise is that we will "always be with the Lord". When you think about that in the light of the picture Jesus paints in John 14 what might heaven be like?

How might these words come as great comfort to those who are facing persecution and even death for following Christ?