

What it means to put on Incorruption.

1Cor. 15:42

A. 1Cor. 15:42 *“So also is the resurrection of the dead. It is sown in corruption; it is raised in incorruption:”*

1. Why are all human bodies “sown in corruption”. Corruption means ruin.
2. The natural soul is born in a corruptible state, lives their entire live in a corruptible state, and is buried in a corruptible state, and will exist in hell in an incompatible state.
3. **Rom. 7:18** *“For I know that in me (that is, in my flesh,) dwelleth no good thing: for to will is present with me; but how to perform that which is good I find not.”*
4. God of the human soul, **Romans 3:10 - 12** *“As it is written, There is none righteous, no, not one: (11) There is none that understandeth, there is none that seeketh after God. (12) They are all gone out of the way, they are together become unprofitable; there is none that doeth good, no, not one.”*
5. This is not some people but all people. **Romans 3:9** *“What then? are we better than they? No, **in no wise**: for we have before proved both Jews and Gentiles, that they are all under sin;”*

B. This is why a human soul cannot go to heaven. **1 Corinthians 15:50** *“Now this I say, brethren, that flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God; neither doth corruption inherit incorruption.”*

1. Every human soul that is not “changed” into incorruption by the power of God, will not enter heaven. Corruption does not inherit Incorruption.
2. **1 Corinthians 6:9-10** *“Know ye not that the unrighteous shall not inherit the kingdom of God? **Be not deceived: neither** fornicators, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor effeminate, nor abusers of themselves with mankind, Nor thieves, nor covetous, nor drunkards, nor revilers, nor extortioners, shall inherit the kingdom of God.”* – This defines the human soul, in this flesh dwells no good, no, not one.
3. This is why a God given change must be performed. **1 Corinthians 15:53** *“For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality.”* – This is not done by a simple human process, it is done by a divine process. **John 3:3**

*“Jesus answered and said unto him, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, **Except a man be born again**, he cannot see the kingdom of God.”* – This change is from God not a simple task of man.

4. We must, and if truly saved, have put on incorruption. **1 Corinthians 15:53** *“For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality.”* While corruption means ruin, and death, incorruption means - unending existence; (figuratively) genuineness. Vines says, “a condition associated with glory and honor and life” and immortality means – deathlessness **John 11:26** *“And whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die. Believest thou this?”*
5. This is all the results of God’s grace and the birth, life, suffering, death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus Christ. We become what He is, even the children of God. This is what we inherit from God. As the rich young man asked, **Mark 10:17** *“And when he was gone forth into the way, there came one running, and kneeled to him, and asked him, Good Master, what shall I do that I may inherit eternal life?”*
6. And what the Philippian jailer aske Paul and Silas, **Acts 16:30 - 31** *“And brought them out, and said, Sirs, what must I do to be saved? (31) And they said, Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved, and thy house.”*