

Main Point-The greatest life is when God is greater than life!

-The greatest life lived, the greatest purpose to have, the greatest relationship we'll ever know, and the greatest thing is... It's forever.

#1.Live #2.Know #3.Work #4.Live

Application: How can we pray like Jesus?Context-We

John 17 can be divided into three successive sections.

Jesus prays for himself, vs. 1-5

Jesus prays for his disciples, vs. 6-19

Jesus prays his church, vs 20-26

Context-We are not Jesus... But the concept still applies. In other words, we were never God, nor will we be.

Doxazō: to cause someone to have glorious greatness— 'to make gloriously great, to glorify'¹

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#1.LIVE-What we live for

-The greatest about us is what Jesus did for us!

GOSPEL. Already but not yet

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#2.KNOW God and live for the Eternal

-The greatest life is to know and be known by the greatest God!

#3.WORK

-The greatest work is what we do for our great God!

#4.LIVE for the future glory!

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¹ Louw, J. P., & Nida, E. A. (1996). *Greek-English lexicon of the New Testament: based on semantic domains* (electronic ed. of the 2nd edition., Vol. 1, p. 735). New York: United Bible Societies.

So is it with the resurrection of the dead. What is sown is perishable; what is raised is imperishable. It is sown in dishonor; it is raised in glory. It is sown in weakness; it is raised in power. 1 Corinthians 15:42–43

If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth. For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life appears, then you also will appear with him in glory. Colossians 3:1–4

How to pray like Jesus

#1. God, make me great that I may make you greater!

#2. God, let me know you more!

#3. God, I will join you at work today!

#4. God, let me seek and set my mind on eternal things!

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