

# SERMON Q's

Living Today in Light  
of Eternity  
January 17, 2021  
Colossians 3:1-4

1. What's your favorite passage or hymn about heaven? How often do you dwell on "glory," and how does it impact your life today?
2. List some of the eternal, spiritual realities Paul is referring to when he speaks of "things above" (Hint: focus on the first 2 chapters of Colossians and "where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God" to stay focused on what Paul means!).
3. Share one area of your personal life where one of those realities from question 2 is important but hard to remember (i.e. makes a real difference when you do!).
4. Think of a particular example like work, relationship with neighbors, use of free time ... and discuss what the difference between "living for the rope" rather than "living for the red" could or should look like. (If you need a refresher, google "Francis Chan rope illustration" and watch!)
5. How does the rope illustration give us hope for someone who dies "too soon," especially as a child?
6. How does an eternal perspective on life impact your prayer life, and how can we pray for each other in that light?

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