



HOPE FOR THE HOPELESS

Eph. 2.11-13

GOD IS HOPE TO THOSE WHO HAVE NOT TRUSTED CHRIST.

I. THE _____ CONDITION OF THE HOPELESS *is because of their rejection of Jesus.*

1. _____ from Christ;
2. _____ from the community of God;
3. Strangers to the promises of God;
4. Without hope;
5. Without _____.

II. THE _____ CONDITION OF THE HOPEFUL is because of the redemption by Jesus.

1. _____ Christ;
2. Formerly _____;
3. Brought _____

How do we turn hopelessness into hope?

1. Life has _____.
2. God has a _____.
3. God's purpose puts _____ to life.
4. _____ are part of His purpose.

Matt. 6.26: Look at the birds of the air, that they do not sow, nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. *Are you not worth much more than they?*

Matt. 10.31: So do not fear; *you are more valuable than many sparrows.*

Matt. 12.12a: How *much more valuable then is a man* than a sheep!