

# Study QUESTIONS

## Ep. 1067: Do Christians Need Hope in Their Lives?

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SHOW NOTES

1. What is hope and how is it different from a wish? How is it used in the Bible? (See Hebrews 11:1)
2. What is “hedonism”? Does this philosophy bring life-changing hope to those who follow it? (See Romans 1:21-25, 2 Timothy 3:1-5)
3. What is the first step towards life-changing hope? How can we be sure this first step isn’t a treacherous one? (See Job 8:11-15, 11:20, Psalm 121:1, 2 Timothy 3:6-8)
4. What were the teachings of the Epicureans and the Stoics? How does Paul witness to these people? (See Acts 17:18-22)
5. What is the second step towards life-changing hope? What is the basis for our life-changing hope? (See Psalms 121:2-4, Hebrews 6:18-20, 1 Corinthians 15:16-19)
6. For whom does Jesus’ death and resurrection provide hope? (See 1 Timothy 2:3-6, 4:10, Romans 8:20-22, 1 John 2:2)
7. What is the third step towards life-changing hope? What connects us (the finite) to God (the infinite)? (See Ephesians 1:18-19, Habakkuk 2:1-3, Psalms 121:5-7)
8. What can you do to keep your hope alive during times of despair? (Psalm 34:4, 71:14, 1 Corinthians 13:12-13, Revelation 21:4)
9. What is the final step towards life-changing hope? (See Hebrews 12:2-3, Psalm 121:8)
10. What should a life that has the life-changing hope look like? (See Romans 5:1-5)
11. What do you hope for? Does your life reflect that hope? If not, how will you change?