

Study QUESTIONS



Ep.1323: Why is Jesus Called the “Last Adam”? (Listener Q&A Series)

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1. What are four things humanity inherited from Adam? (Genesis 1:26-28)
2. How were the “first Adam” and the “last Adam” created in God’s image? (Genesis 1:26-28, 1 Corinthians 15:20-23)
3. What was the difference between Lazarus (and others in the Bible) being miraculously awakened from death and the resurrection of Jesus?
4. What blessings were Adam and Jesus each given?
 - a. How did their end results differ? Why?
 - b. What is Paul’s message in 1 Corinthians 15:42-44? Define “perishable” and “imperishable.”
 - c. Where is God’s blessing in Matthew 3:16-17, 17:5, and Isaiah 42:1?
 - d. What was Jesus’ blessing for his sacrifice? (Philippians 2:7-9)
5. The privilege of rulership – what is “dominion”?
 - a. In what way was Adam given dominion on the earth? (Genesis 1:26-28, 2:15)
 - b. What will Jesus have dominion over in the kingdom? (1 Corinthians 15:24-28, Philippians 2:9-11)
 - c. Explain the picture of Christ, Head and Body. What does this say about dominion regarding the true followers of Jesus, the church? (Ephesians 1:18-23)
6. The privilege of fruitfulness – what is fruitfulness?
 - a. How was Adam fruitful? (Genesis 1:26-28)
 - b. How is Jesus life-giving? (1 Corinthians 15:45-49)
 - c. How does someone become a “new creation”? How are they fruitful? (2 Corinthians 5:17, Matthew 28:18-20)
 - d. What is the eventual outcome of Jesus’ life-giving fruitfulness? (Colossians 1:15,18,20)
7. Why is the “last Adam” necessary? What will he accomplish? What part does the “new creation” play in this effort?
8. What are your spiritual blessings? How are you exercising a caring and responsible stewardship and dominion towards God’s creation? How can you be fruitful in the same manner as Jesus?