

Sunday Morning | April 30, 2017



A WORD OF PROMISE

LUKE 23:39-43

How to be remembered in paradise:

I. Properly understand the Gospel (v. 39).

TRUTH: Gospel confusion can lead to frustration or bitterness towards God.

TRUTH: Gospel clarity leads to being remembered.

II. Remember your sentencing (v. 40-41).

TRUTH: The ticket to paradise begins with owning up to our sin and realizing the penalty is just.

III. Recognize the innocent Savior (v. 41).

TRUTH: The only way to paradise is through Jesus.

IV. Ask Christ to remember you (v. 42).

TRUTH: As long as there is a today, it is not too late to be remembered by Christ.

TRUTH: The time for spiritual procrastination is over.

V. Know that Christ remembers His promises (v. 43; Ps. 112).

TRUTH: We often don't live for heaven because deep down we assume (wrongly) it is going to be boring.

TRUTH: Paradise is worth living for Christ today.