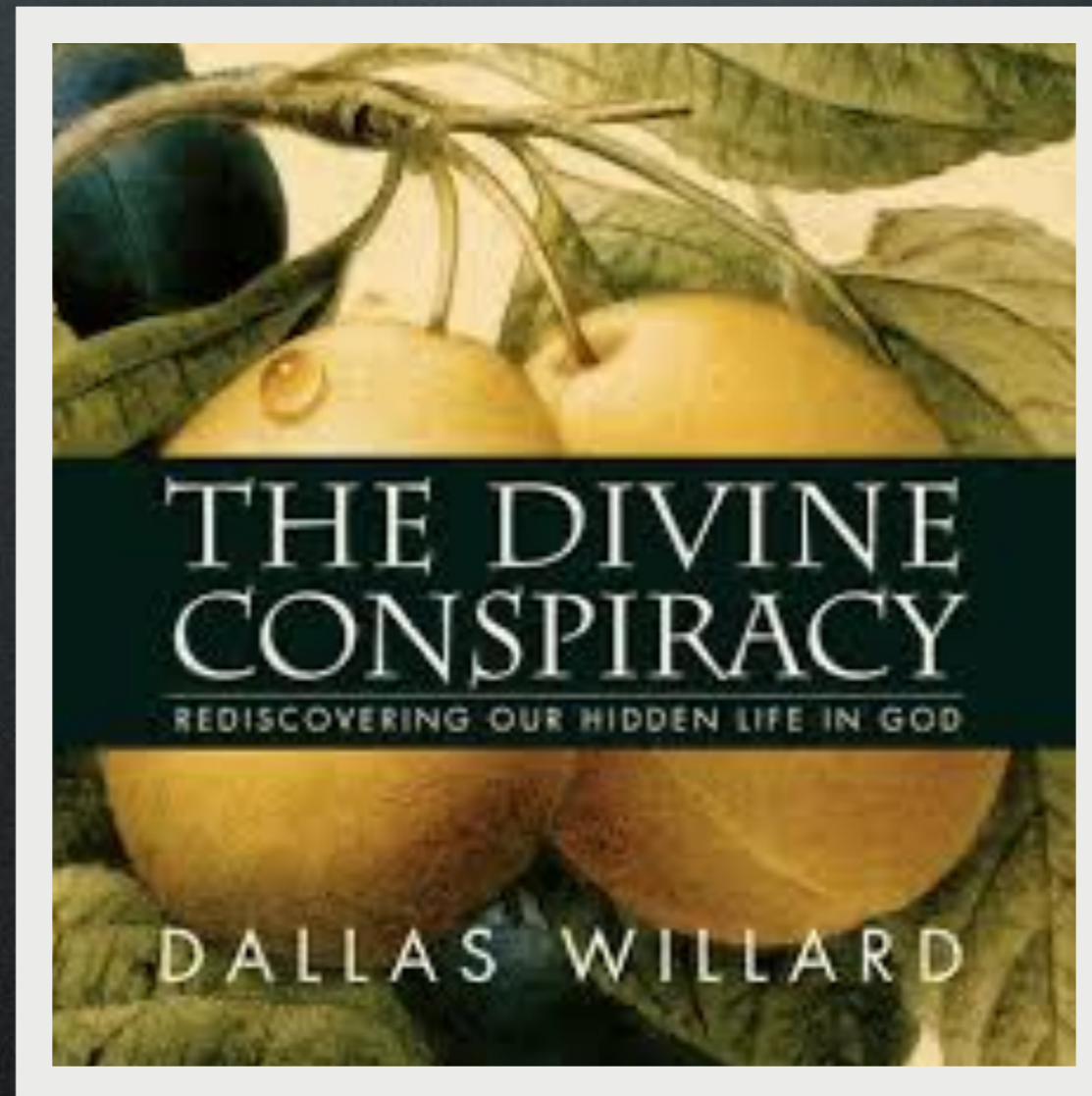


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“Dear Father always near us,
may your name be treasured and loved,
may your rule be completed in us—
may your will be done on earth
in just the way it is done in heaven.

Give us today the things we need today,
and forgive us our sins and impositions
on you as we are forgiving all who in any
way offend us.

Please don't put us through trials,
but deliver us from everything bad.
Because you are the one in charge,
and you have all the power,
and the glory too is all yours—forever—
which is just the way we want it.”

“Whoopee!”

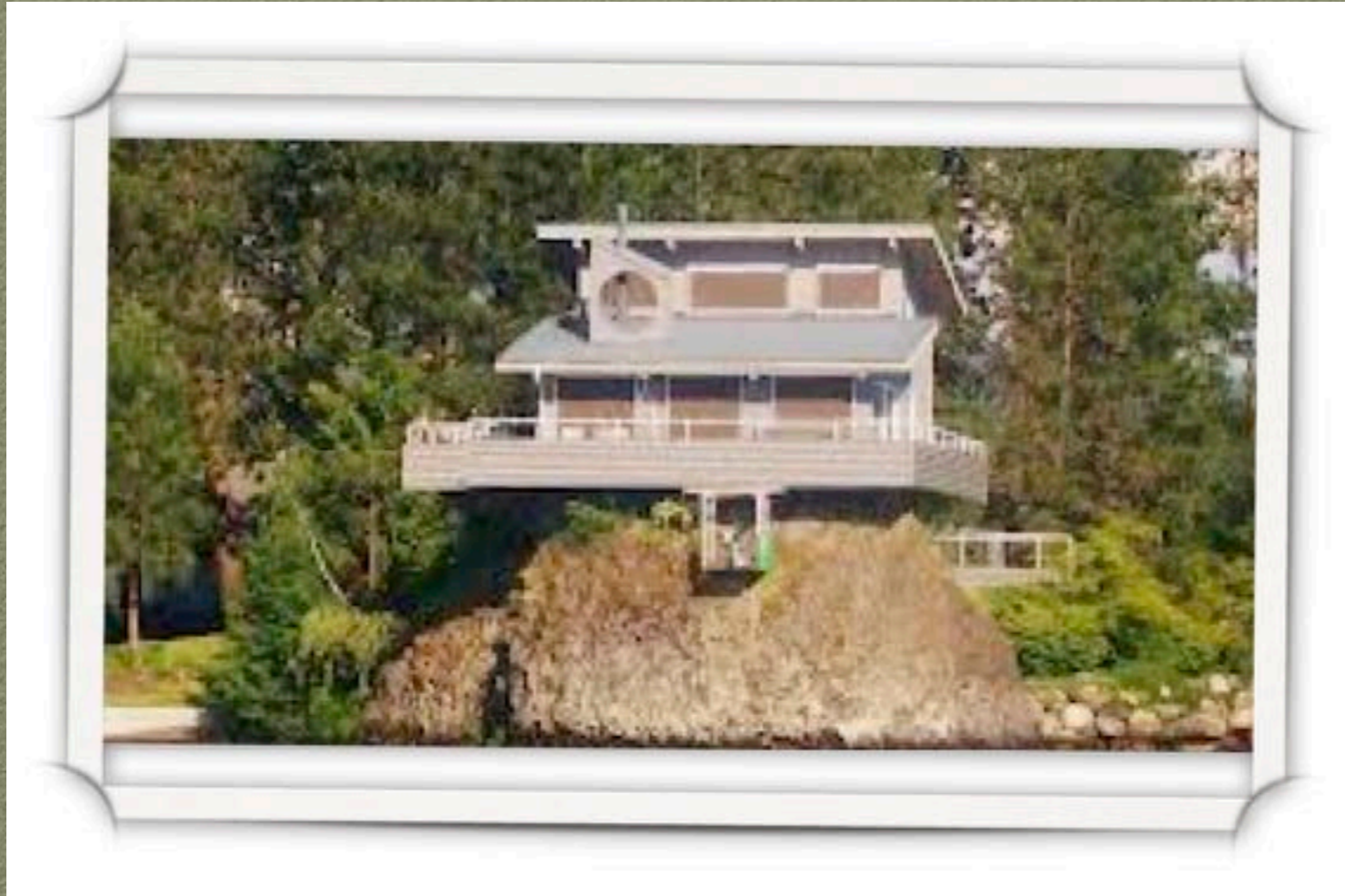
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Chapter 9 - “A Curriculum for Christlikeness”

REVIEW: Session 30 - “Planned Disciplines”



To build our house upon the rock, putting off the old person and putting on the new, we must have a definite plan for doing so. (363)

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Those who have apprenticed themselves to Jesus learn an undying life with a future as good and as large as God Himself. (375)

To live strongly and creatively in the Kingdom of the Heavens, we need to have firmly fixed in our minds what our future is to be like.

(376)



1 “Then the angel showed me the river of the water of life, as clear as crystal, flowing from the throne of God and of the Lamb 2 down the middle of the great street of the city. On each side of the river stood the tree of life, bearing twelve crops of fruit, yielding its fruit every month. And the leaves of the tree are for the healing of the nations.³ No longer will there be any curse. The throne of God and of the Lamb will be in the city, and his servants will serve Him. 4 They will see His face, and His name will be on their foreheads. 5 There will be no more night. They will not need the light of a lamp or the light of the sun, for the Lord God will give them light. And they will reign for ever and ever.” Revelation 22:1-5

“Well done, my good servant!” his master replied. ‘Because you have been trustworthy in a very small matter, take charge of ten cities.’ Luke 19:17

“See what great love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God! And that is what we are! The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Dear friends, now we are children of God, and what we will be has not yet been made known. But we know that when Christ appears, we shall be like Him, for we shall see Him as he is.”

I John 3:1-2

And they sang a new song, saying:

“You are worthy to take the scroll and to open its seals, because you were slain, and with your blood you purchased for God, persons from every tribe and language and people and nation. You have made them to be a kingdom and priests to serve our God, and they will reign on the earth.”

Revelation 5:9-10

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“Well done, my good servant...
take charge of ten cities.”



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The Created Cosmos is not a system closed off to itself.* It is determined by...personal factors. These factors are God and His Kingdom among us. They have announced themselves definitively in human history in the person and word of Jesus, especially the transfiguration and resurrection. (377)

Our Future - His plan is for us to develop, as apprentices of Jesus, to the point where we can take our place in the ongoing creativity of the universe. (378)

Matthew 25:21; Revelation 5:10

* - *Knowing Christ Today*, ch. 4 - “Can We Know That God Exists?”
- *The Allure of Gentleness*, ch. 4 - “Faith and Reason”

A dramatic sunset or sunrise over a vast, dark landscape. The sky is filled with dark, heavy clouds, and the horizon is a bright, glowing line of orange and yellow light. The overall mood is serene and powerful.

God's intention is that we should each become the kind of person whom He can set free in His universe empowered to do what we want to do.

Matthew 13:43 :: Daniel 12:3 (379)

The Problem...

The greatest temptation to evil that humanity ever suffers is the temptation to make “Jerusalem” happen by human means. For the problem, once again, is in the human heart.



(380)

The Promise...

The Heavenly City (Augustine) of every nation and tribe and tongue and people - diversities preserved and adapted - is the world to which He gave His Son, to humanity and the entire created cosmos.

(382)



Why the Prophetic Vision & Hope?

We live in a Trinitarian universe of the Kingdom Among Us - *“My Father’s House”* - where the reality from which all other realities derive is a society of divine persons...this God whose deepest nature is love...has made Himself known by personally approaching human beings and involving Himself in their lives.

For all who wish to see...beyond measurable science.

But no one has to see—now.

That is how the divine conspiracy works.

“the time of restoration of all things.” Acts 3:21



(384)

God is Really Known...thru Us - the Redeemed Community

The Children of the Light * — God's household built upon the Rock Jesus Christ, grow into a sacred gathering.

An eternal community who were once thought ordinary human beings to pervade the entire created realm and share in the government of it. Why? To know God's love. (386)

Do you remember from Chapter 1, Session 2?

The obvious, well kept secret of the 'ordinary' is that it is made to be a receptacle of the divine, a place where the life of God flows. (14) We are built to count. (15)

* - See *Renovation of the Heart*, ch. 11, "Children of the Light"



The Human Significance of God's Future for Us

Meaning — what comes later — is a kind of spiritual oxygen that enables our souls to live. ¹

In the future phases of the Kingdom lies the meaning of our lives and the history of the earth. ²

We exist and continue to exist because it pleases God. ³
This is how Psalm 23* is to be understood.

1 - p. 386

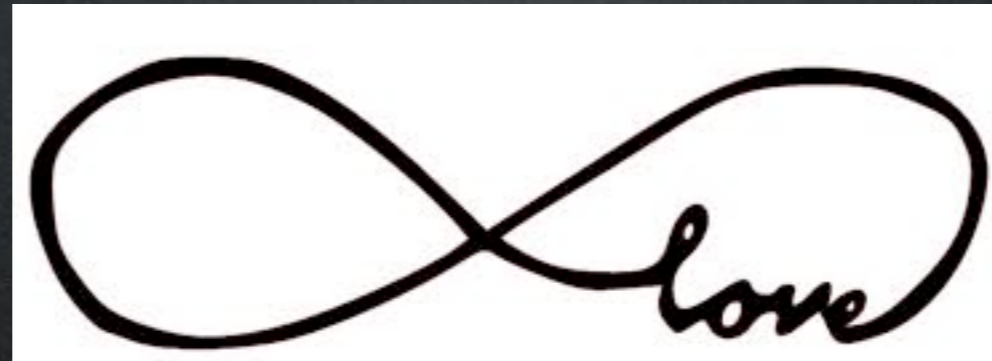
2 - p. 387

3 - p. 389

* - *Life Without Lack* - Living in the Fullness of Psalm 23 by Dallas Willard

Suppose you are never going to stop existing and there is nothing you can do about it. Eternality!

(390)



*Yours truly,
Abba Father*

*You are an unceasing spiritual being with
an eternal destiny in God's great universe.*

Means...

...Really Knowing with "Fullness & Clarity":

+ Abolished death ("we're better off dead")

+ Unrestrained from a earthly body now in a...

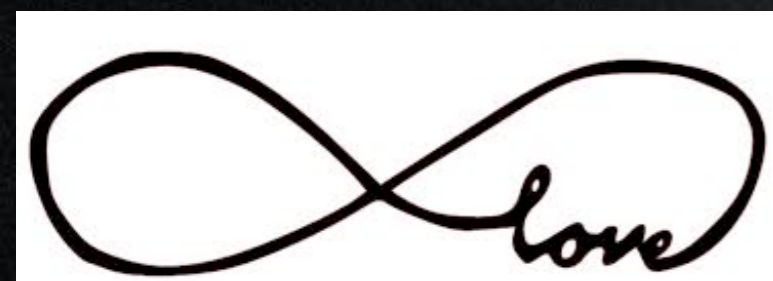
+ Spiritual "glorious", resurrected body thru...

1) Growing steadily now in family likeness, until

2) A time of joyous passing, then finally

3) Reigning creatively unending with Jesus

(391-399)



“Those who overcome are welcome
to sit with Me on my throne.”

Revelation 3:21-22



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Dallas Willard Ministries YouTube Channel



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Course Session 31 * Recommended Teachings

[Session #4 - "Kingdom Gospel"](#)

“The Future of the Created Cosmos” [1:24:00-1:27:50]

“The Unsearchable Riches of Jesus” [1:27:50-1:35:00]

(119) pages of lecture notes in the Jesus College Library

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* See the Course reading schedule for related teachings

Q&C

Your Questions & Comments are welcome!

(Use the Q&A on the bottom of your Zoom screen)



Q&A

Meditation — *Revelation 22:1-5*

In the next 10,000 years...

Q — How many cities would I like to govern in the new creation?

Q — Is the gift I offer Jesus at the end of my life who I have become? If yes, what am I preparing for Him?

Q — How have I changed in the last 7 months through a fresh hearing of life as an Apprentice of Jesus in the Kingdom Among Us?



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We should think of our destiny...creative activity with Jesus and His friends and associates in the “many mansions” of “His Father’s house”... as being absorbed in a tremendously creative team effort, with unimaginably splendid leadership, on an inconceivably vast plane of activity, with ever more comprehensive cycles of productivity and enjoyment.

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“You cannot ‘opt out’ of having a worldview.
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The four questions any worldview must answer are:

What is reality?

Who is well-off?

Who is truly a good person?

How does one become a truly good person?



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Gracious Lord,

We are thankful to be drawn into your Kingdom. We are thankful, wherever we are in our work, in our family, in our play, or whatever else may be happening, to know that we are under your Kingdom rule, that Heaven is over us, and that our God reigns.

Lord, help us to be simple, humble, and thoughtful as we listen to others and help them come to faith in the One who has given us life.

In Jesus' name we pray! Amen

Dallas Willard

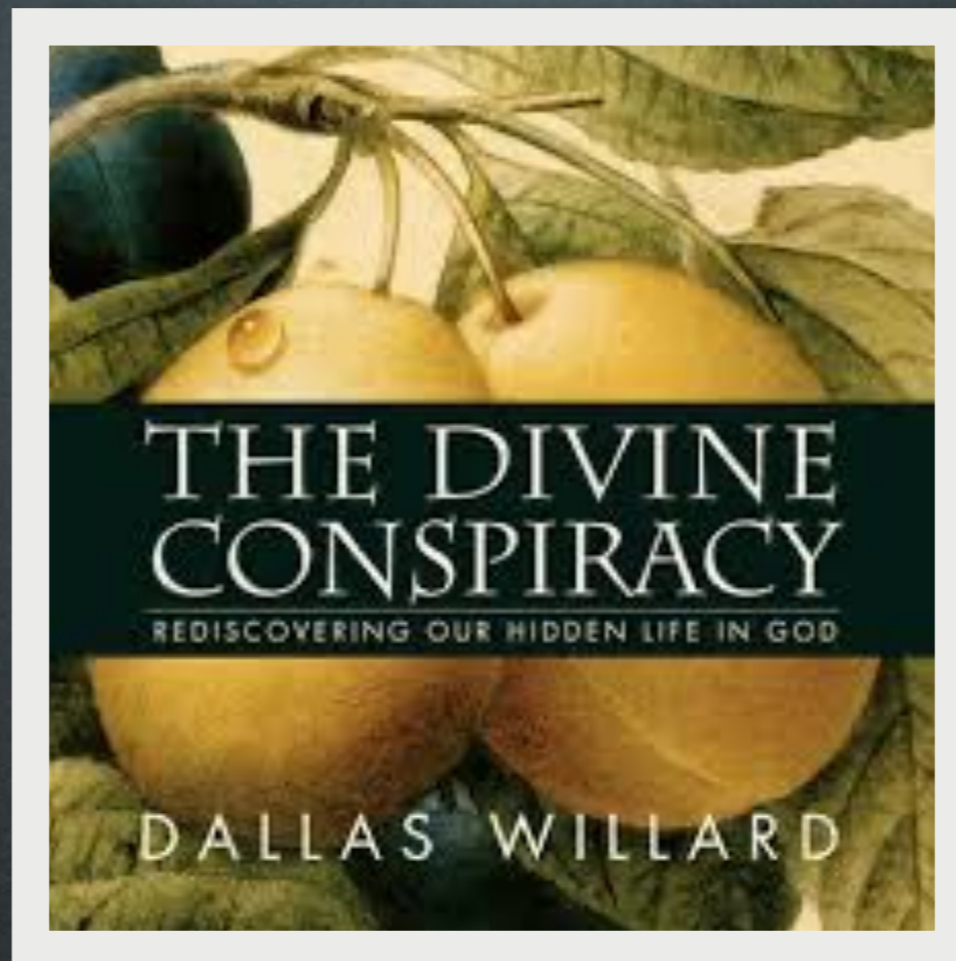
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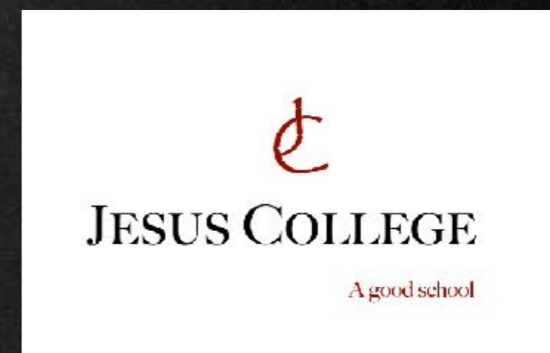
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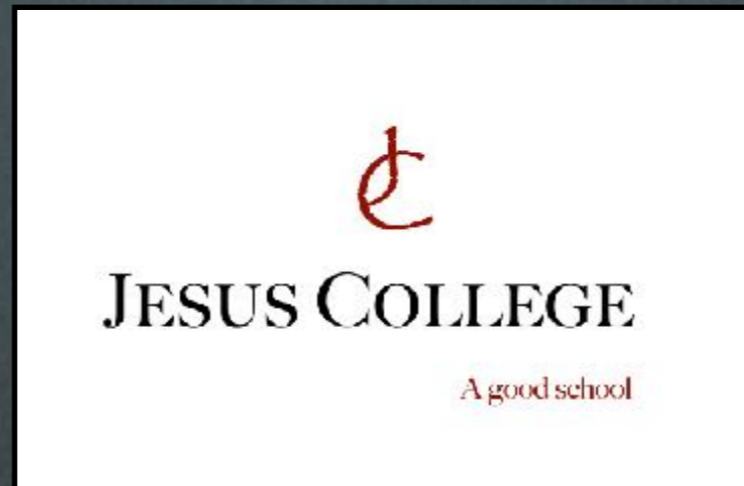
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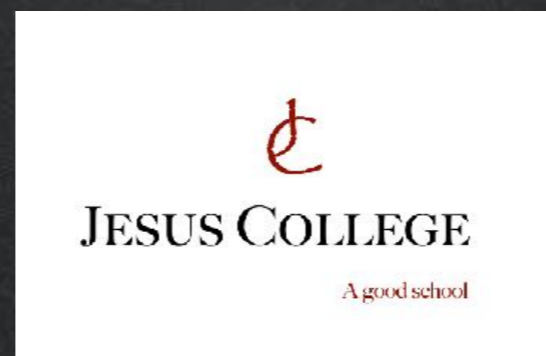
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