

2 CORINTHIANS 5:6-9

{Sunday, June 24, 2018 A.D.}

2 Corinthians 2:15-3:6

¹⁵ For we are a fragrance of Christ to God . . . And who is adequate for these things? . . .
⁵ Not that we are adequate in ourselves . . . but our adequacy is from God. . . .

2 Corinthians 4:7 & 17

⁷ But we have this treasure in earthen vessels,
¹⁷ For momentary, light affliction is producing for us an eternal weight of glory far beyond all comparison.

2 Corinthians 5:1-5

⁴ . . . so that what is mortal will be swallowed up by life.
⁵ Now He who prepared us for this very purpose is God, who gave to us the Spirit as a pledge.

2 Corinthians 5:6-9

⁶ Therefore, being always of good courage, and

Deuteronomy 31:6-8

⁶ "Be strong and courageous, do not be afraid or tremble at them, for the LORD your God is the one who goes with you. He will not fail you or forsake you." ⁷ Then Moses called to Joshua and said to him in the sight of all Israel, "Be strong and courageous, for you shall go with this people into the land which the LORD has sworn to their fathers to give them, and you shall give it to them as an inheritance. ⁸ "The LORD is the one who goes ahead of you; He will be with you. He will not fail you or forsake you. Do not fear or be dismayed."

Romans 4:18-21

Romans 8:38-39

2 Timothy 1:8-12

knowing that while we are at home in the body we are absent from the Lord —

⁷ for we walk by faith, not by sight—

Romans 10:8-17

Proverbs 3:5-7

⁸ we are of good courage, I say, and prefer rather to be absent from the body and to be at home with the Lord.

⁹ Therefore we also have as our ambition, whether at home or absent, to be pleasing to Him.

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Q. 98. But may not pictures be tolerated in churches as books for the laity?

A. No: for we should not be wiser than God, who will not have His people taught by dumb idols, but by the lively preaching of His Word.

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