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*“What no eye has seen,
what no ear has heard,
and what no human mind
has conceived the things
God has prepared for
those who love him ... God
has revealed to us by His
Spirit” I Cor. 2:9,10*

I. Looking Forward to the New Heaven and New Earth (I Cor. 2:9,10)

1. Key: The Trinity is there! – The REAL relationship
(John 14:6; Eph. 2:6; Matt. 6:9; Rev. 21:3, 7, 22, 23; 22:4; 19:7-8)

2. Our Resurrected Bodies – How we interact with heaven
(I Cor. 15:42-44,52-54; I John 3:2; Phil. 3:20-21)

3. The Redeemed Earth – Uniting the New Heaven on the New Earth
(Rev. 21:1, 22:3; 2 Pet. 3:10; Rev. 20:10; Rev. 4:6b – 11, 19:11-14)

4. Reigning with Christ – Finding the joy of work/service
(Rev. 22:3-5; Dan. 2:44-45, 7:13-14, 2 Tim. 2:12)

5. The New Jerusalem is there – The city of God
(Rev. 21:2, 14-16, 19-26,22:2;John 14:2)

II. Living in Light of Heaven Now (Luke 6:22-23)

- A. You are blessed when facing trials, tribulations, and persecutions
- B. Our reaction: Rejoicing – to the point of leaping for joy
- C. Because: Great is your reward in heaven.
- D. Our optimism today is based on the truth of our heavenly eternal life