

SIR JOHN STRANGE
Here lies an honest lawyer,
And that is Strange.
(A lawyer's epitaph in England)

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I told you I was sick!
(A lady doctor in a Key West, FL cemetery)

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Under the sod and under the trees
Lies the body of Jonathan Pease.
He is not here, there's only the pod:
Pease shelled out and went to God.
(On a grave from the 1880's in Nantucket, Mass.)

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Once I wasn't,
Then I was,
Now I ain't,
Again.
(From Lee County, Mississippi)

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Here lies an Atheist,
All dressed up
And no place to go.
(In a Thurmont, Maryland, cemetery)

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He looked for gold,
But died of lead poisoning.
(From Sutter County, California)

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Stop here my friend and cast an eye,
As you are now, so once was I,
As I am now, so you must be,
Prepare for death and follow me.

CAPTAIN JOHN DeCOSTER
Died January 28, 1773, at 26 years of age.

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A time to be born, and a time
to die." ECCLESIASTES 3:2



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1 Corinthians 15:19-26



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"When we face death, when we face the
loss of loved ones, we desperately need a
rock-solid hope. The thought this life is all
there is--that we live and then die--is
dreadful when you realize how fragile
life is, you search hard for truth."



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"You have to know what is real. You need
a hope beyond this life."

JAN DRAVECKY



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Examine Some Common
Thoughts on Death



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Establish a Biblical Perspective on Death

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Death is the Penalty of Sin

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The wages of sin is death, but
the gift of God is eternal life
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

ROMANS 6:23

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Inasmuch then as the children have
partaken of flesh and blood, He
Himself likewise shared in the same,
that through death He might destroy
him who had the power of death,
that is, the devil, ...

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... and release those who through
fear of death were all their lifetime
subject to bondage. HEBREWS 2:14

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Death is the Enemy of All Mankind

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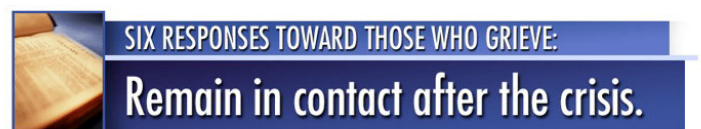
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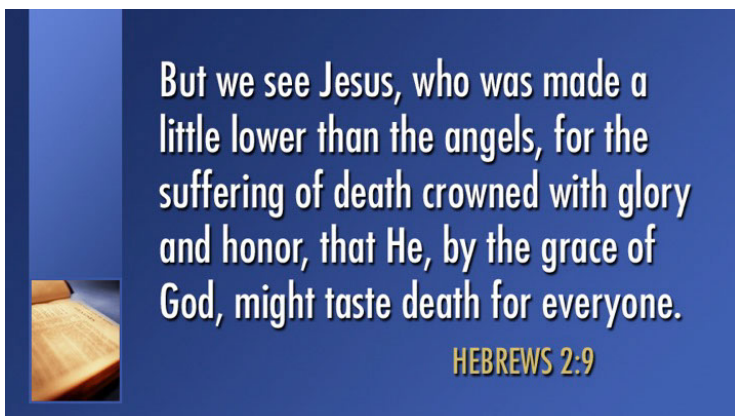
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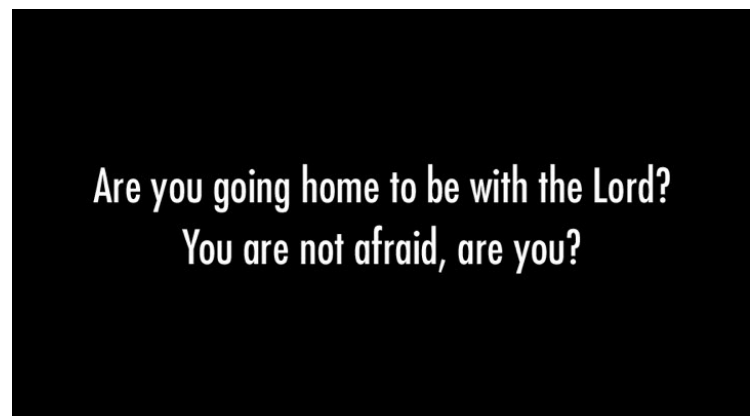
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Afraid of what?
 To feel the Spirit's glad release,
 To pass from pain to perfect peace,
 The strife and strain of life to cease?
 Afraid of that?

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Afraid of what?
 To enter heaven's rest
 And yet, to serve the Master blessed,
 From service good to service best?
 Afraid of that?

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Think of stepping on shore and finding it heaven,
 Or taking hold of a hand and finding it God's,
 Or breathing new air and finding it celestial,
 Or feeling invigorated and finding it immortality;

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Of passing through a tempest
 to a new and unknown ground;
 Of waking up well and happy
 and finding it HOME!

CORRIE TEN BOOM

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