



Some Easy Questions

- Focus** The answers to many common questions about heaven can be found easily in the Bible.
- Open** What was the worst pet you've ever owned? Why?
- Read** The answers to ten of the most common questions about heaven can be found relatively easily in the Bible.
- *Will we have bodies in heaven?* Yes, our bodies will be like Jesus' heavenly body (1 Corinthians 15:47–49).
 - *Will we go to heaven immediately?* When we leave our earthly body, we are immediately with the Lord in heaven (2 Corinthians 5:8).
 - *Will we be able to communicate?* Revelation 6:9-11 says the martyrs *called out* with a loud voice to God.
 - *Will we have emotions?* There will be “great joy” in heaven (Luke 15:7).
 - *Will we know everything?* No, we'll have a heavenly perspective, but will discover new truths throughout eternity (1 Corinthians 13:12).
 - *Will we know what's happening on earth?* According to Hebrews 12:1, people in heaven are able to “witness” the events of earth.
 - *Will we remember our lives on earth?* The martyrs knew who had killed them (Revelation 6). In heaven, our memories will make us grateful.
 - *Will we know people?* Jesus said that many people in heaven would sit down and talk with Abraham, Isaac and Jacob (Matthew 8:11).
 - *Will it be boring?* No, we'll be reunited with friends and family, travel and explore in heavenly bodies with none of our earthly limitations (Revelation 21:1–5).
 - *Who will be there?* The people in heaven will be those who believe in Jesus and call on His name (Revelation 21:6, 22:7; Romans 10:9).

Talk

1. What questions have you had about heaven?
2. Of the ten common questions and answers that were discussed, which stood out to you the most? Why?
3. Why do you think it's so hard to imagine what heaven will be like?
4. Jesus said in Matthew 8:11 that people will sit and ask questions of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob in heaven. Which believer, from any time in history, would you most like to sit and talk with in heaven?
5. Have you ever worried that heaven will be boring? Why do you think many people believe it will be that way?
6. If time permits, select portions of Revelation, Chapters 21 and 22, and read them aloud. What are you looking forward to the most about heaven?

Live

1. In what way does thinking about your future life in heaven affect your perspective of your life on earth?
2. *"You have an opportunity today to accept or reject the Lord Jesus Christ. You have to give Him permission and submit your will to His. When you do, you receive a new heart, a new nature and a new spirit. He gives you the ability to walk with Him and to serve Him."* ~ Pastor Robert Morris

If you're not sure that when you die, you'll go to heaven, ask someone in your group to help you pray the following prayer: *"Jesus, I know I am a sinner. I ask You to forgive me for all of my sin. I ask You to come into my life and be my Lord and Savior. Thank You, Jesus, for saving me today."*

Pray

Thank God for all the amazing things He has prepared for those who love Him. Thank Him for making heaven available to us by His grace, without cost to us. Pray for the people in your life who need to choose God. Ask God to speak to them and lead them to know Him.