

“Life, Judgment, Honor”  
John 5:17-30

God is working. Rest: Gen. 2:1-3. Heb. 3:18-4:11

Jesus equates Himself with God:

- does what the Father does [19] (One God)
- both raise from the dead [21]
- Father gives all judgment to the Son [22]
- honor goes to Father and Son [23]
- Jesus' word sent by Father [24]
- life from Father, life from Son [25-26]

Life: 21, 25-26

Judgment: 22, 27-30

Honor: 23, (31-47, next sermon)

Intro to Biblical history of Life, Judgment, Honor

- **Life:** Gen. 1:11-12, 20-22, 24-30, 2:7, 21-22
- **Judgment:** Gen. 1:4, 10, 12, 18, 21, 25, 31.  
Gen. 3:14-19, 4:10-16, 5:24, 6:7-9
- **Honor:** “Glory of the Lord”  
Ex. 16:6-7, 10, 24:16-17, 40:34-35,  
Num. 14:10, 21,  
1 Kings 8:10-11, 2 Chron. 7:1-2,  
Is. 40:5, 60:1, Eze 10:4, 18, Hab. 2:14,  
Luke 2:9, 2 Cor. 3:18, 8:19.

John 5:24: Life, Judgment, Honor for believers in Jesus:  
To hear the words of Jesus and believe the Father sent  
Him is to honor Jesus, which then brings us eternal life  
instantly, and our deserved judgment falls on Jesus  
instead of us, and we “pass out of death into life.”

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John 5:17-30, Questions to Consider

1. Why does Jesus say He and the Father are still working when in Genesis 2:1-3 God said He rested after creating?
2. How do believers in Christ enter into God's rest?
3. List passages that show Jesus is God:
4. What pattern is Jesus laying out here in this passage of Scripture?
5. What is the first judgment God gives in Scripture?
6. When do we first read of “the glory of the Lord” in Scripture after the Fall and what is happening then?
7. What two places do we see “the glory of the Lord” in this age according to Paul in 2 Cor. 3:18 and 8:19?
8. What does John 5:24 say about salvation? Memorize?