You Shall Dwell in the King's Palace

by C.H. Spurgeon

We will dwell in the King's palace with Christ, sharing in his exaltation and glory, and experiencing the joy of abiding with him forever.

Scripture: John 14:2, Romans 8:17, Revelation 21:21
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Description

C.H. Spurgeon proclaims the glorious promise that believers will dwell in the King's palace, sharing in the exaltation of Christ as joint heirs. He emphasizes the beauty and grandeur of heaven, crafted by Christ's love and wisdom, where believers will reside eternally with Him, not as distant servants but as cherished companions. The imagery of gates of pearl and streets of gold illustrates the magnificence of this eternal home, affirming that those who love Christ will enjoy His presence forever.

Transcript

Oh, how loftily is he lifted up to sit upon a glorious high throne for ever! But you shall sit upon his throne with him and share his exaltation as you have shared his humiliation. Oh, the delight of thus being joint heirs with Christ, and with him in the possession of all that he possesses. What is heaven? It is the place which his love suggested, which his genius invented, which his bounty provided, which his royalty has adorned, which his wisdom has prepared, which he himself glorifies; in that heaven you are to be with him for ever. You shall dwell in the King's own palace. Its gates of pearl and streets of gold shall not be too good for you.

You who love him are to abide for ever with him, not near him in a secondary place, as a servant lives at the lodge gate of his master's mansion, but with him in the self-same palace in the metropolis of the universe.

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