## GROANING FOR GLORY

Romans 8:18-25

I. Glory Incomparably Greater than Suffering – vs. 18

1 Peter 5:10

Matthew 5:10-12

2 Corinthians 4:17-18

Psalms 31:14-16

1 John 3:2-3

II. <u>Creation</u> Groans for Glory To Be Revealed – vs. 19-22

Apokaradokía - anxious longing, earnest expectation

Galatians 5:5

Philippians 3:20

Isaiah 35:1, 55:12

Apokálypsis - used of events by which things or states or persons hitherto withdrawn from view are made visible to all.

Revelation 1:1

Colossians 3:4

Genesis 3:17-19

Hypotássō - to place or rank under, to subject

*Mataiótēs* - pertaining to being <u>useless</u> on the basis of being futile and lacking in content

2 Peter 3:10

1 Corinthians 15:51-54

Douleía – slavery, bondage

*Phthorá* - to rot or <u>decay</u>, in reference to organic matter

*Systenázō* - to <u>groan</u> or to <u>sigh</u> together with someone/something else

Acts 7:34

Hebrews 13:17

Genesis 3:16

## III. <u>Believers</u> Groan for Glory – vs. 23-25

1 Peter 1:3-4

2 Corinthians 5:17

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Romans 7:14-15

1 Corinthians 15:35-44

1 John 3:2

John 6:37

1 Corinthians 1:21-22

1 Thessalonians 5:24

Ephesians 1:13

Hebrews 6:17-19

Philippians 1:6

1 Peter 1:13

1 Thessalonians 1:3-4

Hebrews 10:39-11:1

**Closing Thought:** Revelation 22:20 - He who testifies to these things says, "Surely I am coming quickly." **Amen. Even so, come, Lord Jesus!**