Your Day of Reckoning Erwin Lutzer

II Corinthians 5:10,11

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Why will there be tears in heaven?

Characteristics of the Judgment

Our text is II Corinthians 5:10,11

The characteristics of the judgment seat:

- 1. We will be judged <u>fairly</u>
- 2. We will be judged individually
- 3. We will be judged thoroughly
- 4. We will be judged for our works
 - (a) The Joyful acceptance of injustice (Matthew 5:11,12)
 - (b) The spiritual disciplines (Mathew 6:1-18)
 - (c) Financial generosity (Mathew 6:19-21)
 - (d) Our hospitality (Luke 14:12-14)
 - (e) Loving the unlovable (Luke 6:35)
 - (f) Watching for Christ's return (11 Timothy 4:8)

What are the takeaways?

- 1. Every day is either a plus or a minus or a mixture
- 2. We can gain reigning with Christ
- 3. We can lose our reward