You are Immortal!

Did you know that you are immortal? You will live forever. Look at what C.S. Lewis says about humanity.

> *There are no ordinary people. You have never talked to a mere mortal. Nations, cultures, arts, civilisations—these are mortal, and their life is to ours as the life of a gnat. But it is immortals whom we joke with, work with, marry, snub, and exploit—immortal horrors or everlasting splendours.*

Yes, human beings are immortal! Everything around us will come to an end, but we will live forever. You may ask, "How does this fit with Hebrews 9:27?"

> **Hebrews 9:27** *And just as it is appointed for man to die once, and after that comes judgment, (ESV)*

Even this verse that says we will all die, tells us that after death, we are judged. Therefore, death for us is not the end of life, but the end of our time on earth. Look at what is said that will happen at the end of the world.

> **Revelation 20:15** *And if anyone's name was not found written in the book of life, he was thrown into the lake of fire. (ESV)*

You and I will live forever. We will either live in heaven forever or in hell forever, it is your choice.

This also tells me that when we share the gospel, volunteer at church, or teach a small group, we are dealing with eternal lives. If you are a nursery worker, you hold in your arms an immortal. When you bring a friend to church, you are bringing an immortal into our sanctuary.

Let me encourage you this month to see eternity in your world. Also, consider the important role that you have in eternity. Look around in the supermarket tomorrow and remember, "*there are no ordinary people.*"
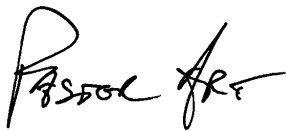

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Do you know where you will spend eternity? Do you know where your family and friends will spend eternity? Do you realize that as you volunteer in church you are investing in the eternal lives of those around you?

You are immortal, and so are those around you.

Him and for His glory,

Pastor Art