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When baby is conceived in its mother's womb, it is the start of eternal life for that baby. Psalms 139 verse 14: I will praise thee for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. It gives the mother a real joy with this new life in her. Even then the love for that baby increases minute by minute. The baby responds with a little kick as if to say "I am here."

We lived in Paraparaumu while we had our children, and while travelling to Wellington to see our folks, the baby in the womb slept peacefully. But when the car stopped, it would kick about a little, as if to say "change that wheel, fill it up with gas, check the oil, and

let's get going. When our first baby was two years old, my wife was carrying our second child. Our daughter said "Where is the new baby?" and my wife said "In my tummy". Our 2 year old said "I think I have a baba in my tummy."

This thought of fun, brings the family closer together. The most important job a mother and father have is bringing their children up as a family unit and teaching them the difference between right and wrong. They will be watching you 24 hours a day. Everything you do and say. They will be what you are. So get it right the first time.

The big moment is when the baby is born. It takes a big breath and perhaps a tap on the bottom is needed. It cries out "Here I am," and it makes its presence felt. After a while the new baby is looking around observing everything, and with a great big smile, as if to say "Thanks for giving me life, and bringing me into this big and wonderful world."

As the days roll on there is plenty to do for mum and dad, feeding the baby and attending the plumbing. The baby sucks the milk from its mother's breast as if to say "I want



to grow big and strong.” If it had a tail I am sure it would be wagging it with joy. As in the country, new born lambs do the same. Life is for living, not for dying.

From the beginning, God always wanted life for men and women – not death. But because, as Adam and Eve got some of the working parts of the body mixed up, things



did not work so well any more. This caused a big problem. Because, whether Adam and Eve did some thing wrong or us, somewhere out there, somebody has to suffer for what we have done wrong. That's why there are wars, earthquakes, illnesses, suffering. God's standard is none other than perfect. But we have disobeyed God. God has given us complete healing and forgiveness through His



Son, JESUS CHRIST. From the mess we have made of GOD'S creation and our lives. Life is for living not for dying.

If you accept that God forgives you, you will live forever. Now we are talking about personality and the spirit of God that is in everyone. But if you don't get forgiven you will still live forever, but not with GOD. Instead of all the suffering that was taken on JESUS,

to forgive you, you will be bearing all that suffering in your own body yourself – forever.

We know deep down in our hearts at some time or other we have done something wrong. THINK ABOUT IT. If you go to the doctor, and he tells you that you have six months to live. Tell him LIFE IS FOR LIVING AND NOT FOR THE DYING and you won't die until the Lord allows it. Go out of the doctor's rooms, head held high, make plans for the future, dreaming dreams, going for a holiday.

When our body that has been misused finally wears out, DON'T DIE IN BED – DIE IN ACTION, WORKING FOR THE LORD AND PRAISING THE LORD. I DIED FIVE TIMES LAST YEAR – AND THERE IS NOTHING IN IT. My blood was low, so I passed out for a few seconds, but then came alive again. After a blood transfusion, otherwise a top-up, I have been a lot better. PRAISE THE LORD. If your illness gives you suffering, trust in the Lord. For we are all made in the image of God, and He suffers with us. We are not on our own. He will not let you suffer more than you are able, but with it gives a way of escape. Reach out for the Lord. Life is for living not for dying. The most popular people in the world



are people that really believe this. Looks are nothing. People with life and energy wag their tails like a new born lamb, jump up and down, dance around, hang-glide, bungee-jump, shoot the rapids, sky-diving and go out in the Lord and get things done. And when this body wears out, the Lord will give us a new one. When you read this book you will want to go out, and tell everyone the truth.



The Bible says: The truth will make you free.
See you in HEAVEN WITH YOUR NEW BODY.
The old one will be left in the grave.

SEE YOU IN HEAVEN, DON'T BE LATE.



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Getting the best out of life? You can do what I have done, and even better!

Life is for living, so trust in the Lord and
Go, Go, Go!

Phil. Ch.4, v13:

*I can do all things through Christ
that can strengthen me.*

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