

Romans 8:19-23

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I. The animal kingdom waits for the fulfillment of the Christians.

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A. The animal kingdom was made subject to vanity. **Romans 8:20**

B. The animal kingdom will be delivered. **Romans 8:21,**
Isaiah 11:6-9

II. The whole creation groans until the redemption of our bodies.

Romans 8:22-23

A. The whole creation groans until now. **Romans 8:22**

B. The saved also groan within themselves. **Romans 8:23**

1. Those that have the firstfruits of the Spirit. **Romans 8:23**

a. The Holy Spirit started dwelling in the saved after the resurrection of Jesus and before Pentecost.

John 7:39, John 20:22, Acts 1:8

b. The harvest of the Spirit is the bride of Christ.

1 Corinthians 3:16; 6:19, Ephesians 2:21-22,
1 Corinthians 12:12-14, Revelation 19:7-9

C. Waiting for the adoption, to wit, the redemption of our body.

Romans 8:23

1. The trinity of man. **1 Thessalonians 5:23**

2. The resurrected body. **2 Corinthians 5:2-4**