

- Introduction and context:**
1. At the Lord's Supper we remember the Lord Jesus Christ Himself...specifically His atoning work...
 2. At the Lord's Supper we are promised that Jesus will come again...
I Corinthians 11:26, it's our blessed hope...
 3. We should think more about the return of Christ than we do...

Premise: The Lord's Supper is a promise (a pledge) of Christ's second coming in power and glory...

I. The Two Comings of Christ are Inseparably Connected...

- A. *There is a Complex of Events*
- B. *They are all Part of the Same Thing—God's Great Salvation...*

Observation:

II. This Modest Supper on Earth Reminds Us That There is a Great Supper yet Future...

- A. *We Use the Term "Supper" loosely...*
- B. *It is a Modest Supper...*
 1. It's an expression of fellowship...
 2. It's a foretaste of Greater Fellowship to come... *Revelation 19:9 cf. Revelation 19:5-7, 11-16*

Observation:

III. The Redemption of Christ Set Forth at the Supper Will not Fail "in any sense..."

- A. *All that Redemption Intended is Being Accomplished...* *Isaiah 53:10b-11 cf. Hebrews 9:12*
- B. *We Look for the Redemption of Our Bodies Yet to Happen... Romans 8:23; I Corinthians 15*
 1. Jesus has promised... *John 5:24, 28-29; 6:38-40*
 2. It will happen when Christ Returns... *I Thessalonians 4:16-18...*

Observation:

IV. The Obedience of Christ Will be Acknowledged by All...

- A. *An Awesome Obedience... John 10:18b*
- B. *God is Well Pleased with His Son...*
- C. *The Supper Reminds us Of Christ's Perfect (redemptive) Obedience...*
- D. *God is Determined that it Shall be Acknowledged by All... Philippians 2:5-11*

Application: