The Judgement Seat of Christ, part 2

Last week was an introduction to the Judgment seat of Christ. I affirmed that Judgment is something that every person born into this world must face.

- 1. The judgement of our sin.
 - a. We are judged as sinners.
 - b. Our sin must be judged and paid for.
 - c. If you are saved, then that judgment has already passed.
 - i. When Jesus died on the cross, you died with Him.
 - ii. When He was buried, you were buried with Him.
 - iii. When He rose, you arose with Him.

iiii. If you are born again, then this judgment has already taken place, and you will never again come into condemnation. And you will not stand at The Great White Throne Judgment as explained in Revelation 20:11-15. Which after the lost without Christ will be cast into Hell.

Many people ask the question that after being born again they still sin, what do I do and what does God do. It is a good question. A big part of the answer is we still have an old nature and a new nature we have in Christ. The old nature is associated with sin and the flesh. The new nature is associated with the Holy Spirit and a desire to please God. This concept is often described as a spiritual battle within believers. Read Romans 7:5-Romans 8:1

Today, I want to explain how God judges and chastises His children. You need to understand this so you can understand The Judgement Seat of Christ.

HOW GOD DISCIPLINES HIS CHILDREN WHEN THEY SIN:

- 1. God's discipline: A sign of His love.
- 2. God's discipline and Correction: God's desire for our holiness
- 3. The methods of God's discipline.
- 4. The goal of discipline, restoration and Growth.
- 5. Our response to God's discipline
- 6. The comfort of God's discipline
- 7. Conclusion: The loving discipline of our heavenly Father.