

Scripture References to Dying and Rising in I and II Corinthians

verses	Dying/Weakness	Resurrection/Power
I Corinthians		
1:18	"the word of the cross is folly to those who are perishing"	"but to those who are being saved it is the power of God"
1:23, 24	"we preach Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and folly to Gentiles"	"but to those who are called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God"
1:25	"the weakness of God"	"is stronger than men"
1:27	"God chose what is weak"	"to shame the strong"
2:3,4	"I was with you in weakness and fear and much trembling, my speech and my message were not in plausible words of wisdom,"	"but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power, that your faith might not rest in the wisdom of men but in the power of God."
9:19	"I made myself a servant to all" "To the weak, I become weak"	"that I might win more of them." "that I might win the weak."
15:1,3	"the gospel I preached to you...Christ died for our sins...that he was buried"	"that he was raised from the dead on the third day"
15:43, 44	"sown in dishonor" "sown in weakness" "sown a natural body"	"raised in glory" "raised in power" "raised a spiritual body"
II Corinthians		
1:5	"for as we share abundantly in Christ's sufferings"	"so through Christ we share abundantly in comfort too"
1:6, 7	"if we are afflicted" "when you endure the same sufferings we suffer" "as you share in our sufferings"	"it is for your comfort and salvation" "it is for your comfort" "you will also share in our comfort"
1:8-10	"We were so utterly burdened beyond our strength that we despaired of life itself. Indeed, we felt the sentence of death."	"But that was to make us rely not on ourselves but on God who raises the dead. He delivered us from such a deadly peril, and he will deliver us."
4:7-12	"But we have this treasure in jars of clay" "we are afflicted in every way" "perplexed" "persecuted" "struck down" "always carrying in the body the death of Jesus" "for we who live are always being given over to death for Jesus' sake" "so death is at work in us"	"to show that the surpassing power belongs to God and not to us" "but not crushed" "but not driven to despair" "but not forsaken" "but not destroyed" "so that the life of Jesus may also be manifested in our bodies" "so that the life of Jesus may be manifested in our mortal flesh" "but life in you"
4:16, 17	"though our outer self is wasting away" "for this light momentary affliction"	"our inner self is being renewed day by day" "is preparing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison"

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5:1-4	"if our earthly tent is destroyed" "for in this tent we groan" "For while we are still in this tent, we groan, being burdened...."	"we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens." "longing to put on our heavenly dwelling" "so that what is mortal may be swallowed up by life"
5:14-15	"For the love of Christ controls us, because we have concluded this: that one has died for all, therefore all have died;	"and he died for all, that those who live might no longer live for themselves but for him who for their sake died and was raised"
5:21	"For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin,"	"so that in him we might become the righteousness of God."
6:8-10	"We are treated... as dying, as punished, as sorrowful, as poor, as having nothing,	and behold, we live; and yet not killed; yet always rejoicing; yet making many rich; yet possessing everything."
8:2, 9	"their extreme poverty" "For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sake he became poor,"	"overflowed in a wealth of generosity" "so that you by his poverty might become rich"
12:9, 10	"I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses," "I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities. For when I am weak,"	"so that the power of Christ may rest upon me" "then I am strong."
13:3,4	"He is not weak in dealing with you," "For he was crucified in weakness,"	"but is powerful among you" "but lives by the power of God"
13:9	"we are glad that we are weak"	"and you are strong"