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Hosea 13:9-16

We find in these Hosea 13, God's resolve to deliver His people, in spite of all their sins. The conflict here is between God's hatred of the abominable acts of His people and His ancient, unchanging love. Sin leads to death and the grave but God had a message of hope for His people, that if they followed Him, death and the grave don't have a stronghold on them.

God gives us victory over death and the grave. Jesus has conquered death and the grave through His unselfish act of love on the cross. As believers we have the hope of heaven and we have this hope through Jesus our Savior.

The apostle Paul saw in the resurrection of Christ the absolute defeat of death and the absolute and everlasting triumph of the power of God. We look forward to the ultimate and final resurrection when Jesus Christ returns.

It is a wonderful thing to know that even though we may stray from God's grace and will for our lives, we can still come back.

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