



"A Christian ought to stand out in this world's system like a gardenia in a garbage can or like a diamond in a coal mine." Adrian Rogers

- the _____ is mentioned only _____ times in the New Testament
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- the _____ of Jesus is mentioned _____ times in the N.T.
- _____ out of every _____ verses in the N.T. points to the Second Coming of Jesus Christ

3 hopes/guarantees that will allow a believer to flourish as a gardenia in a garbage can

Hope: Heb 11:1 – faith is the substance of things "hoped for"

- The word hope does not mean "a _____"
- We use the word hope today to mean something similar to the word _____
- Biblical hope:

1. The _____

2. The _____

3. The _____