



“GABRIEL—BEHOLD I SHOW YOU A MYSTERY” window designed by Tiffany studios in early 1900

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1 Corinthians 15:

“Listen, I tell you a mystery: we will not all sleep but we will be changed---in a flash, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet.



BEHOLD A MYSTERY

The plan of God, a mystery incomprehensible to the human mind

Now made manifest by the scriptures, has been unfolded to all mankind

Apostle Paul, in a vision, experienced things impossible to tell

Told God's Gospel was for Jew and Gentile, and in heaven both would dwell.

Beyond the ancient covenant people, God's mercy was to apply

In the form of His one and only Son, on who man would rely

Thank God that death for Christians is the beginning and not the end

For through Christ's death and resurrection, to man this miracle He did extend.

"Behold," said the apostle, "we shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed."

God's plan for the resurrection of the dead, a marvel only He had arranged

At the last trumpet, in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye

His children shall be raised incorruptible; on this, God's promise, we can rely.

Since the Great Creator gave man birth, He can take him back again

Giving the gift of a perfect body that's forgiven and cleansed of sin

This glorious reality for man's salvation, to the world He did unfold

Through the power of the Living God; for His believers, a marvelous sight to behold!