“Bible Verses about Paradise”

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"Paradise" in the New Testament

"Paradise" in Greek is *paradeisos* (par-ad'-i-sos), which is *"an ancient Persian word meaning 'enclosure, garden, park'"* (Ref. 2). In the New Testament, *paradeisos* refers to a place of blessedness and divine presence. In Christian theology, *paradeisos* is the abode of the righteous after death, a place of rest and joy in the presence of God (Ref. 2). Paradise is mentioned only in the New Testament, and is mentioned three times -- in Luke 23:43, 2 Corinthians 12:4, and Revelation 2:7.

Luke 23:42-43
"And he was saying, 'Jesus, remember me when You come into Your kingdom!' 43 And He said to him, 'Truly I say to you, today you will be with Me in Paradise.'"

Paradise is where believers will be with Jesus after death (Ref. 3).

2 Corinthians 12:2-4
"I know a man in Christ, who fourteen years ago—whether in the body I do not know, or out of the body I do not know, God knows—such a man was caught up to the third heaven. 3 And I know how such a man—whether in the body or apart from the body I do not know, God knows-- 4 was caught up into Paradise and heard inexpressible words, which a man is not permitted to speak."

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Revelation 2:7
"The one who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To the one who overcomes, I will grant to eat from the tree of life, which is in the Paradise of God."

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