If we are just appetites and instincts, then life is really just the search for survival and pleasure.

We all HOPE for a lot of things.

What does it mean to HOPE in something?

1 Corinthians 15:1-7

With us (identification)

He entered fully into the human condition

Instead of us (substitution)

He stood in our place and shouldered the punishment due us for our sins.

For us (incorporation into the life of God) Reconciliation with God, a life with God

The Gospel story of Jesus Christ brings to completion the Story of Israel as found in the Scriptures.

Stingless Death

Swallowed Suffering

It all depended on what they believed their future to be.