

Fish With 4 Eyes

A small, South American fish called “four eyes” knows how to make the best of two worlds. His secret is his large, bulging eyes. The Creator designed them so that he can see above the water and below it at the same time.

The fish does this by cruising along through the water with the upper half of his eyes above the surface. This top half has an air lens, and the bottom half has a water lens. Together, the two lenses outfit “four eyes” with a set of natural bifocals, allowing him to see both the upper world and the underworld.

In a sense, Christians must be like this little tropical fish. We should look up longingly into the idealism of heaven, while looking down lovingly into the realism of earth. The heavenward look is to reflect a hunger and thirst for truth and righteousness, while the earthly look shows our compassion and love for those around us, particularly the lost and the suffering.

Who is in a better position to know the best of both worlds than Christians? We have received both truth and love.

And who can be given greater opportunity to care for those who are hurting than associates in Life Care, Century Park and Life Care at Home? We have been equipped – with skills and compassion – to address their needs.

Though I bestow all my goods to feed the poor ... but have not love, it profits me nothing. 1 Corinthians 13:3

--Beecher Hunter