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| 1 Corinthians  15: 51-57  Selection B12 | **A Reading from the First Letter of St. Paul to the Corinthians**  **Brothers and Sisters:**  **Behold, I tell you a mystery.**  **We shall not all fall asleep, but we will all be changed,**  **in an instant, in the blink of an eye,**  **at the last trumpet.**  **For the trumpet will sound,**  **the dead will be raised incorruptible,**  **and we shall be changed.**  **For that which is corruptible**  **must clothe itself with incorruptibility,**  **and that which is mortal**  **must clothe itself with immortality.**  **And when this which is corruptible**  **clothes itself with incorruptibility**  **and this which is mortal**  **clothes itself with immortality,**  **then the word that is written shall come about:**  **“Death is swallowed up in victory.**  **Where, O death, is your victory?**  **Where, O death, is your sting?”**  **The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law.**  **But thanks be to God who gives us the victory**  **through our Lord Jesus Christ.**  **The Word of the Lord** |