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Words to know:

unfitting (*not suitable or correct*), vital (*necessary; essential*), corporeal (*relating to a person's body*)

In the ancient world, the term soul was commonly used to signify the principle or source of _____ in a living thing. . . Whatever is living is animated by a _____.

Grades of Perfection:

Plant Soul (Vegetative Soul)	Animal Soul (Sensory Soul)	Human Soul (Rational Soul)
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The Soul is the _____ of the Body

- Form makes a thing to be what it _____. So the soul makes us to be a living, human being.
- The soul forms or _____ the matter to make it a human body.
- Soul is the inner, organizational _____ of the whole body.
- The soul _____ or energizes the many functions and operations of the body.
- The soul drives _____ according to a plan.

Death:

The Human Person:

Human beings are _____, animated by a _____ soul.

Rational Soul:

- Organizational _____
- Developmental _____
- Inner _____

Life Beyond Death:

If the soul is the form of the body, how can the soul _____ without the _____?

The soul lives beyond the body by exercising certain special higher operations: _____ and _____.

Aquinas thinks that all our vital activities are the works of organs except for two: _____ and _____. These two acts are the works of _____ and _____, which are properly spiritual powers.

Proof by Universal Knowledge:

- If the knowing of universals is not the work of a corporeal _____, then it is a _____ activity.
- If the soul is carrying out a _____ activity, then the soul itself must be _____.

The human soul can survive death because, in addition to forming and animating the body, the soul is _____ and lives on this higher plane by the higher operations of _____ and _____.

Yet Thomas Aquinas is clear: it is _____ for the soul to live without a _____.

For this reason, our Catholic faith in the resurrection of the _____ is very good news indeed.

Comprehension question: What could you say to someone who does not believe that humans have souls?