

**“HAVE YOU BEEN FOOLED?”**  
**Crossroads Community Church**  
**April 1, 2018 – Easter Sunday**

**Big Idea:**

- You’ve been fooled, IF .....you’re \_\_\_\_\_ as though  
\_\_\_\_\_ is still \_\_\_\_\_

*If the dead are not raised, “Let us eat and drink, for tomorrow we die.”*  
1 Corinthians 15:32b (NIV)

**Consequences of being fooled.....**

1. It impacts where you spend \_\_\_\_\_
2. It \_\_\_\_\_ you of \_\_\_\_\_ here and now

<sup>22</sup> “Fellow Israelites, listen to this: Jesus of Nazareth was a man accredited by God to you by miracles, wonders and signs, which God did among you through him, as you yourselves know. <sup>23</sup> This man was handed over to you by God’s deliberate plan and foreknowledge; and you, with the help of wicked men, put him to death by nailing him to the cross. <sup>24</sup> But God raised him from the dead, freeing him from the agony of death, because it was impossible for death to keep its hold on him.

Acts 2:22-24 (NIV)

<sup>1</sup> As for you, you were dead in your transgressions and sins....  
Ephesians 2:1a (NIV)

**Reminders from the resurrection:**

1. God’s \_\_\_\_\_ for your life is \_\_\_\_\_ !
2. God’s \_\_\_\_\_ for your life is \_\_\_\_\_ !

- a. Power displayed in the \_\_\_\_\_

<sup>24</sup> But God raised him from the dead, freeing him from the agony of death, because it was impossible for death to keep its hold on him.  
Acts 2:24 (NIV)

<sup>18</sup> I pray that....you may know....his incomparably great power for us who believe. That power is the same as the mighty strength <sup>20</sup> he exerted when he raised Christ from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly realms...  
Ephesians 1:18-20a (NIV)

- b. Power experienced through the \_\_\_\_\_

<sup>33</sup> Exalted to the right hand of God, he has received from the Father the promised Holy Spirit and has poured out what you now see and hear.  
Acts 2:33 (NIV)

<sup>36</sup> “Therefore let all Israel be assured of this: God has made this Jesus, whom you crucified, both Lord and Messiah.”  
Acts 2:36 (NIV)

<sup>37</sup> When the people heard this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and the other apostles, “Brothers, what shall we do?”  
Acts 2:37 (NIV)

**The Question:**

- Is Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ ?

**Sermon Notes:**

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