

I Am the Resurrection and the
Life

John 11:17-27

Three Initial Thoughts...

1. Death comes for us all.
2. Death happens because of sin.
3. Death has been totally defeated!

Notice What Jesus Says In The Face Of Death...

1. I Am...

- ◇ A Statement of Deity.
- ◇ A Statement of Offense.
- ◇ A Statement of Authority.

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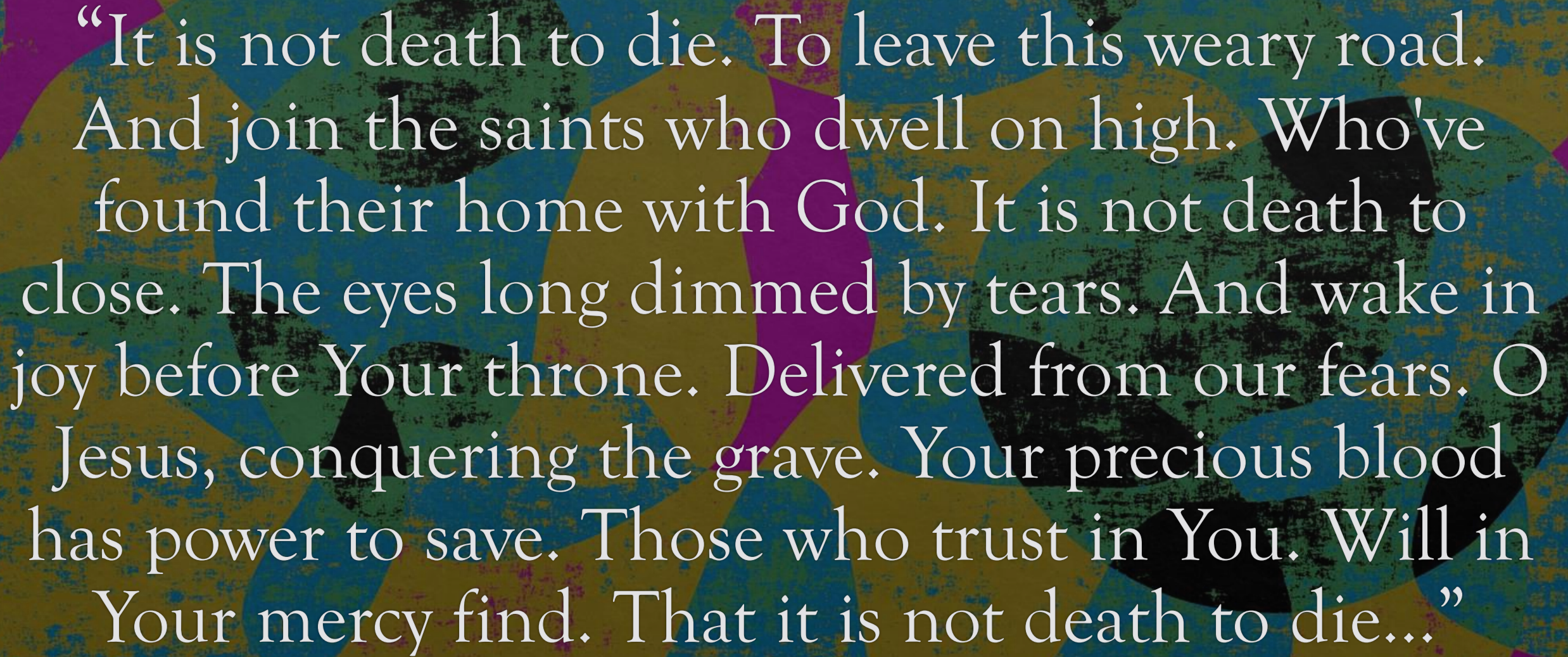
2. The Resurrection...

- ◇ Martha viewed the resurrection as an EVENT, Jesus viewed the resurrection as a PERSON.
- ◇ Martha viewed the resurrection as simply part of the FUTURE, Jesus viewed the resurrection as part of the PRESENT.
- ◇ Sidenote: There are two resurrections talked about in Scripture: 1) The Resurrection of LIFE, and 2) The Resurrection of JUDGMENT.

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3. The Life...

- ◇ Jesus made life.
- ◇ Jesus gives life.
- ◇ Jesus is life.



“It is not death to die. To leave this weary road.
And join the saints who dwell on high. Who've
found their home with God. It is not death to
close. The eyes long dimmed by tears. And wake in
joy before Your throne. Delivered from our fears. O
Jesus, conquering the grave. Your precious blood
has power to save. Those who trust in You. Will in
Your mercy find. That it is not death to die...”