

## **My Resurrection Story** **Become**

**Broken → Believe → Become**

**Adam and Eve made a bad call**  
**Adam and Eve had a great fall**  
**All of their children from now back to then**  
**Couldn't put humans together again.**

**BELIEVE...**

**BECOME...**

**How do I live the Christian life?**

**Awaken → Alerted → Aligned → Advancing**

**The Christian life is a believer maturing and becoming who they already are.**

**Awaken to God's Standard**

**Proverbs 14:12 (ESV) — There is a way that seems right to a man, but its end is the way to death.**

**1 John 2:6 (NLT) — Those who say they live in God should live their lives as Jesus did.**

**1 Peter 1:15–16 (NLT) — But now you must be holy in everything you do, just as God who chose you is holy. For the Scriptures say, “You must be holy because I am holy.”**

**Matthew 5:48 (NLT) — But you are to be perfect, even as your Father in heaven is perfect.**

**The Christian life is basically God proving to you that you can't live it.**

**Romans 7:15 (NLT) — I don't really understand myself, for I want to do what is right, but I don't do it. Instead, I do what I hate.**

**Romans 7:18 (NLT) — And I know that nothing good lives in me, that is, in my sinful nature. I want to do what is right, but I can't.**

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**Alerted to Satan's Substitutes**

**Religion is the #1 hindrance of Christianity.**

**1 Peter 5:8 (NLT) — Stay alert! Watch out for your great enemy, the devil. He prowls around like a roaring lion, looking for someone to devour.**

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**For many years now I have been sharing with you the most often quoted statement by Jesus in the Bible...**

**Revelation 2:7 (ESV)** — He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To the one who conquers I will grant to eat of the tree of life, which is in the paradise of God.'

**But I have also shared with you the 2<sup>nd</sup> most quoted statement Jesus makes in the New Testament... quoted 5 times...**

**Luke 9:23–24 (ESV)** — And he said to all, "If anyone would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow me. For whoever would save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake will save it.

**Galatians 2:20 (ESV)** — I have been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.

**Romans 12:1–2 (NLT)** — And so, dear brothers and sisters, I plead with you to give your bodies to God because of all he has done for you. Let them be a living and holy sacrifice—the kind he will find acceptable. This is truly the way to worship him. Don't copy the behavior and customs of this world, but let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you think. Then you will learn to know God's will for you, which is good and pleasing and perfect.

**This is a daily choice to say "NO!" to the self-life and "YES!" to the spirit-life.**

**Romans 8:11 (ESV)** — If the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, he who raised Christ Jesus from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through his Spirit who dwells in you.

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**Advancing God's Kingdom by Fulfilling Your Mission**

**Ephesians 2:10 (NLT)** — For we are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things he planned for us long ago.

**Philippians 1:6 (NLT)** — And I am certain that God, who began the good work within you, will continue his work until it is finally finished on the day when Christ Jesus returns.

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**1 Thessalonians 5:23–24 (NLT)** — Now may the God of peace make you holy in every way, and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless until our Lord Jesus Christ comes again. God will make this happen, for he who calls you is faithful.