New Life

40 Days Of Resurrection - (# 6) June 12, 2022 OPENING SCRIPTURE: Psalm 119:17-32 KEY VERSE: Psalm 119:24

TEXT: John 11:32-45 **KEY VERSE:** John 11:26

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As we remember and honor the Lord, we thank and glorify God for giving life.

What must it have been like to see Jesus raise Lazarus from the dead?

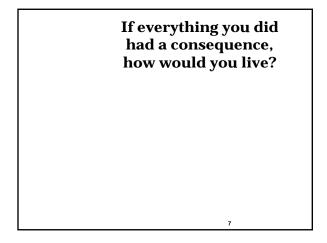
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How did this event impact the people?

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1) <u>Confession</u> Before Reception. These things said he: and after that he saith unto them, Our friend Lazarus sleepeth; but I go, that I may awake him out of sleep. (John 11:11)

> Before we receive the answer to prayer, we must believe and confess the promise God gave in His Word.

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Faith is not a feeling, it is an action.

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Jesus saith unto her, Thy brother shall rise again. (John 11:23)

Then said Martha unto Jesus, Lord, if thou hadst been here, my brother had not died. (John 11:21)

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Martha saith unto him, I know that he shall rise again in the resurrection at the last day. (John 11:24) Jesus said unto her, I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live: (John 11:25)

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Then when Mary was come where Jesus was, and saw him, she fell down at his feet, saying unto him, Lord, if thou hadst been here, my brother had not died. (John 11:32) Mary is holding onto life (Jesus Christ) with her hands, but clinging to death in her heart (if thou hadst been here).

Saying you want life is not enough, you must choose life and the things that bring the Giver of Life on the scene.

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I call heaven and earth to record this day against you, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing: therefore choose life, that both thou and thy seed may live: (Deuteronomy 30:19) God loves us so much that He will allow us to choose, even if we make the wrong decision.

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Death and life are in the power of the tongue: and they that love it shall eat the fruit thereof. (Proverbs 18:21)

Speak life, do right and live your life for Christ.

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33 When Jesus therefore saw her weeping, and the Jews also weeping which came with her, he groaned in the spirit, and was troubled, 34 And said, Where have ye laid him? They said unto him, Lord, come and see. (John 11:33-34)

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Jesus is about to do a miracle, but their unbelief caused Him to weep.

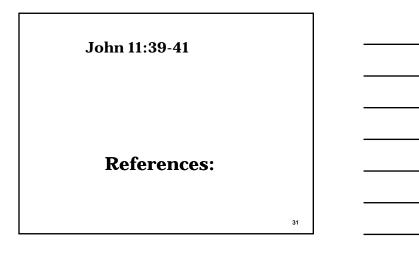
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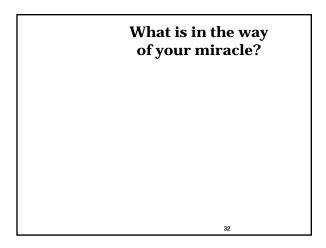
35 Jesus wept. 36 Then said the Jews, Behold how he loved him! (John 11:35-36)

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37 And some of them said, Could not this man, which opened the eyes of the blind, have caused that even this man should not have died? 38 Jesus therefore again groaning in himself cometh to the grave. It was a cave, and a stone lay upon it. (John 11:37-38)





What is keeping you from receiving the answer to your prayer?

43 And when he thus had spoken, he cried with a loud voice, Lazarus, come forth. 44 And he that was dead came forth, bound hand and foot with graveclothes: and his face was bound about with a napkin. Jesus saith unto them, Loose him, and let him go. (John 11:43-44)

> It is time for us to walk free, loosed from the things that have been binding us and keeping us dead and in the grave.

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What is in the way of your miracle?

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And in that day ye shall ask me nothing. Verily, verily, I say unto you, Whatsoever ye shall ask the Father in my name, he will give it you. (John 16:23)

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Things are changing, because God is moving.

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Concluding Scripture:

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1 Peter 5:6-9

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