

Easter Sunday

April 17, 2022

BECAUSE HE LIVES *We can Live Fearlessly*

"Jesus included everyone in his death so that everyone could also be included in his life, a resurrection life, a FAR BETTER LIFE than people ever lived on their own." 2 Corinthians 5:15 (MSG)

"This resurrection life you receive from God's Spirit is not a fearful life. You're no longer a slave of fear anymore. Instead, God's Spirit makes you His child and you now relate to God as your loving Father!" Romans 8:15 (MSG/NLT)

Big Idea – Faith in Jesus frees me SIN and FEAR

Because of the Resurrection:

1. We Know That Jesus Tells Us _____

- Romans 1:4 (NLT)

2. We Know That Death _____

- Hebrews 2:14b -15
- 2 Corinthians 4:14, 16-17

3. We Know That God Loves Us _____

- Romans 5:8
- Ephesians 3:18-19b
- Romans 8:38-39
- 1 John 4:18a
- 1 John 4:18b

4. We Know God Has A _____ for Our Lives

- 1 Peter 1:3b-4
- Hebrews 4:16
- Romans 8:28

5. We God Know Will Take _____

- Ephesians 1:19-20
- Hebrews 4:16
- Matthew 6:25-34



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Discuss and Apply

Use the following questions to help you formulate age-appropriate questions to stimulate conversation that matter. Please share your ideas and experiences with us at connect@manna.church.

1. What impacted you the most from this week's message? Encouraged you? Challenged you?
2. Romans 8:15 states the resurrected life given to us by the Spirit is not a fearful life. Nevertheless, fears can build on one another. Are there fears that we are afraid of exposing because of others' opinions?
3. How can we begin to live fearlessly in the resurrected life?
4. For over 2000 years, many people have been trying to refute the resurrection of Jesus. Why is the truth of the resurrection of Jesus so vital to our fundamental beliefs?
5. Although 2 Corinthians 4:17 reminds us our current fears are small compared to our future with the Lord, sharing our fears with others, and with our Father, helps us remember we have been freed by Jesus' death and resurrection. How does knowing truth help fearlessness?

Prayer

Heavenly Father, thank you for revealing your plan to me through your Word. Empower me by your Holy Spirit to understand and apply this truth to every area of my life. I surrender my fears to you and receive your forgiveness, freedom, and victory today. Help me share this message of hope with others in my life.

In Jesus' Name, Amen

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