

Easter 2023

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I. WHAT DOES THE RESURRECTION MEAN?

It Means...

1 Jesus is the TRUTH.

I am the resurrection and the life. Anyone who believes in me will live, even after dying.

JOHN 11:25b (NLT)

I am **the** Way—yes, and the Truth and the Life. No one can get to the Father except by means of me.

JOHN 14:6b (LB)

2 Jesus is P O W E R F U L.

All power in Heaven and on earth has been given to me.

MATTHEW 28:18 (PH)

No one takes my life from me. I have the power to lay it down and I have the power to take it up again.

JOHN 10:18 (PH)

3 Jesus keeps his PROMISES.

They will mock... and flog... and kill me; but after three days I will come back to life again.

MARK 10:34 (LB)

The angel said, "Don't be frightened! I know you are looking for Jesus who was crucified, but he isn't here! He has come back to life again, just as he said he would..."

MATTHEW 28:5-6 (LB)

II. WHY DOES THE RESURRECTION MATTER?

Because Now...

1 My P A S T can be forgiven.

...he <u>forgave</u> all our sins. He canceled the record of the charges against us and took it away by nailing it to the cross.

COLOSSIANS 2:13b-14 (NLT)

"There is <u>no condemnation</u> awaiting those who belong to Christ "

ROMANS 8:1 (LB)

2 I can have P O W E R over my problems.

How incredibly great <u>his power is to help</u> those who believe Him... that same mighty power that raised Christ from the dead!

EPHESIANS 1:19b-20 (LB)

I am <u>ready for anything</u> through the strength of (Christ) who lives in me.

PHILIPPIANS 4:13 (PH)

3 My F U T U R E can be guaranteed.

This is the way to have <u>eternal life</u> - by knowing you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, the one you sent to earth!

JOHN 17:3 (LB)

Because Jesus was raised from the dead, we've been given a brand-new life and have everything to live for, including a future in heaven...

1 PETER 1:3-4 (MSG)

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SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS

- 1 Share one thing that stood out to you in this week's sermon and why.
- 2 What empty promises frustrate you the most?
- 3 How does the resurrection of Jesus fulfill God's promises to us?
- 4 How does the resurrection give us power over our problems?
- What does the resurrection mean for your life? How do you live your life differently, knowing that you share in Jesus's victory over sin, darkness, and death?
- What should you start doing this week to begin sharing the hope found in Jesus's resurrection?
- 7 How can we be praying for you this week?



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04.13 | Adult Basketball Spring League Begins

04.16 | Classic Praise

SCA Parent Info Meeting at Rancho

04.19 | Membership Dinner at Rancho

04.22 | Drew Brees: Becoming a Champion Youth Volleyball Spring League Begins