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He is Risen

Luke 24:1 - 7

1 Now on the first day of the week, very early in the morning, they, and certain other women with them, came to the tomb bringing the spices which they had prepared. 2 But they found the stone rolled away from the tomb. 3 Then they went in and did not find the body of the Lord Jesus. 4 And it happened, as they were greatly perplexed about this, that behold, two men stood by them in shining garments. 5 Then, as they were afraid and bowed their faces to the earth, they said to them, **“WHY DO YOU SEEK THE LIVING AMONG THE DEAD? 6 HE IS NOT HERE, BUT IS RISEN!** Remember how He spoke to you when He was still in Galilee, 7 saying, ‘The Son of Man must be delivered into the hands of sinful men, and be crucified, and the third day rise again.’ ” **ALIVE!**

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Matt 28:1 - 7

1 Now after the Sabbath, as the first day of the week began to dawn, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary came to see the tomb. 2 And behold, there was a great earthquake; for an angel of the Lord descended from heaven, and came and rolled back the stone from the door, and sat on it. 3 His countenance was like lightning, and his clothing as white as snow. 4 And the guards shook for fear of him, and became like dead men.

5 But the angel answered and said to the women, "Do not be afraid, for I know that you seek Jesus who was crucified. 6 HE IS NOT HERE; FOR HE IS RISEN, as He said. Come, see the place where the Lord lay. 7 And go quickly and tell His disciples that He is risen from the dead, and indeed He is going before you into Galilee; there you will see Him. Behold, I have told you."

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Mark 16:11, 'When they heard that he was alive... they did not believe.'

Luke 24:11, 'Their words seemed to to them like idle tales, and they did not believe them.'

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The resurrection of Jesus Christ is the central pillar of faith. It is the crowning event in Gods redemptive history, the very cornerstone of Christianity. The resurrection is both the foundation of the gospel and the guarantee of Heaven.

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Job 14:14

“If mortal man dies, can he live again?”

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Questions:

1. **Origin:** Where did I come from?
2. **Purpose:** What am I doing here?
3. **Eternity:** Where am I going?

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John 11:25 - 26

"Jesus said to her, 'I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in Me, **though he may die, he shall live.** And whoever lives, and believes in Me shall never die. Do you believe this?"

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The Way, The Truth, The Life

John 14:6

Jesus said to him, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me."

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Jesus is the TRUTH

Rom 10:9

“If you confess with your mouth the LORD Jesus and believe in your heart that God has raised Him from the dead, you will be saved.”

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Gen 2:15 - 17

15 Then the LORD God took the man and put him in the garden of Eden to tend and keep it. 16 And the LORD God commanded the man, saying, "Of every tree of the garden you may freely eat; 17 but of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you shall not eat, for in the day that you eat of it you shall surely die."

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Gen 3:4 - 5

4 Then the serpent said to the woman, "You will not surely die. 5 For God knows that in the day you eat of it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil."

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Sin has a penalty: (wages)

Rom 6:23

“For the **WAGES** of sin is death, but the **GIFT** of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.”

Rom 5:12

“Therefore, just as through one man sin entered the world, and death through sin, and thus death spread to all men, because all sinned...”

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Sin has a persuasion: (fallen wisdom)

Gen 2:16

“Of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil...”

Gen 3:5 - 6

“... God knows that in the day you eat of it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil... she saw the tree was desirable to make one wise...”

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Rom 5:20

"The law was brought in so that the trespass might increase. But where sin increased, grace increased all the more..."

'So then, the law was introduced into Gods plan to bring the reality of human sinfulness out of hiding.' **PASSION.**"

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Jesus is the WAY

Rom 8:3

“For what the law could NOT do in that it was weak through the flesh, God did by sending His own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh on account of sin.”

NLT

The law of Moses was unable to save us because of the weakness of our human nature. **So God did what the law could not do.** He sent his own Son in a body like the bodies we sinners have. And in that body God declared an end to sin's control over us by giving his Son as a sacrifice for our sins.

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Jesus is the WAY

1 Cor 15:21

“For since by man came death, by Man also came resurrection. For as in Adam, all die, even so in Christ all shall be made alive.”

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Jesus is the WAY

Heb 2:14 - 18

“Since the children have flesh and blood, He too shared in their humanity so that by His death He might break the power of him who holds the power of death—that is, the devil—and free those who all their lives were held in slavery by their fear of death. For surely it is not angels He helps, but Abraham’s descendants. **For this reason He had to be made like them, fully human in every way,** in order that He might become a merciful and faithful High Priest in service to God, and that He might make atonement for the sins of the people. Because He Himself suffered when He was tempted, He is able to help those who are being tempted.”

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Jesus is the WAY

John 3:16

For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting

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Jesus is the LIFE

John 1:1 - 5

1 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. 2 He was in the beginning with God. 3 All things were made through Him, and without Him nothing was made that was made. 4 **IN HIM WAS LIFE**, and the life was the light of men. 5 And the light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not comprehend it.

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John 10:10

'I am come that they may have LIFE, and that they might have it more abundantly (Life to the FULL.) I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd gives His life for the sheep.'

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John 12:23 - 26

"The hour has come that the Son of Man should be glorified. 24 Very truly I tell you, unless a kernel of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains only a single seed. But if it dies, it produces many seeds."

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IN HIS DEATH, LIFE WAS RELEASED.

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1 Cor 15:12 - 19

12 Now if Christ is preached that He has been raised from the dead, how do some among you say that there is no resurrection of the dead? 13 But if there is no resurrection of the dead, then Christ is not risen. 14 And if Christ is not risen, then our preaching is empty and your faith is also empty. 15 Yes, and we are found false witnesses of God, because we have testified of God that He raised up Christ, whom He did not raise up—if in fact the dead do not rise. 16 For if the dead do not rise, then Christ is not risen. 17 **AND IF CHRIST IS NOT RISEN, YOUR FAITH IS FUTILE; YOU ARE STILL IN YOUR SINS!** 18 Then also those who have fallen asleep in Christ have perished. 19 If in this life only we have hope in Christ, we are of all men the most pitiable. **ALIVE!**

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1 Cor 15:20 - 22

20 But now Christ is risen from the dead, and has become the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep. 21 For since by man came death, by Man also came the resurrection of the dead. 22 For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ all shall be made alive.

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IN HIS DEATH, LIFE WAS RELEASED.

**HIS RESURRECTION MADE IT POSSIBLE FOR HIM
TO PUT THAT LIFE INSIDE OF YOU.**

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The Life of God IN you, saves you:

- 1. From living apart from God.**
- 2. From yourself.**
- 3. From the fear of death.**
- 4. From the judgement against sin.**

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The Life of God IN you, saves you:

1. From living apart from God.

John 17:1 - 3

1 Jesus spoke these words, lifted up His eyes to heaven, and said: "Father, the hour has come. Glorify Your Son, that Your Son also may glorify You, 2 as You have given Him authority over all flesh, that He should give eternal life to as many as You have given Him. 3 And this is eternal life, that they may know You, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom You have sent.

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The Life of God IN you, saves you:

2. From Yourself

Rom 6:6

6 We know that our old sinful selves were crucified with Christ so that sin might lose its power in our lives. We are no longer slaves to sin.

Rom 8:10 - 11

And if Christ is in you, the body is dead because of sin, but the Spirit is life because of righteousness. But if the Spirit of Him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, He who raised Christ from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through His Spirit who dwells in you.

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3. From the fear of death, Jesus is our prototype.

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Because God's children are human beings—made of flesh and blood—the Son also became flesh and blood. For only as a human being could he die, and only by dying could he break the power of the devil, who had the power of death. 15 Only in this way could he set free all who have lived their lives as slaves to the fear of death.

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The Life of God IN you, saves you:

4. From judgement against sin.

"It is finished!" 'tetelestai'

- It was finished, it is finished, it will always be finished.
- It was complete, it is complete, it will always be complete.
- It was enough, it is enough, it will always be enough.

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