



▶ Ascending the Hill

My Redeemer Lives

Wisdom

- *Wisdom is living with skill, discipline, and discernment as holy, righteous, loving and faithful citizens of the Kingdom of God through knowing, understanding, and obeying the word of God.*



Easter in a Nutshell

- **NIV Mark 16:5** As they entered the tomb, they saw a young man dressed in a white robe sitting on the right side, and they were alarmed. ⁶ "Don't be alarmed," he said. "You are looking for Jesus the Nazarene, who was crucified. He has risen! He is not here. See the place where they laid him.
- **NIV 1 Peter 2:24** He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, so that we might die to sins and live for righteousness; by his wounds you have been healed.
- **NIV Ephesians 1:7** In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, in accordance with the riches of God's grace

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- ^{NAS} **Romans 1:4** who was declared the Son of God with power by the resurrection from the dead, according to the Spirit of holiness, Jesus Christ our Lord,
- ^{NAS} **1 Peter 1:3** Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who according to His great mercy has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,
- ^{NIV} **Ephesians 2:6** And God raised us up with Christ and seated us with him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus,
- ^{ESV} **1 Corinthians 6:14** And God raised the Lord and will also raise us up by his power.

Looking Back

- ^{NIV} **Acts 2:25** David said about him: "*I saw the Lord always before me. Because he is at my right hand, I will not be shaken. ²⁶ Therefore my heart is glad and my tongue rejoices; my body also will live in hope, ²⁷ because you will not abandon me to the grave, nor will you let your Holy One see decay. ²⁸ You have made known to me the paths of life; you will fill me with joy in your presence.*" ²⁹ "Brothers, I can tell you confidently that the patriarch David died and was buried, and his tomb is here to this day ³⁰ But he was a prophet ... ³¹ Seeing what was ahead, he spoke of the resurrection of the Christ, that he was not abandoned to the grave, nor did his body see decay. ³² God has raised this Jesus to life, and we are all witnesses of the fact.

Looking Further Back

- NAS **Job 19:23** "Oh that my words were written! Oh that they were inscribed in a book! ²⁴ "That with an iron stylus and lead They were engraved in the rock forever! ²⁵ "And as for me, I know that my Redeemer lives, And at the last He will take His stand on the earth. ²⁶ "Even after my skin is destroyed, Yet from my flesh I shall see God; ²⁷ Whom I myself shall behold, And whom my eyes shall see and not another.
- NAS **John 5:39** "You search the Scriptures, because you think that in them you have eternal life; and it is these that bear witness of Me;

Application

Feeling Alone?

- ^{NAS} **Job 19:13** "He has removed my brothers far from me,
And my acquaintances are completely estranged from me.
¹⁴ "My relatives have failed, And my intimate friends have
forgotten me. ¹⁵ "Those who live in my house and my maids
consider me a stranger. I am a foreigner in their sight. ¹⁶ "I
call to my servant, but he does not answer

- ^{NAS} **Isaiah 53:2** ... He has no stately form or majesty That
we should look upon Him, Nor appearance that we should
be attracted to Him. ³ He was despised and forsaken of
men, A man of sorrows, and acquainted with grief; And like
one from whom men hide their face, He was despised, and
we did not esteem Him.

Suffering Persistently?

- NAS **Job 19:20** "My bone clings to my skin and my flesh, And I have escaped only by the skin of my teeth. ²¹ "Pity me, pity me, O you my friends, For the hand of God has struck me.
- NIV **Isaiah 53:4** Surely he took up our infirmities and carried our sorrows, yet we considered him stricken by God, smitten by him, and afflicted. ⁵ But he was pierced for our transgressions, he was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was upon him, and by his wounds we are healed.

Redeemed

- NAS **Isaiah 53:6** All of us like sheep have gone astray, Each of us has turned to his own way; But the LORD has caused the iniquity of us all To fall on Him ... ¹⁰ But the LORD was pleased To crush Him, putting Him to grief; If He would render Himself as a guilt offering, He will see His offspring, ... ¹¹ ... By His knowledge the Righteous One, My Servant, will justify the many, As He will bear their iniquities. ¹² ... He poured out Himself to death, And was numbered with the transgressors; Yet He Himself bore the sin of many, And interceded for the transgressors.

Conclusions



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- NIV **Job 19:25** I know that my Redeemer lives, and that in the end he will stand upon the earth.
- NAS **Galatians 4:4** But when the fulness of the time came, God sent forth His Son, born of a woman, born under the Law, ⁵ in order that He might redeem those who were under the Law, that we might receive the adoption as sons. ⁶ And because you are sons, God has sent forth the Spirit of His Son into our hearts, crying, "Abba! Father!"

Jesus: Our Help and Hope

- ^{NAS} **Hebrews 4:14** Since then we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession. ¹⁵ For we do not have a high priest who cannot sympathize with our weaknesses, but One who has been tempted in all things as we are, yet without sin. ¹⁶ Let us therefore draw near with confidence to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and may find grace to help in time of need.