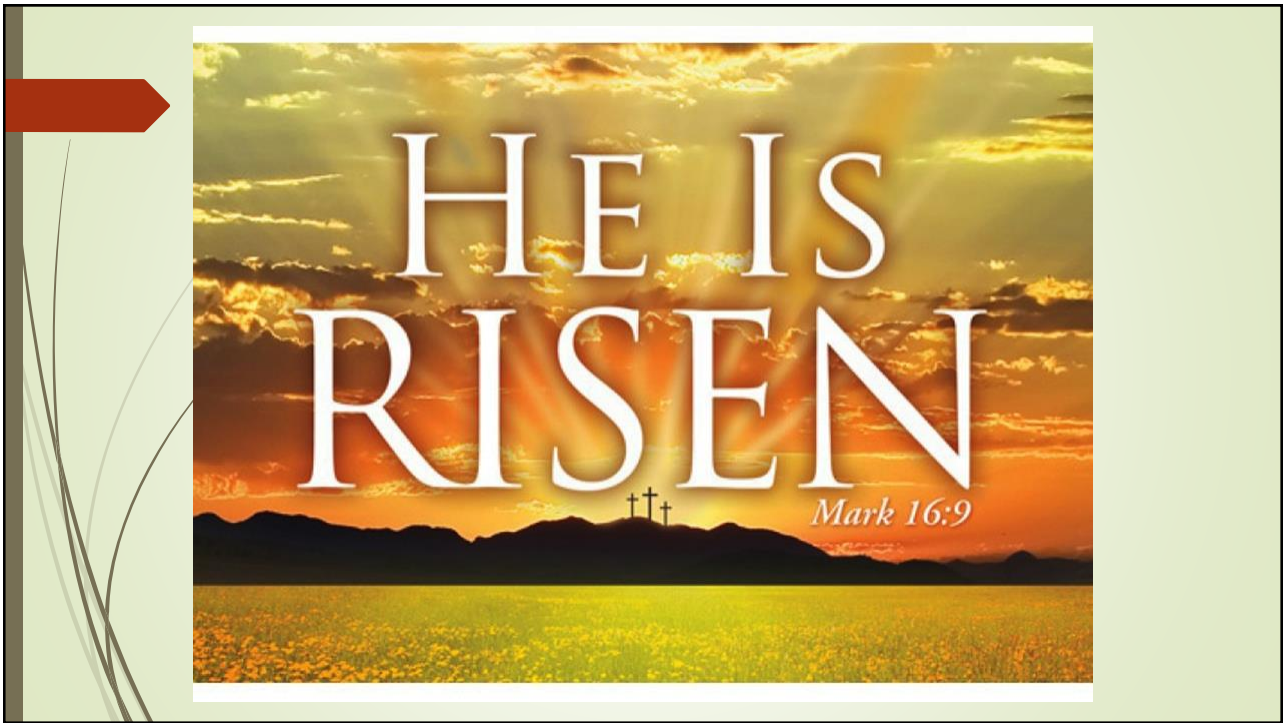


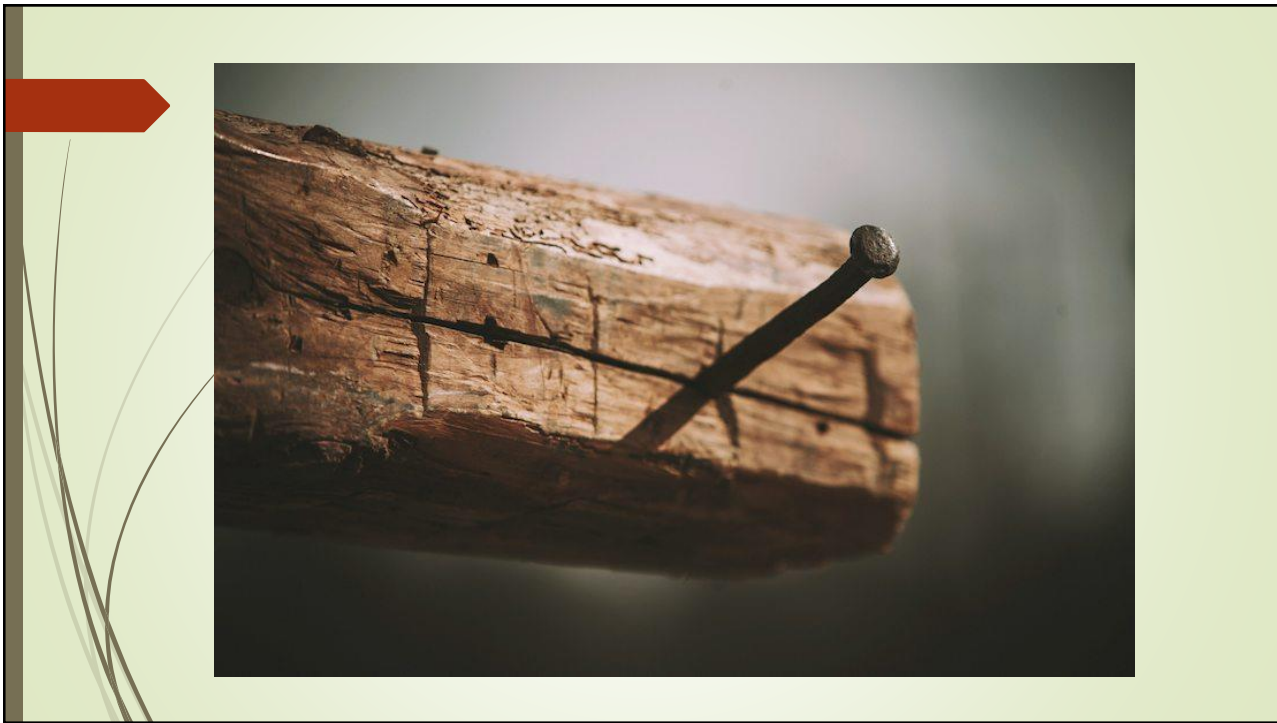
Risen to Newness of Life





Resurrection Sunday

- ^{NAS} **Mark 16:1** And when the Sabbath was over, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the *mother* of James, and Salome, bought spices, that they might come and anoint Him. ² And very early on the first day of the week, they came to the tomb when the sun had risen. ³ And they were saying to one another, "Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance of the tomb?" ⁴ And looking up, they saw that the stone had been rolled away, although it was extremely large. ⁵ And entering the tomb, they saw a young man sitting at the right, wearing a white robe; and they were amazed. ⁶ And he said to them, "Do not be amazed; you are looking for Jesus the Nazarene, who has been crucified. He has risen; He is not here; behold, *here is* the place where they laid Him. ⁷ "But go, tell His disciples and Peter, 'He is going before you into Galilee; there you will see Him, just as He said to you.'"





The Birth of Death

- ^{NAS} **Genesis 2:17** but from the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you shall not eat, for in the day that you eat from it you shall surely die."
- ^{NAS} **Romans 5:12** Therefore, just as through one man sin entered into the world, and death through sin, and so death spread to all men, because all sinned—
- ^{NAS} **James 1:15** Then when lust has conceived, it gives birth to sin; and when sin is accomplished, it brings forth death.
- ^{ESV} **Romans 8:22** For we know that the whole creation has been groaning together in the pains of childbirth until now.



The Wages of Sin

- NAS **Romans 6:23** For the wages of sin is death, ...
- NAS **Ezekiel 18:4** "Behold, all souls are Mine; the soul of the father as well as the soul of the son is Mine. The soul who sins will die.
- NAS **Galatians 6:7** Do not be deceived, God is not mocked; for whatever a man sows, this he will also reap. ⁸For the one who sows to his own flesh shall from the flesh reap corruption, ...
- NAS **Revelation 21:8** "But for the cowardly and unbelieving and abominable and murderers and immoral persons and sorcerers and idolaters and all liars, their part *will be* in the lake that burns with fire and brimstone, which is the second death."




Grace Foreshadowed

- ^{ESV} **Hebrews 10:1** For since the law has but a shadow of the good things to come instead of the true form of these realities, it can never, by the same sacrifices that are continually offered every year, make perfect those who draw near. ² Otherwise, would they not have ceased to be offered, since the worshipers, having once been cleansed, would no longer have any consciousness of sins? ³ But in these sacrifices there is a reminder of sins every year. ⁴ For it is impossible for the blood of bulls and goats to take away sins.



The Wages of Sin; Paid in Full

- ^{NAS} **Romans 6:23** For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.
- ^{NAS} **Romans 3:21** But now apart from the Law the righteousness of God has been manifested, ...²² even the righteousness of God through faith in Jesus Christ for all those who believe; ...²⁴ being justified as a gift by His grace through the redemption which is in Christ Jesus; ²⁵ whom God displayed publicly as a propitiation in His blood through faith. This was to demonstrate His righteousness, because in the forbearance of God He passed over the sins previously committed; ²⁶ for the demonstration of His righteousness at the present time, that He might be just and the justifier of the one who has faith in Jesus.



The Death of Death

- **ESV 1 Corinthians 15:21** For as by a man came death, by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead.
- **ESV Romans 5:15** But the free gift is not like the trespass. For if many died through one man's trespass, much more have the grace of God and the free gift by the grace of that one man Jesus Christ abounded for many. ¹⁶ And the free gift is not like the result of that one man's sin...¹⁷ For if, because of one man's trespass, death reigned through that one man, much more will those who receive the abundance of grace and the free gift of righteousness reign in life through the one man Jesus Christ.



The Power of Death Conquered

- ^{NAS} **Hebrews 2:14** Since then the children share in flesh and blood, He Himself likewise also partook of the same, that through death He might render powerless him who had the power of death, that is, the devil; ¹⁵ and might deliver those who through fear of death were subject to slavery all their lives.



The Sting of Death Conquered

- ^{NAS} **1 Corinthians 15:54** But when this perishable will have put on the imperishable, and this mortal will have put on immortality, then will come about the saying that is written, "Death is swallowed up in victory. ⁵⁵ "O death, where is your victory? O death, where is your sting?" ⁵⁶ The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law; ⁵⁷ but thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.



King of Life: First Fruits from the Dead

- ^{NAS} **Isaiah 26:19** Your dead will live; Their corpses will rise. You who lie in the dust, awake and shout for joy, For your dew is as the dew of the dawn, And the earth will give birth to the departed spirits.
- ^{NAS} **1 Corinthians 15:20** But now Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who are asleep.
- ^{NAS} **Colossians 1:18** He is also head of the body, the church; and He is the beginning, the first-born from the dead; so that He Himself might come to have first place in everything.



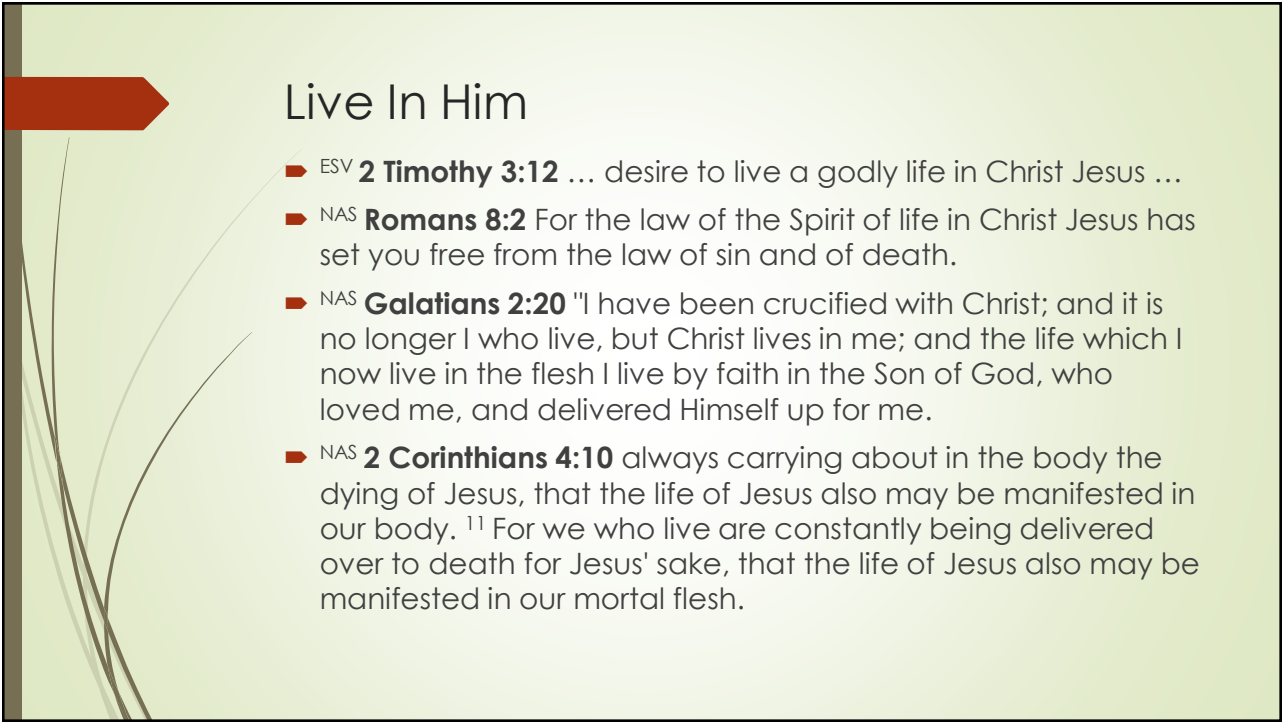
Raised Like Him

- ^{NAS} **1 Thessalonians 4:15** For this we say to you by the word of the Lord, that we who are alive, and remain until the coming of the Lord, shall not precede those who have fallen asleep. ¹⁶ For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of *the* archangel, and with the trumpet of God; and the dead in Christ shall rise first. ¹⁷ Then we who are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air, and thus we shall always be with the Lord.
- ^{NAS} **1 John 3:2** Beloved, now we are children of God, and it has not appeared as yet what we shall be. We know that, when He appears, we shall be like Him, because we shall see Him just as He is.



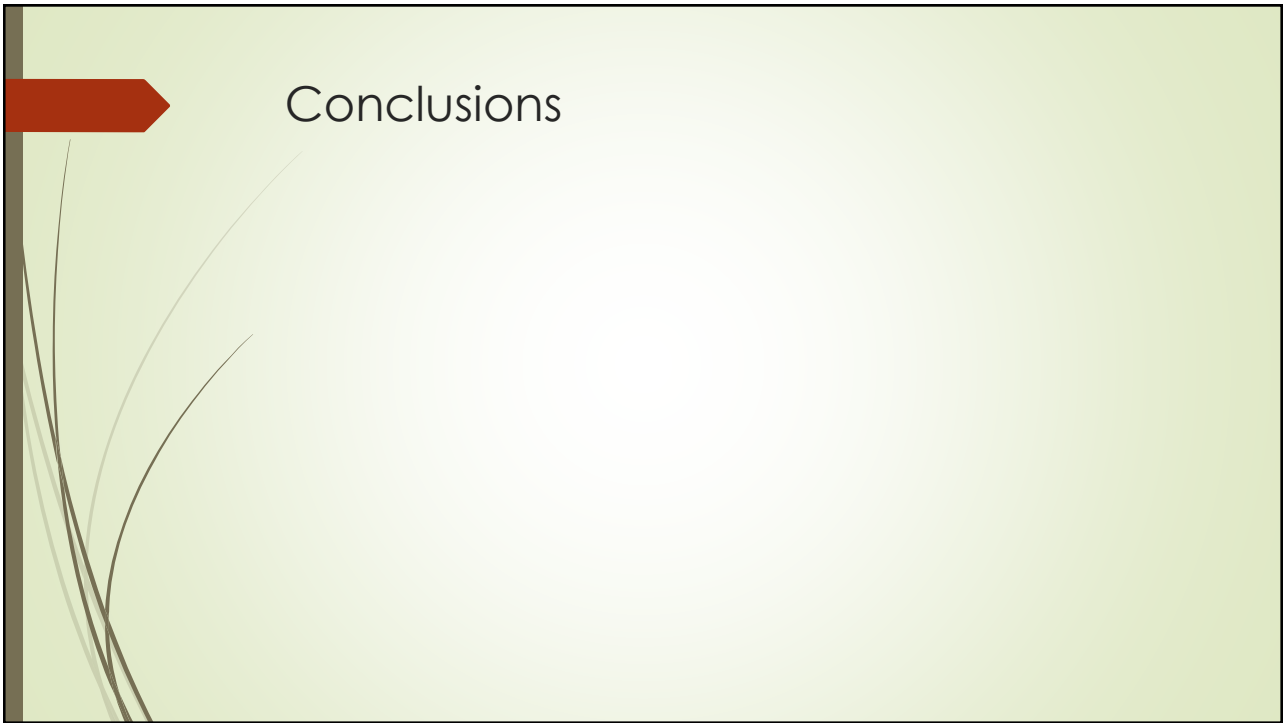
Raised In Him

- ^{NAS} **Ephesians 2:4** But God, being rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us, ⁵ even when we were dead in our transgressions, made us alive together with Christ (by grace you have been saved), ⁶ and raised us up with Him, and seated us with Him in the heavenly places, in Christ Jesus,
- ^{NAS} **Colossians 3:1** If then you have been raised up with Christ, keep seeking the things above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. ²Set your mind on the things above, not on the things that are on earth. ³For you have died and your life is hidden with Christ in God.



Live In Him

- ^{ESV} **2 Timothy 3:12** ... desire to live a godly life in Christ Jesus ...
- ^{NAS} **Romans 8:2** For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus has set you free from the law of sin and of death.
- ^{NAS} **Galatians 2:20** "I have been crucified with Christ; and it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me, and delivered Himself up for me.
- ^{NAS} **2 Corinthians 4:10** always carrying about in the body the dying of Jesus, that the life of Jesus also may be manifested in our body. ¹¹ For we who live are constantly being delivered over to death for Jesus' sake, that the life of Jesus also may be manifested in our mortal flesh.



Conclusions




New Life in Christ

- ^{NAS} **John 1:4** In Him was life, and the life was the light of men.
- ^{NAS} **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 eternal life.
- ^{NAS} **John 6:40** "For this is the will of My Father, that everyone who beholds the Son and believes in Him, may have eternal life; and I Myself will raise him up on the last day."
- ^{NAS} **John 11:25** Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life; he who believes in Me shall live even if he dies, ²⁶ and everyone who lives and believes in Me shall never die..."




Christ in Us, The Hope of Glory

- ^{ESV} **John 14:19** Yet a little while and the world will see me no more, but you will see me. Because I live, you also will live. ²⁰ In that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you.
- ^{ESV} **John 17:21** that they may all be one, just as you, Father, are in me, and I in you, that they also may be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent me. ²² The glory that you have given me I have given to them, that they may be one even as we are one, ²³ I in them and you in me, that they may become perfectly one, so that the world may know that you sent me and loved them even as you loved me.
- ^{ESV} **Colossians 1:27** To them God chose to make known how great among the Gentiles are the riches of the glory of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory.



Newness of Life in Christ

- ^{NAS} **Romans 6:4** Therefore we have been buried with Him through baptism into death, in order that as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, so we too might walk in newness of life.
- ^{NAS} **Galatians 2:20** "I have been crucified with Christ; and it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me, and delivered Himself up for me.



He Lives

- I serve a risen Saviour, He's in the world today
I know that He is living, whatever men may say
I see His hand of mercy, I hear His voice of cheer
And just the time I need Him He's always near
- He lives, He lives, Christ Jesus lives today
He walks with me and talks with me
Along life's narrow way
He lives, He lives, Salvation to impart
You ask me how I know He lives?
He lives within my heart