

WHAT the BIBLE TEACHES about GOD and JESUS CHRIST

Lesson 7 - Part 5

THE RESURRECTION OF JESUS CHRIST

The results of Jesus Christ's resurrection

1. Whom did Jesus raise from the dead while on earth?

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How do we know Jesus' resurrection body is real?

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How is the resurrection body different?

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Whose body will our resurrection body be like?

2. Jesus raised Jairus' daughter, the widow's son, and Lazarus.

His resurrection body is real because:

- He could be seen and recognized.
- He could be touched because He had flesh and bone.
- He could eat.

The resurrection body is different in that:

- He was not kept in or bound by anything.
- His resurrection body had control over earthly things.
- He lives forever.

Our resurrection body will be like the resurrection body of Jesus Christ.

Some results of the resurrection of Jesus Christ are:

- It proves that Jesus Christ is God.
- It proves that God accepted Jesus Christ's sacrifice for sin.
- It proves the inspiration of the Word of God.
- It made Jesus Christ our high priest.
- It makes His work now and in the future possible.

Some prophets raised a few people back to life. Jesus raised some people back to life. Paul and Peter raised some people back to life. But have you ever heard of someone raising himself back to life? Only God has control over life to give life and to take it.

Acts 2:24

But God raised him (Jesus) from the dead, freeing him from the agony of death, because it was impossible for death to keep its hold on him.

Acts 3:15

You killed the author of life, but God raised him from the dead. We are witnesses of this.

Who raised Jesus from the dead?

3. God raised Jesus from the dead.

John 10:18

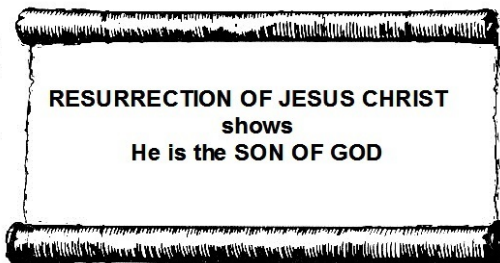
No one takes it (my life) from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have authority to lay it down and authority to take it up again. This command I received from my Father.

Who had power to lay down His life and to take it again?

4. Jesus had this power. This right was given to Him by His Father. When Jesus rose with a resurrection body, it proved that He is God.

Romans 1:4

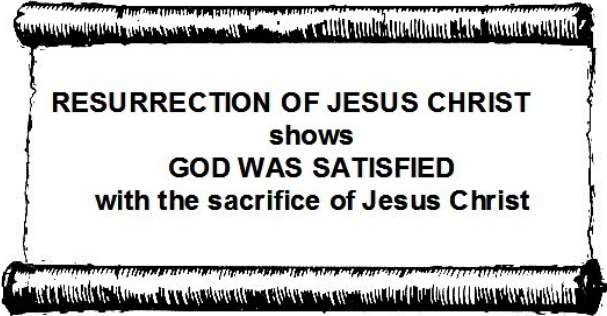
And who through the Spirit of holiness was declared with power to be the Son of God by his resurrection from the dead: Jesus Christ our Lord.



What does the resurrection of Jesus Christ show?

According to Hebrews 1:8, The Son of God is

5. The Son of God is God. The resurrection of Jesus Christ shows that He is the Son of God. God has the power of life and death and He gave this power also to His Son.



The resurrection also shows that God accepted the sacrifice of Jesus Christ.

Romans 4:25

He was delivered over to death for our sins and was raised to life for our justification (right with God).

Who was raised to life to make us right with God?

6. Jesus was raised to make us right with God. Because Jesus was raised from the dead, we can be sure God's justice was appeased (satisfied). The penalty for our sin had been paid. God was satisfied with the offering Jesus made for sin. God can forgive our sins now.

What does the resurrection of Jesus Christ show?

- It proves that Jesus Christ is
- It proves that God accepted
- It proves that the Scriptures are inspired.
- Jesus Christ was made a high priest forever.
- It made His present and future work possible.

7. The resurrection of Jesus Christ proves that:

- Jesus Christ is God.

- God accepted Jesus Christ's sacrifice for sin.
- The Scriptures are inspired.
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- His present and future work were made possible.

The resurrection of Jesus Christ shows that Jesus is God and that God accepted the sacrifice He made for sin.

Jesus taught the people many things while He was alive. He taught them about God. He taught them how to live.

What did Jesus teach in these verses?

- Matthew 12:40
- John 2:19-22
- John 10:17,18

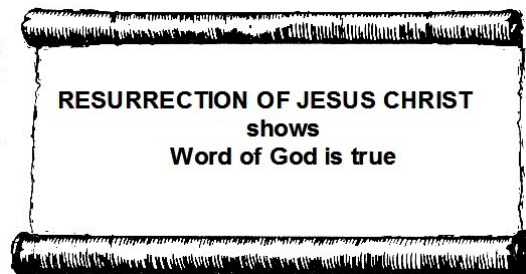
8. Jesus taught that He would die, be buried, and rise again the third day. We read that Jesus rose from the dead as He said He would.

Matthew 28:6

He is not here; he has risen, just as he said. Come and see the place where he lay.

What does this tell us about the words of Jesus?

9. This tells us that the words of Jesus are true. If His words came true, we can trust all the Word of God all the way and all the time. The resurrection of Christ proves what we read in John 17:17.



John 17:17

Sanctify them by the truth; your word is truth.

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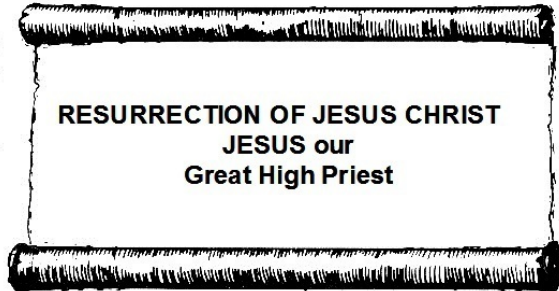
10. The resurrection of Jesus Christ shows that Jesus is God, that God accepted Jesus Christ's sacrifice for sin, and the Word of God is true or inspired. The Jewish people had priests who prayed to God for them. These priests made sacrifices. Each priest served for a time, but when one priest died, another priest had to make the sacrifices and pray for the people.

Hebrews 7:23,24

Now there were many of those priests, since death prevented them from continuing in office; but because Jesus lives forever, he has a permanent (never ending) priesthood.

Who has a permanent priesthood?

11. Jesus has a permanent priesthood. He made the sacrifice for sin when He died. But He rose again from the dead, and now He lives forever. Because He lives forever, He will always be a High Priest. As a High Priest He prays for us.



Hebrews 7:25

Therefore he is able to save completely those who come to God through him, because he always lives to intercede for them.

What does Jesus Christ do for us?

12. Jesus Christ intercedes for us. This is another way of saying that He prays for us.

Romans 8:34

Who is He that condemns? Christ Jesus, who died - more than that, who

was raised to life - is at the right hand of God and is also interceding for us.

What does Jesus Christ do for us?

13. Jesus Christ prays for us. The resurrection of Jesus made Him a High Priest forever.

The results of the resurrection of Jesus Christ are:

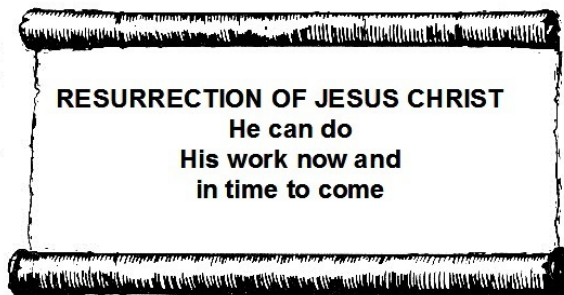
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If Jesus Christ had remained dead, He could have done nothing more. We would not have known if God had accepted His sacrifice for sin. He could not forgive our sins. He could not pray to the Father for us.

If Jesus Christ had not risen from the dead, He could not raise us to life again after death. We would have no hope. As Paul says in 1 Corinthians 15:19, *"we are to be pitied more than all men."* If Jesus Christ had not risen from the dead, He could not be King in the millennial (thousand years) period of time. (We will talk about this in



Lesson 10).

But JESUS CHRIST ROSE FROM THE DEAD, He can do all things now and in time to come.

15. What are the results of the resurrection of Jesus Christ?

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- It proves that God accepted the _____ for sin.
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16. **Write** out Revelation 1:18.

Questions from Lesson 7.

1. What three things happened at the end of the earthly life of Jesus Christ?
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2. What is special or different about the leader of the Christian religion?
3. Who believed Jesus was dead?
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4. What did the empty tomb show?
 5. What are four things which prove that Jesus Christ rose from the dead?
 - Jesus
 - There was a change
 - The day of rest and worship
 - The _____ started.
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