

Importance of the Resurrection - Resurrection In Him

- The Resurrection is a big deal! It did not just take place when the ladies first went to the tomb and found it empty. The Resurrection was planned from the foundation of the world, and began manifestation thousands of years later in the heart of the earth. "... the Lamb slain from the foundation of the world." Revelation 13:8.
- For a moment imagine what Satan must have been thinking when he had Jesus crucified: 1. I have succeeded with using Judas Iscariot, with false charges, and with a false trial in having Jesus condemned to death. 2. I've had Jesus beaten and smacked around by the soldiers, scourged, beard plucked off, thorns jammed on his head, and finally crucified to death – murdered! 3. I now have Jesus in the center of this earth – in the pit of hell, and we are torturing him, and we have defeated God – we have won!!! "But we speak the wisdom of God in a mystery, even the hidden wisdom, which God ordained before the world unto our glory: Which none of the princes of this world knew: for had they known it, they would not have crucified the Lord of glory." 1 Corinthians 2:7-8.
- "For thou wilt not leave my soul in hell; neither wilt thou suffer thine Holy One to see corruption." Ps. 16:10. "For as Jonas was three days and three nights in the whale's belly; so shall the Son of man be three days and three nights in the heart of the earth." Matthew 12:40. "After two days will he revive us: in the third day he will raise us up, and we shall live in his sight." Hosea 6:2. "Wherefore he saith, When he ascended up on high, he led captivity captive, and gave gifts unto men. (Now that he ascended, what is it but that he also descended first into the lower parts of the earth? He that descended is the same also that ascended up far above all heavens, that he might fill all things.)" Ephesians 4:8-10. "Thou hast ascended on high, thou hast led captivity captive: thou hast received gifts for men; yea, for the rebellious also, that the Lord God might dwell among them." Psalms 68:18. "I am he that liveth, and was dead; and, behold, I am alive for evermore, Amen; and have the keys of hell and of death."

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- The Resurrection marks the defeat of Satan and all of Satan's kingdom, allowing for mankind to be born again and receive all the blessings of the Holy Scriptures.