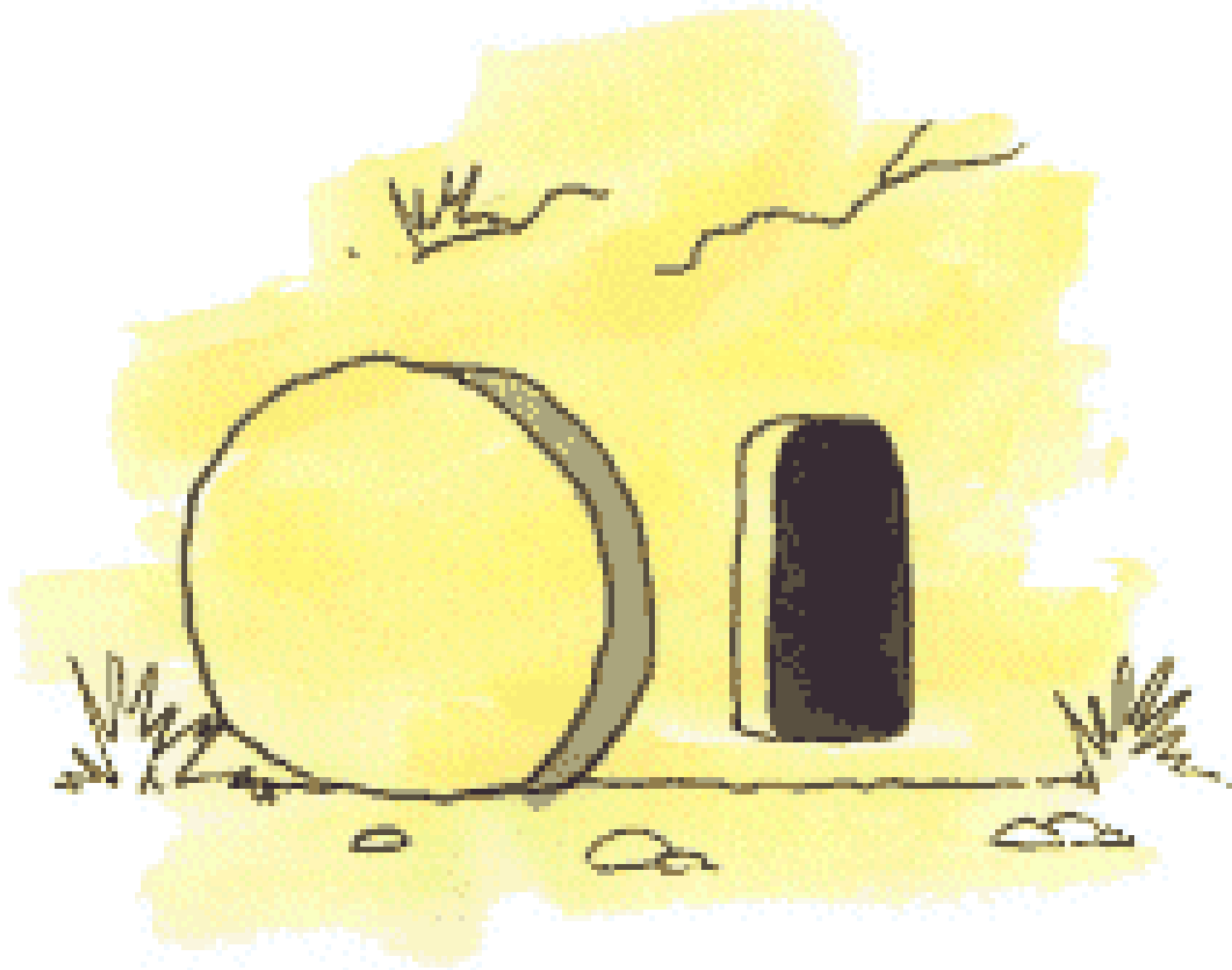


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The Stone is Rolled Away “HE IS RISEN”



BELIEVING FOR LIFE
JOHN 20: 24 - 31

JESUS APPEARS TO THOMAS

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THE LEAD UP

John 11 1-44 Raising of Lazarus The one Jesus loved

John 12:1 - 8 Arrives at Bethany 6 days before the Passover

John 12: 12-19 The next day (Sunday) Entry to Jerusalem

Mark 11: 15-18 The next day (Monday) Scourges the Temple

Mark 12:1-44 Parables (Tuesday,Wednesday) Temple courtyard

John 13: 1-30 Passover Feast (Thursday) Last Supper, Gethsemane

John 18: 2-;19 Jesus' arrest, Trial (Thursday night Friday Morn)

John 19: 17-30 Jesus' Crucifixion and Death (early Friday Morn)

John 19: 31-42 The burial of Jesus (Friday Afternoon before 6pm)

John20:1-31 Resurrection of Jesus (Sunday Morning)

THE TRIAL (5 IN ONE)

John 18: 2-19: Jesus' arrest, Trial (Thursday night Friday Morn)

Trial 1: Annas, Previous High Priest Father in law of Caiaphas

Trial 2: Caiaphas, Current High Priest

Trial 3: Pilate, Roman Governor

Trial 4: Herod, Governor over Galilee district (Jesus a Galilean)

Trial 5: Pilate, Roman Governor

I find no fault in this man washed his hands and handed Jesus over to be Crucified

Taken away Stripped, flogged, purple robe and crown of thorns

RESURRECTION EVIDENCE

Sweat drops of blood, Garden of Gethsemane; Luke 22:44

A medical condition known as “**Hematidrosis**” not common

Flogging John 19:1

Causes “**Hypovolemic**” shock. hypo= low, vol=volume, emic=blood Losing a large amount of blood.

- Causes 4 things:-**
- (1) Heart races pumping out blood**
 - (2) Blood pressure drops causes fainting**
 - (3) Kidneys shut down to store fluids**
 - (4) become thirsty**

RESURRECTION EVIDENCE

Carrying the Cross Luke 23:26

Weak after being flogged Stumbles and falls

Agony of the Cross John 19:23

Hands are nailed feet nailed to a resting block.

Ps 22 my bones are out of joint not broken. Isaiah 53 “wounded...”

Was Jesus dead John 19:33

Romans masters at known and if someone is dead

Spear in the side John 19:34

blood and water, water caused by heart failure

RESURRECTION EVIDENCE

Proof of nailed crucifixion:-

1968 archaeologists in Jerusalem found a grave with bodies that had been crucified and there were nails in their feet.

The tomb **John 19:38**

Owned by Joseph of Arimathea a member of the Sanhedrin who condemned Jesus but was not at the vote. **Luke 23:50-51**

The Empty Tomb **John 20:1-2**

All gospels have differing versions of that morning as to who was there and the events that took place.

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RESURRECTION EVIDENCE

Three Days and Three nights in the heart of the Earth Matt12:40

Jesus was in the tomb Friday afternoon, Saturday, Sunday Morning and according to Jewish time part days are classed as full days(3)

Reasons for the Empty Tomb

Paul's writing **1Cornth15** very old and reliable speaks of the empty tomb.

The site of he tomb was known to all in Jerusalem and if it weren't empty how would Christianity start with the resurrection as the basis

By itself an empty grave does not a resurrection make

C S Lewis wrote "New Testament says nothing about the Resurrection"

RESURRECTION EVIDENCE

(1) Did Jesus Die on the Cross

We have cleared up previously that he did definitely Die on the cross

(2) Did he appear later to people :-

Paul writes in **1Corth 9;1** “Am I not an apostle, Have I not seen Jesus our Lord” then in Chapter 15:8 “Last of all he appeared to me”

1Corth 15: 1-10 demonstrates who Jesus appeared to

Also it is classed as a creed Paul starts “For what I received I passed on”
Technical Rabbinical terms for passing along holy tradition.

RESURRECTION

APPEARANCES:-

- 1 **Mark 16:9** Mary Magdalene at the Tomb
- 2 **Matt 28:9-10** to the woman on the road
- 3 **Luke 24:13-32** Disciples on the road to Emmaus
- 4 **Luke 24: 34** to Peter
- 5 **John 20: 19-25** to 10 of the Disciples
- 6 **John 20: 26-31** to 11 disciples (including Thomas)
- 7 **John 21: 1-25** to 7 disciples o the shore fishing
- 8 **1Corth 15:6** to more than 500 in Galilee
- 9 **1Corth 15:7** to James (a Disciple or Jesus' half brother)
- 10 **Luke 24: 44 Acts 1:3-11** to the apostles at his ascension

RESURRECTION EVIDENCE

Gal 1:18-19 Paul visits Jerusalem and meets with Peter and James.

The Greek word used in the text ***“historeo” means Investigative.***

In **Corth 15:11** Paul states “ that is what **we** preach” other apostles.

Acts 5:36-39 “of human origin it will fail” **Acts10:39** “seen by us”.

Peter **Acts 2:32** “God raised Jesus to life” **Acts 3:15** “God raised him”

Luke 24:45 to his disciples “Doubts rise in your mind Touch me”

Acts 9:40 Peter raise’s Dorcas **Acts 20:10** Paul raises Eutychus

The Resurrection is Undoubtedly the central proclamation of the early church and they would have made absolutely sure of their facts.

WHAT WILL YOU DO WITH JESUS

Jesus said **John 12:32** “If I be lifted up I will draw all men unto me”

John 1:12 “Yet to all who receive him, to those who believe in his name he gave the right to become children of God”

John 8:24 “if you do not believe that I am the one I claim to be, you will indeed die in your sins”

Acts 5:36-39 “of human origin it will fail”

Saving Grace Formula:-

Believe + Receive = Become