



3 Reasons why Easter is so Important:

1. Jesus' resurrection \_\_\_\_\_ His deity v.1-8

- Prophesied \_\_\_\_\_ Christ's life  
*Psalm 16:9-11; (Cf. Ac 2:27; 13:33-35); Psalm 40:1-2; Isaiah 25:8*
- Predicted \_\_\_\_\_ Christ's life  
*John 2:18-21; Matthew 12:39-40*

Jesus' plain prophesies of his death & resurrection.

- At Caesarea Philippi  
*Mark 8:31 ...Son of man must ...**be killed, and after three days rise again.***
- After the Mount of Transfiguration  
*Mark 9:9-10 ... Son of man were **risen from the dead.** And they kept that saying with themselves, questioning one with another what the **rising from the dead** should mean.*
- In Galilee  
*Mark 9:31 ... **they shall kill him; and after that he is killed, he shall rise the third day.***
- Going up to Jerusalem  
*Mark 10:33-34 [Gentiles]... **shall kill him: and the third day he shall rise again.***
- At the Good Shepherd sermon in Jerusalem  
*John 10:17-18 ...**I lay down my life, that I might take it again.***
- At the Last Supper in the Upper Room  
*Mark 14:27-28 But **after that I am risen, I will go before you into Galilee.***

- Proclaimed \_\_\_\_\_ Christ's life  
*Romans 1:4*

Who do you believe Jesus is? He's not just a good man or prophet. He claimed to be the Messiah – the Christ, the Son of God – and He proved it by His resurrection.

## 2. Jesus' resurrection \_\_\_\_\_ your salvation v.13-18

- Because He rose from the dead, you can be \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ to new life  
*1 Peter 1:3*
- Because He rose from the dead, you can \_\_\_\_\_  
the new life  
*Romans 6:4*
- Because He rose from the dead, you can be made  
\_\_\_\_\_ before God  
*Romans 4:24-25*
- Because He rose from the dead, you can be \_\_\_\_\_  
from Hell  
*Romans 10:9*

## 3. Jesus' resurrection \_\_\_\_\_ you hope v.19-55

- Hope of life \_\_\_\_\_ death  
*John 11:25; 1 Corinthians 6:14*
- Hope of a \_\_\_\_\_ body  
*(Cf. Ro 8:11; 1Th 4:13-18)*
- Hope of an \_\_\_\_\_ life  
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