

JESUS SOLVES LIFE'S GREATEST PROBLEM

The Resurrection of Lazarus

John 11

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John 20:31 but these have been written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing you may have life in His name.

1. Jesus is sovereign over your _____ v1-16

John 21:19 Now this He said, signifying by what kind of death he would glorify God. And when He had spoken this, He said to him, "Follow Me!"

John 9:1-3 As He passed by, He saw a man blind from birth. And His disciples asked Him, "Rabbi, who sinned, this man or his parents, that he would be born blind?" Jesus answered, "It was neither that this man sinned, nor his parents; but it was so that the works of God might be displayed in him.

Exodus 4:11 The Lord said to him, "Who has made man's mouth? Or who makes him mute or deaf, or seeing or blind? Is it not I, the Lord?"

Deuteronomy 32:39 See now that I, I am He, and there is no god besides Me; it is I who put to death and give life. I have wounded and it is I who heal, and there is no one who can deliver from My hand.

Job 1:21 The Lord gave and the Lord has taken away. Blessed be the name of the Lord.

Romans 8:28 And we know that God causes all things to work together for good to those who love God, to those who are called according to His purpose.

2. Jesus is sufficient for your _____ v17-27

John 5:28-29 An hour is coming, in which all who are in the tombs shall hear His voice, and shall come forth; those who did the good deeds to a resurrection of life, those who committed the evil deeds to a resurrection of judgment.

- The _____ of Salvation **I am the resurrection and the life v25**

I am the great conqueror of death...I am the great Spring and Source of all life, and whatever life one has, eternal, spiritual, physical, is all owing to Me. All that are raised from the grave will be raised by Me. Separate from Me there is no life at all. Death came by Adam: life comes from Me. –JC Ryle

- The _____ of Salvation **He shall live even if he dies. v25-25**

1 Corinthians 15:55 Death is swallowed up in victory. O death, where is your victory? O death where is your sting?

- The _____ of salvation **he who believes in Me v26**

John 3:36 He who believes in the Son has eternal life; but he who does not obey the Son will not see life, but the wrath of God abides on him.

- The _____ of salvation **he who believes...everyone v25-26**

3. Jesus _____ with your sorrows v28-37

- _____ **He was deeply moved in spirit and was troubled. v33**

- _____ **Jesus wept v35**

Hebrews 4:14-16 For we do not have a high priest who cannot sympathize with our weaknesses, but One who has been tempted in all things as we are, yet without sin. Let us therefore draw near with confidence to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and may find grace to help in time of need.

Let us carefully remark that our Lord never changes. He did not leave behind Him His human nature when He ascended up into heaven. At this moment, at God's right hand, He can be touched with the feeling of our infirmities, and can understand tears as well as ever. Our great High Priest is the very Friend that our souls need, able to save as God, able to feel as man. –JC Ryle

4. Jesus substantiates His _____ v38-44

5. Jesus _____ as a fork in the road v45-53

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