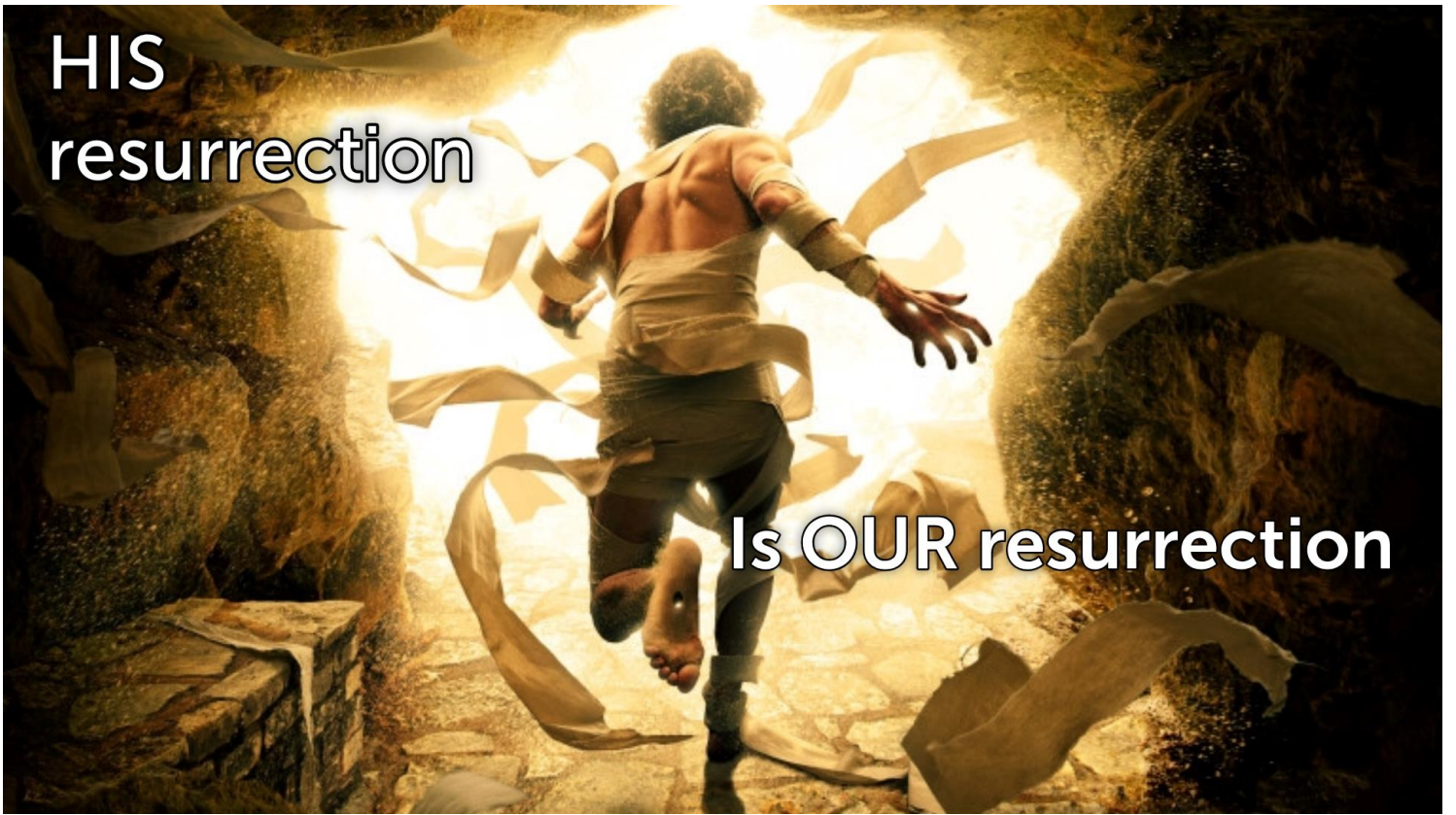


**HIS
resurrection**

Is OUR resurrection



**7 "For there is hope for a tree,
When it is cut down, that it will
sprout again, And its shoots will
not fail.**

Job 14:7–15

8 "Though its roots grow old in
the ground And its stump dies in
the dry soil,

Job 14:7–15

**9 At the scent of water it will
flourish And put forth sprigs like
a plant.**

Job 14:7–15

**10 But man dies and lies
prostrate. Man expires, and
where is he?**

Job 14:7–15

**11 As water evaporates from the
sea, And a river becomes
parched and dried up,**

Job 14:7–15

12 So man lies down and does not rise. *Until the heavens are no longer, He will not awake nor be aroused out of his sleep...*

Job 14:7–15

14 *If a man dies, will he live again? All the days of my struggle *I will wait Until my change comes.**

Job 14:7–15

**15 You will call, and I will
answer You; You will long for
the work of Your hands.**

Job 14:7–15

The oldest question of
Human existence has
always been:
is this all there is?

**16 For if the dead are not raised,
not even Christ has been raised;**

1 Corinthians 15:16–19

17 and *if Christ has not been raised, your faith is worthless; you are still in your sins.*

1 Corinthians 15:16–19

18 Then those also who have
fallen asleep in Christ have
perished.

1 Corinthians 15:16–19

19 If we have hoped in Christ in this life only, we are of all men most to be pitied.

1 Corinthians 15:16–19

It was not just essential that Jesus die to pay a price for our sins, but also that He would rise to show that His sacrifice was accepted.

Our hope does not rest only
on our sins being forgiven.

Our hope is in the
resurrection power of Jesus
to raise us also from the
dead.

20 But now Christ has been raised from the dead, the *first fruits* of those who are asleep.

1 Corinthians 15:20–23

21 For since by a man *came* death, by a man also *came* the resurrection of the dead.

1 Corinthians 15:20–23

22 For as in Adam all die, so also
in Christ all will be made alive.

1 Corinthians 15:20–23

23 But each in his own order:
Christ the first fruits, after that
*those who are Christ's at His
coming,*

1 Corinthians 15:20–23

Jesus was just the
first to rise.

50 Now I say this, brethren, that
flesh and blood cannot inherit the
kingdom of God; nor does the
perishable inherit the imperishable.

1 Corinthians 15:50–58

51 Behold, I tell you a mystery; we will not all sleep, but we will all be changed,

1 Corinthians 15:50–58

52 in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet; for the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised imperishable, and we will be changed.

1 Corinthians 15:50–58

53 For this perishable must put on the imperishable, and this mortal must put on immortality.

1 Corinthians 15:50–58

54 But when this perishable will have put on the imperishable, and this mortal will have put on immortality, *then will come about the saying that is written, "DEATH IS SWALLOWED UP in victory.*

1 Corinthians 15:50–58

**55 "O DEATH, WHERE IS YOUR
VICTORY? O DEATH, WHERE IS
YOUR STING?"**

1 Corinthians 15:50–58

56 The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law;

1 Corinthians 15:50–58

57 but thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

1 Corinthians 15:50–58

58 Therefore, my beloved brethren,
be steadfast, immovable, always
abounding in the work of the Lord,
knowing that your toil is not in vain
in the Lord.

1 Corinthians 15:50–58