

Cornerstone Message Notes

Jesus' Resurrection - the Power of a Life Raised Up

Pastor Dan Page - 4/1/18

□

THEME / (The Sermon In a Sentence or Two)

Jesus rose from the dead conquering death, sin & Satan bringing eternal life & eternal victory for & to all who believe.

□

APPLICATION / (What to Do with What You Hear)

Live the risen life in the power of the Spirit cleansed by the blood of the Lamb.

□

FOCUS / (The Core of the Content to Get Us Started)

It's Resurrection Sunday, 2018! What we're celebrating here this morning is also being celebrated by millions & millions of Christ-followers all over the world.

Think about that - millions & millions of followers today (let alone the millions & millions from over the centuries till now) all over the world? How can that be? This Jewish carpenter with a grand total of three years of public ministry with a very questionable birth, let alone all the misunderstandings & controversy that swirled around him, let alone a very less-than-ideal group of first followers with one who betrayed him leading to his death ... and you've got people all over the world sinning "I serve a risen Savior" today?

Yes, you do :-) ... and we're going to trust God today to help us in the greatest way possible to embrace His story continuing to live & be told through us.

Because of Jesus' Resurrection We Can & Should ...

1. LIVE without FEAR.

Death is dead. Satan is defeated. The world is conquered. The flesh is finished.

Ephesians 3:20-21 / Hebrews 2:14-15 & 13:6 / 1 John 4:18

□

2. EXPERIENCE the POWER of the SPIRIT.

The same power that raised Jesus from the dead now lives in us.

Luke 24:49 & Acts 1:8 / Romans 8:11

□

3. be BOLD in our WITNESS & LAVISH in our LOVE.

As Christ-followers we should be the most bold & loving people on earth.

Acts 4:29 & 33 / 2 Corinthians 5:14-15 / Ephesians 5:1-2 / 1 John 3:23

Making It Real Questions

- 1] Is fear a part of your life in a way God never intended it to be?
- 2] Are you experiencing the power of the Holy Spirit in your life today?
- 3] Are you bold in your witness & lavish in your love?

Action Step

Prayerfully bring the 3 points of this message to God in prayer. Ask Him for victory today.