Welcome from

the Kirkland church family!



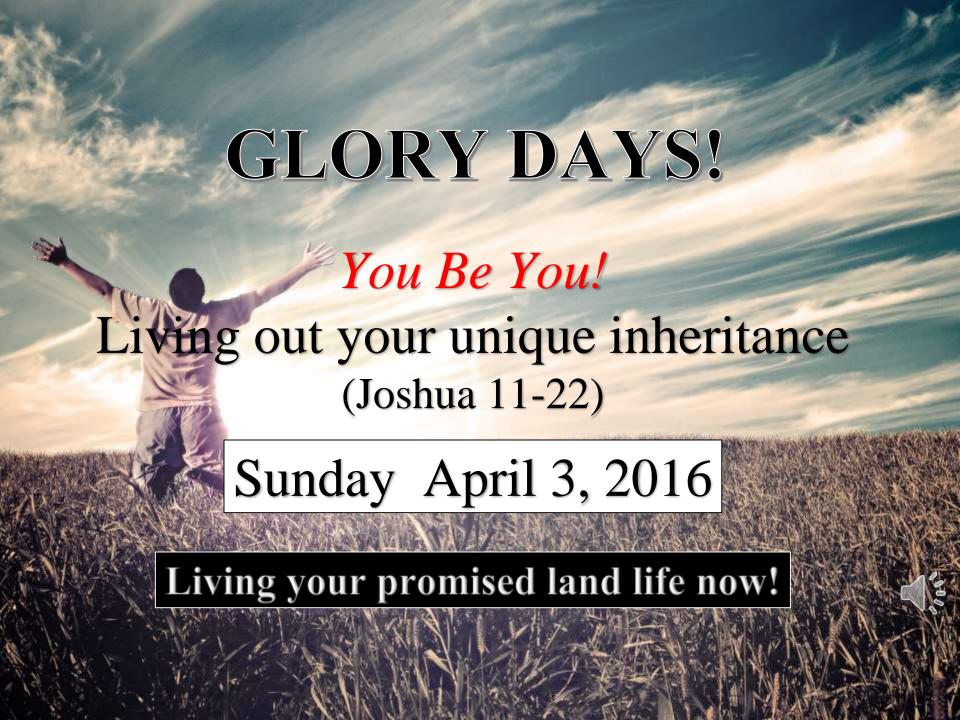
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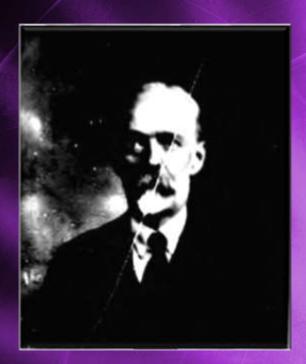
"CREATIVE PARENTING" Thinking out of the Box



Sun 5:00 p.m. March 27

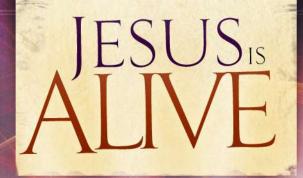






"The Christian creed is the ignorant past, bullying the enlightened present."

Robert Ingersoll
1833 to 1899



"Death is swallowed up by victory" (I Cor 15:54-55).

EXPERIENCING RESURRECTION HOPE!

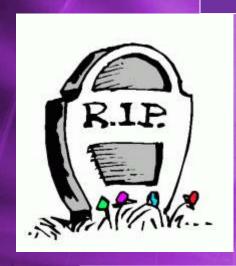
CELEBRATE THE RESURRECTION OF JESUS CHRIST

Thesis:

- 1. The resurrection itself.
- 2. How it should impact our daily life!

WHAT IS GOING TO HAPPEN?

DEATH!





WHAT IS GOING TO HAPPEN?

A Bodily Resurrection!





HOW?

How will we be raised?

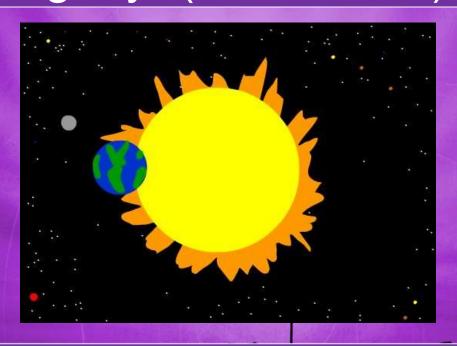
"All Flesh is not the same flesh, but there is one flesh of men, and another flesh of beasts, another flesh of birds, and another of fish" (I Cor 15: 39-40). NASU







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"That which you sow does not come to life unless it *dies*; you do now sow the body which *is to be*, but a <u>bare grain</u>, perhaps of wheat or something else. But <u>gives it a body just as He wished</u>, and to each of the seed <u>a body of its own</u>" (I Cor 15:36-38).



WHEN? "Each in his own order" (vs 23).

- First Christ was raised (vs 20).
- Christians (I Thess 4:13-18).
- The earth is destroyed (vs 24).
- Christ will deliver the kingdom (vs 25).
- Death will be destroyed (vs 26).
 - Fulfills: Isaiah 25: 8-9!

Think...



How does this give me meaning?
Purpose?

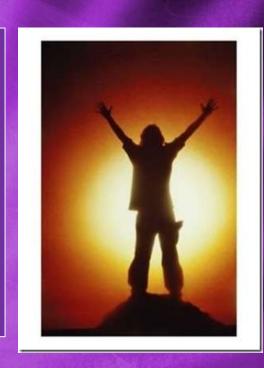
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How does resurrection hope impact my life?

WHEREFORE ..

Provides me with power when I feel weak.



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It offers

encouragement
when I'm down.

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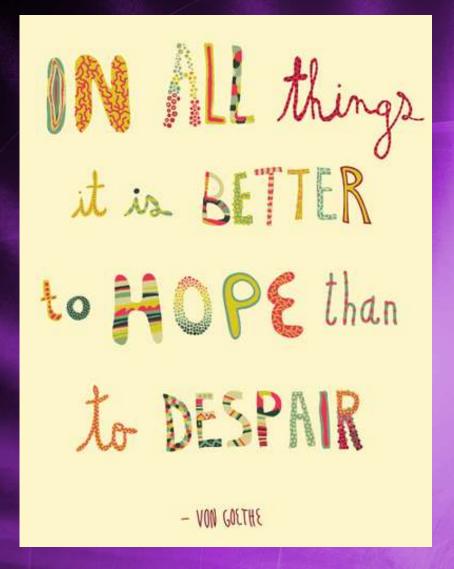
 Makes suffering <u>meaning</u>ful not just <u>bearable</u>.



WHEREFORE..

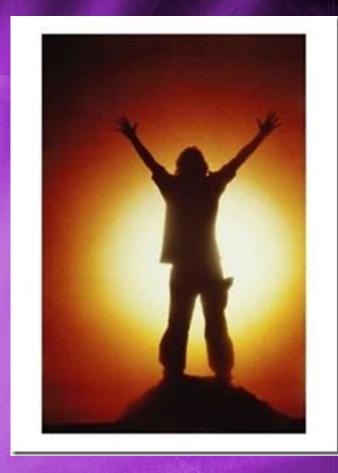


Supplies will power to subdue sinful desires.



The power of the resurrection fortifies hope when I feel futility.

The hope of the resurrection assures me of the victory when defeat looms large.



THE RESURRECTION IS THE BEDROCK OF OUR CHRISTIANITY!



