

Resurrection Sunday – Breakthrough

"I tell you the truth, unless a kernel of wheat is planted in the soil and dies, it remains alone. But its death will produce many new kernels – a plentiful harvest of new lives."

John 12:24 NLT

Resurrection!

Jesus breaks through the bondage of the human race and brings new hope for everyone who trusts in the One Who took the nothingness and separation from God out of death – the human sting!

We experience breakthrough moments throughout our lifetime; those times when we pushed through barriers of uncertainty into victory; a sense of relief and some accomplishment.

What are some of the breakthrough moments in your life?

When we assess those historical times of Biblical breakthroughs we can see how the Lord processed His plan and how that affected the people involved.

What was the moment of breakthrough for Joseph's story (reference Gen37, 39-41)?

What was the moment of breakthrough for the disciples (reference Luke 24 – Acts 2)?

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What was the moment of breakthrough like for Saul/Paul (Acts 9)?

The elements of trust, obedience, commitment and empowerment are embedded in each occasion when the Lord was able to change the course of life for everyone who followed His instruction.

In Ephesians 1:13, which attribute above does Paul place as the moment of breakthrough, spiritually speaking?

According to this same passage, how does a person gain new identity with Jesus Christ?

Does Jesus add anything to this attribute in John 11:25? If yes, then what?

How does the passage in John 12:23-24 relate to our experience both from Jesus and our own lives?