



Alive

He is not here. He is risen.

Challenge to Remember

Gospel: Good News!
Jesus' Life, Death & Resurrection

Challenge:

To **Receive** it

To **Stand in** it

To **Hold Fast** to it

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Challenge to the Intellect

1. Jesus truly **Died**



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A hand wearing a grey sweater sleeve is writing in an open book with a quill pen. A lit candle in a green holder sits on the desk. The background is a sunset over a forested mountain range.

Challenge to the Intellect

2. Jesus truly Rose

First Proof:
Biblical Prophecy

Objection: It's not True

1. Bible is Reliable & Inerrant
2. Secular Historians Confirm

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2. Jesus truly Rose



Second Proof:
Eyewitness

Objection: It's made up

Disciples were Changed because they saw Him die & saw Him come back

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“I know the resurrection is a fact and Watergate proved it to me. How? Because 12 men testified they had seen Jesus raised from the dead, then they proclaimed that truth for 40 years, never once denying it. Everyone was beaten, tortured, stoned and put in prison. They would not have endured that if it weren't true. Watergate embroiled 12 of the most powerful men in the world-and they couldn't keep a lie for three weeks. You're telling me 12 apostles could keep a lie for 40 years? Absolutely impossible.”

Objection: It's a Legend

Not enough time to form a legend

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Objection: It's a hallucination

Simple Solution: produce the body!

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is it foolish to
believe?

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Challenge to the Heart

Christian Truth is **Transformational**
Grace + Truth = **Transformation**

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Grace & Truth

Transformed Paul





New Identity
New Freedom
New Hope
New Confidence

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APRIL
FOOLS'
DAY

Those the **World** calls a Fool
Those **God** calls a Fool



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