

Resurrection in all of scripture



Why?

For what I received I passed on to you as of first importance that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures,

⁴ that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures

Resurrection in the OT



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Genesis 1

1:1-2 - what is there?

What does God do on
each day of creation?

Genesis 2:7

What does God
breathe?

What does this mean
for the man?

2 Trees - Genesis 2:9



Banished - Genesis 3:23



“See now that I myself am he!
There is no god besides me.
I put to death and I bring to life,
I have wounded and I will heal,
and no one can deliver out of my
hand.

Deuteronomy 32:39

Abraham

“Against all hope, Abraham in hope believed and so became the father of many nations, just as it had been said to him, “So shall your offspring be.” 19 Without weakening in his faith, he faced the fact that his body was as good as dead—since he was about a hundred years old—and that Sarah’s womb was also dead.”

Romans 4:18-19

“The Lord brings death and makes
alive;
he brings down to the grave and
raises up.

1 Samuel 2:6

Genesis 22

What does Abraham
believe about God?

How does this passage
have resurrection hope?

Clue: Hebrews 11:17-19

By faith Abraham, when God tested him, offered Isaac as a sacrifice. He who had embraced the promises was about to sacrifice his one and only son, even though God had said to him, “It is through Isaac that your offspring will be reckoned.” Abraham reasoned that God could even raise the dead, and so in a manner of speaking he did receive Isaac back from death.

Hebrews 11:17-19

In groups, look up these verses:

- Genesis 40:20-21
- Genesis 42:18
- Exodus 15:22-25 & 19:11
- 2 Kings 20:5-6
- Jonah 1:17
- Esther 5:1

What do they all have in common?

Come, let us return to the Lord.
He has torn us to pieces
but he will heal us;
he has injured us
but he will bind up our wounds.
After two days he will revive us;
on the third day he will restore us,
that we may live in his presence.
(Hosea 6:1–2)

Valley of dry bones



Then he said to me: “Son of man, these bones are the people of Israel. They say, ‘Our bones are dried up and our hope is gone; we are cut off.’ Therefore prophesy and say to them: ‘This is what the Sovereign Lord says: My people, I am going to open your graves and bring you up from them; I will bring you back to the land of Israel.’”

Ezekiel 37:11-12

- Job 19:25-27
- Psalm 16:10-11

How do these passages speak of resurrection hope?

Resurrection in New Testament



John 11:23-26

Where does Jesus say
resurrection is?

2 Heads:



1 Corinthians 15:20-23
Romans 5:12/17

Genesis 3

Garden

1 man + 1 woman

Angels

Sin + Death

Banished from life

John 20

Garden

1 man + 1 woman

Angels

Sin + Death beaten

Can know God
again

the Last Adam—was the Gardener par excellence. He was faithful where Adam was not. He subdued, overcame, and exercised dominion. He paid sin's wage. Right there in another garden, death was undone through bodily resurrection. This was new creation, the dawning of a whole new world. Jesus had defeated the serpent, and now all authority in heaven and on earth belonged to him. He would make the blessings to Abraham flow as far as the curse was found. The resurrection of Jesus guarantees the same bodily hope for believers. His was “the first-fruits of those who have fallen asleep” ([1 Cor 15:20](#)).

Revelation 22:1-5

A new creation!

But if Christ is in you, then even though your body is subject to death because of sin, the Spirit gives life because of righteousness. And if the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you, he who raised Christ from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies because of his Spirit who lives in you.