



3 _____ – to receive a _____

“...I am the **resurrection** and the life.” (v. 25)

The Three Powerful Proofs

- ▶ The _____ tomb
- ▶ The _____ witnesses
- ▶ The _____ transformations

FINAL THOUGHT:

AN EASTER PRAYER

“Dear God, thank you for sending your son, Jesus Christ, to earth. I believe Jesus was who he said he was and proved it by rising from death. I want to discover and begin following your plan and purpose for my life. I want to get to know you personally. Thank you, Jesus, for dying for me and forgiving all my sins. I receive you as my Lord and Savior. Thank you for your free gift of eternal life.”

Amen.



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²⁰When Martha heard that Jesus was coming, she went out to meet him, but Mary stayed at home.

²¹"Lord," Martha said to Jesus, "if you had been here, my brother would not have died. ²²But I know that even now God will give you whatever you ask."

²³Jesus said to her, "Your brother will rise again."

²⁴Martha answered, "I know he will rise again in the resurrection at the last day."

²⁵Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die; ²⁶and whoever lives by believing in me will never die. Do you believe this?"

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⁴³... Jesus called in a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" ⁴⁴The dead man came out, his hands and feet wrapped with strips of linen, and a cloth around his face.

Jesus said to them, "Take off the grave clothes and let him go."

JOHN 11:20-26, 43-44

HOW CAN I FIND REAL HOPE?

1 _____ – when you _____
"...She **went out** to meet him..." (v. 20)

Where is Jesus?

"For where two or three gather in my name, there am I with them."

MATTHEW 18:20

Why I Love Coming to Church

- ▶ _____ – I'm reminded of God's **ACCEPTANCE**
- ▶ _____ – I'm rescued by God's **DIRECTION**



2 _____ – to keep yourself _____
"...I know **he will rise** again..." (v. 24)

The Benefits for People Who Have Hope

- ▶ Hope _____ – Hope releases you from your **PAST**
- ▶ Hope _____ – Hope helps you bounce **BACK**
- ▶ Hope _____ – Hope sets you free to **DREAM**
- ▶ Hope _____ – Hope is the **FUEL** that makes the world a better place

-RAY JOHNSTON, HOPE QUOTIENT