

INTRODUCTION

- * At Christmas time, we considered the Impact of the Incarnation ... This morning I would like us to consider the Impact of the Resurrection
- * As I have meditated upon this day, the Lord has impressed upon me a passage that does not seem to be the typical "Easter" passage
- * Yet, as we saw in our consideration of the Impact of the Incarnation ... So, it is the importance and impact of the resurrection that is so crucial in our walk with Christ!
- * So this morning, I would like to challenge you to ask yourself - what **practical** impact has the resurrection of Christ made in your life?
- * Christ HAS risen ... He HAS risen in indeed! But, other than getting up early on Resurrection Day and looking forward to being in His presence one day ... what impact does it have in your daily life?

INSTRUCTION**I. THE E_____AL IMPACT OF THE RESURRECTION IS THE B_____ OF OUR HOPE (v. 9-14)****A. The Pl_____ of Man (cf. James 2:10; Romans 6:23)**

1. THE RE_____ OF SIN

2. THE RE_____ OF SIN

B. The Pl_____ of God (cf. Romans 6:23; John 11: 23-26; Ephesians 2:8-9; 2 Corinthians 5:21; Romans 3:21-26)

1. THE G_____ OF G_____

2. THE R_____ OF C_____

II. THE T_____AL IMPACT OF THE RESURRECTION IS THE E_____ OF OUR HOPE (v. 12-20)

- * Hebrews 11:1; I John 3:2-5

A. The I_____ation (cf. Romans 6:1)**B. The E_____ation****INTROSPECTION**

- * WHAT IMPACT HAS THE RESURRECTION OF CHRIST HAD UPON YOUR LIFE?
- * HAVE YOU ACCEPTED GOD'S FREE GIFT OF ETERNAL LIFE WHICH IS A RESULT OF CHRIST'S RESURRECTION?
- * ARE YOU AVAILING YOURSELF OF THE POWER OF THE RESURRECTION IN YOUR LIFE TODAY?

OR, ARE YOU UNDER THE MASTERY OF SOME SELFISH GRATIFICATION?

- * ARE YOU GLORIFYING GOD IN YOUR BODY AND IN YOUR SPIRIT?
- * IS THERE A NEED TO "CHANGE THE WAY YOU THINK" ... AND, THEREFORE, ACT?