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### **Dry Bones Come Alive**

\*Dry-yabesh-dry, dried, gone, withered

\*Bone-etssem-bone, substance, self, as representing entire person(including physical & moral)

\*Faith – Hebrews 11:1 “Now faith(pistis) is *the* certainty of *things* hoped for, a proof of things not seen.”

\*Ezekiel 37:1-14

\*Verse 2 **bones that were very dry (what can cause)**

- Strongholds:
  - Galatians 5:19-21 deeds of the flesh
  - Unconfessed sin in our life
  - Lies we have believed
  - Unforgiveness
  - Generational sins
  - Abuse (physical or mental)
- No hope

\*Verse 4 - **Prophecy to these bones; hear the word of the Lord.**

- Psalm 81:10 Open your mouth wide and I will fill it
- Exodus 3 Moses
- Hebrews 4:12 God’s Word is active and living.
- Breath of God partnered with Ezekiel’s faith declaration

\*Verse 6 - **you will come to life. Then you will know that I am the LORD**

- God does this so we will know fully that He is God.
- Promise - Will come to life

\*Verse 9 - **Prophecy to the breath**

- (Hebrew)breath – breath, wind, spirit → Acts 2:2 (Greek)wind - wind, breath

\*Verse 10 - **prophesied as he commanded me; came to life and stood up on their feet—a vast army**

- Change required obedience and surrender
- Stood – (Hebrew) to take one's stand, stand; Eph. 6:11-17 stand firm (Greek) to make to stand, to
- We are not alone, part of an army that stands together

\*Verse 14 **I will put my Spirit in you and you will live, and I will settle you in your own land**

- Promise - I will put my Spirit in you
- Promise - You will live
- Promise - I will settle (Hebrew-*make quiet* in mind, *set at rest*)you in your own land

\*\*Declaring Ezekiel 37:9 over your life: Come from the four winds, breath, and breathe life into \_\_\_\_\_(fill in blank).

### Come Alive (Dry Bones)

Song by Lauren Daigle

Through the eyes of men, it seems there's so much we have lost  
As we look down the road where all the prodigals have walked  
One by one, the enemy has whispered lies  
And led them off as slaves

But we know that You are God, Yours is the victory  
We know there is more to come  
That we may not yet see  
So with the faith You've given us  
We'll step into the valley unafraid, yeah

As we call out to dry bones, come alive, come alive  
We call out to dead hearts, come alive, come alive  
Up out of the ashes, let us see an army rise  
We call out to dry bones, come alive

God of endless mercy, god of unrelenting love  
Rescue every daughter, bring us back the wayward son  
And by Your spirit, breathe upon them, show the world that You alone can save  
You alone can save

As we call out to dry bones, come alive, come alive  
We call out to dead hearts, come alive, come alive  
Up out of the ashes, let us see an army rise  
We call out to dry bones, come alive

So breathe, oh, breath of God  
Now breathe, oh, breath of God  
Breathe, oh, breath of God, now breathe