



THE LAST ENEMY

1 Corinthians 15:1-26

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BIG IDEA: Because Christ lives, death does not get the last word.

THE RESURRECTION IS THE HEART OF THE GOSPEL (vv. 1-11)

Jesus' death and resurrection are the center of saving truth.

The resurrection is a historical event, not a religious idea.

WITHOUT THE RESURRECTION, WE HAVE NO HOPE (vv. 12-19)

If Christ is not raised, our faith is futile.

If Christ is not raised, death still wins.

BUT CHRIST HAS BEEN RAISED—AND DEATH HAS BEEN DEFEATED (vv. 20-22)

Jesus' resurrection guarantees the resurrection of His people.

Jesus reverses what Adam brought into the world.

JESUS' RESURRECTION GUARANTEES DEATH'S FINAL DESTRUCTION (vv. 23-26)

Jesus is reigning now over every enemy.

Death is defeated now and will be destroyed forever.

Scripture Verses (ESV): 1 Corinthians 15:1-11, Mark 10:45, Luke 24:39, Romans 8:33-34, Job 19:25-27, John 11:25-26, Romans 5:17, Acts 2:32-36, Revelation 20:14, Revelation 21:4