Resurrected, Not Just “Back-To-Life”

John 20:1-18

**I His Resurrection Shows that He Was Authentic & Approved**

* **Jesus said it would happen** - Mark 9:31–32
* **The Old Testament bears witness** – 1 Corinthians 15:3 , Acts 13:32-39, Psalm 2, Psalm 16, Isaiah 53:10-12, Romans 1:2-4
* **Jesus satisfied His Father’s requirements -** Colossians 2:12–15

**II His Resurrection Empowers a New Spiritual Life for Christians**

* Colossians 3:1-4
* 1 Corinthians 15:56–58
* Romans 8:9-10
* 2 Corinthians 1:21–22
* 1 Thessalonians 4:13–14

**III His Resurrection Promises a New Physical Body for Christians**

* **Not spirits only**

1 Corinthians 15:20–25, 42–49

2 Corinthians 5:2–5

* **Not spirit-bodies, but spirits with bodies which are now “spiritual”**

Romans 8:11

Colossians 3:1-4

**How should we respond to God’s kindness?**

John 20:17-18, Romans 6:5-11

**Recommended further reading:**

Know Why You Believe by K. Scott Oliphint, Zondervan Academic.

Systematic Theology, Wayne Grudem, Chapter 28 “Resurrection & Ascension”