

Eternal Sunrise for Christians

Mark Part 15

¹ Saturday evening, when the Sabbath ended, Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James, and Salome went out and purchased burial spices so they could anoint Jesus' body. ² Very early on Sunday morning, just at sunrise, they went to the tomb. ³ On the way they were asking each other, "Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance to the tomb?" ⁴ But as they arrived, they looked up and saw that the stone, which was very large, had already been rolled aside.

⁵ When they entered the tomb, they saw a young man clothed in a white robe sitting on the right side. The women were shocked, ⁶ but the angel said, "Don't be alarmed. You are looking for Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He isn't here! **He is risen** from the dead! Look, this is where they laid his body. ⁷ Now go and tell his disciples, including Peter, that Jesus is going ahead of you to Galilee. You will see him there, just as he told you before he died."

⁸ The women fled from the tomb, trembling and bewildered, and they said nothing to anyone because they were too frightened. (Mark 16:1-8 NLT)

1. Jesus's resurrection, after being thoroughly killed, means we have assurance of our _____ resurrection.

And he was shown to be the Son of God when he was raised from the dead by the power of the Holy Spirit. He is Jesus Christ our Lord. (Romans 1:4 NLT)

The Spirit of God, who raised Jesus from the dead, lives in you. And just as God raised Christ Jesus from the dead, he will give life to your mortal bodies by this same Spirit living within you. (Romans 8:11 NLT)

2. Jesus' resurrection means he can save our _____ and _____.

Therefore he is able, once and forever, to save those who come to God through him. He lives forever to intercede with God on their behalf. (Hebrews 7:25 NLT)

3. The resurrection _____ was the receipt for what was Jesus' payment on the cross.

⁵¹ At that moment the **curtain** in the sanctuary of the Temple was **torn** in two, from top to bottom. The earth shook, **rocks split apart**, ⁵² and **tombs opened**. The *bodies* of many godly men and women who had died were *raised* from the dead. ⁵³ They left the cemetery **after Jesus' resurrection**, went into the holy city of Jerusalem, and *appeared* to many people. (Matthew 27:51-53 NLT)