**The Resurrection of God**

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**I like to confuse people with the Gospel!** In God we are complete! Just the title: The Resurrection of God confounds the mind. Jesus gave me that title, cause you can’t think thoughts like that!!!

Great is the mystery of godliness! God was manifested in the flesh. You have heard that Jesus is Lord, but I say unto you Jesus is God! We have to have the unity of the faith in our hearts; we have to have the image of God united in our hearts. That is the goal of this message: To unify the image of God in our hearts and in the earth and the way it happens is by us seeing that God came and died our death away. God came Himself.

1 Timothy 3:16 And without controversy great is the mystery of godliness: God was manifest in the flesh, justified in the Spirit, seen of angels, preached unto the Gentiles, believed on in the world, received up into glory.

God being manifested in the flesh is VERY CONTROVERSIAL!

**How did I learn the Gospel?** I learned the Gospel in the darkness. In prison! I got that state penn degree! We need ministers that are preaching the truth. The body of Christ has been abused by ministers for too long. And the people are just believing whatever the ministers say. Many people don’t want to take the time to dig into the scriptures and try to unfold them. So God is giving gifts unto men. My resolve is one thing - to not know anything among you but Christ crucified and God resurrected.

God is sanctifying His Name in the earth. He has sanctified it and He is sanctifying His name in the earth. The way that happens is when you see that God is manifested in the flesh. Jesus is God. Jesus dying on the cross is God dying on the cross.

**Perverted doctrines such as God forsaking Jesus - aren’t possible**. God can’t forsake Himself! The death in this world is what keeps people from seeing God. The death in this world darkens the mind of people. People see all this death and corruption in the earth and they wonder where is God. Why isn’t He doing anything? God was manifested in the flesh. And He found Himself being crucified on a cross, which proves to us that God is not the source of the corruption and death in this world. Otherwise, how could He also have suffered at its hands?

It’s very simple logic; God was manifested in the flesh without controversy. What that word “without controversy” means is all the apostles agreed that God was manifest in the flesh.

**I have a passion for the truth** to go forth because there are dark times in the world right now. God is trying to bring forth a body that is united in the faith, in the way. I don’t think we understand what the way is. The way is the way of the cross. Even God came and He ended up on the cross. That’s the way! The cross is the law. The cross is the judgment of God.

**Isaiah 2:2-5 And it shall come to pass** in the last days, that the mountain of the Lord’s house shall be established in the top of the mountains, and shall be exalted above the hills; and all nations shall flow unto it. And many people shall go and say, Come ye, and let us go up to the mountain of the Lord, to the house of the God of Jacob; and He will teach us of His ways, and we will walk in His paths: for out of Zion shall go forth the law, and the word of the Lord from Jerusalem. And He shall judge among the nations, and shall rebuke many people: and they shall beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into pruninghooks: nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more. O house of Jacob, come ye and let us walk in the light of the Lord.

What law went out of Zion? The cross and the resurrection. When you see that God was manifested in the flesh, that rebukes a lot of doctrines; how can God forsake Himself? Many doctrines today tear down the image of God. It is so important for the image of God to be united in your heart.

**There is God the Father,** God the Son ,and God the Holy Spirit. They are all within each other and they are all God. There is one God. When you see the beauty in the face of God it starts to change things.

2 Cor 3:18 But we all with open face beholding as in a glass the glory of the Lord, are changes into the same image from glory to glory, even as by the Spirit of the Lord.

**What is the image we are beholding in that mirror?**

2 Cor 4:6 For God who commanded the light to shine out of darkness, hath shined in our hearts, to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

God sanctified His Name in the man, the body of Jesus Christ, as a word about us. Jesus is our representative*.*

**Ezek 36:24-25 For I will take you from among the heathen** and gather you out of all countries and I will bring you into your own land. Then I will sprinkle clean water upon you and ye shall be clean from all your filthiness (the lie that God is not your father; He is the source of death in the world. That lie pollutes us.) and from all your idols, will I cleanse you. (the works of our hands)

When My Name is sanctified in your midst, it will cleanse. You. How can you be pure? When death is removed from your life. And you start to see God in the face of Jesus. That is a pure, righteous mind. The death is removed and then you see God in the face of Jesus and that cleanses your conscience. It gives you a pure mind.

**Ezel 36:26 A new heart also will I give you** *(the image of God being sanctified)* and a new spirit I will put within you *(the Spirit that calls out Father, Father)*: and I will take away the stony heart out of your flesh, and I will give you a heart of flesh. *(I will take away your corruption and your nakedness and I will clothe you with the glory of My life)*  And I will put My Spirit within you, and cause you to walk in My statutes, and ye shall keep My judgments and do them.

This is the path of the Spirit. He cleanses us and puts the new Spirit in us that cries out Father. We have not received the spirit of the world; we have received the Spirit of God. We see that God came and we witnessed our Maker on the cross dying our death. He came and took upon the wages of darkness and in the resurrection He overcame that kingdom. And He offers us His life as a free gift.

**A post on Instagram** **said the resurrection** does not solve our problems about dying and death. But that is EXACTLY what it does! It solves our problems about dying and death.

The post goes on to say the resurrection doesn’t answer any of our curious questions about life after death such as how will it be and how will it look. That is exactly what the resurrection does!

**God was manifested** **in the flesh in the resurrection**. Our God is forever a man in a human body! It redeems and sanctifies the earth. Where do you think He is going to live? He is going to live here with us. We know what this after life looks like because we have seen it in the resurrection of God. We’ve seen we are going to have a body glorified with the glory of God. The earth has been redeemed. Not all things have been redeemed yet. God will live in this earth and He will wipe away all the tears. We have this first fruit now in our hearts.

**God talks about His Name being sanctified** and when My Name is sanctified this will give you a new heart and a new spirit. When you can see God for who He is, in the face of Jesus, it will wash you of your idols. It will cleanse you.

**If God finds Himself suffering** at the hands of sin and death, then certainly He cannot be the source of sin and death. When you can see that there is death in this world, but God has come and He has removed that death. He is reconciling and redeeming all things back to His life and His kingdom. And that the kingdom of God will be established in this earth. We see the beginning from the end in the resurrection of God. We’ve seen what’s going to happen.

**A few early fathers had this saying:** God became man that man might become God. This is their atonement theory. An atonement theory is trying to answer one question – why did God become a man. God became man so that man might become one with God.

**Jesus walking in submission to** **God** and not walking in the way of the world or the way of the serpent is also how the Father would have walked if He came instead of the Son. It's the way of the Spirit. If the Father would have taken on a body of death He would have submitted His life into the Son and the Spirit in the same way Jesus submitted His life to the Father and the Spirit.

**How can God reconcile the world** without taking up the sword? He shows you in the cross! That’s why the cross is the wisdom and the power of God. That’s why we die with Jesus. We take upon the cross. This is the followers of the way. The way is the cross. God comes and He shows us how to walk in the Spirit.

**On the Sermon on the Mount**, Jesus says be perfect as your heavenly Father is perfect. How is He perfected?- The cross. When you say that God was killing His Son, that is perverting the image of God. Be ye perfect…what does Matthew 5 say…do not repay evil for evil. If someone smites you on one cheek give them the other. This is God, this is the Spirit. This is how God is perfect.

**Whether in the valley of the shadow of death** or the valley of the resurrection in the new earth, it is all the same. The Spirit looks to the Spirit for life and the Lord is the Spirit. The image of God sanctified in the earth. God has sanctified His Name in the resurrection of Jesus. We all with unveiled face as we behold God in the face of Jesus are transformed into that same image.

**Some might say what’s taking so long?** Why hasn’t He come back and glorified the earth? God is interested in those things, but He is busy with your heart. He is working on our hearts. He is creating us in the image of God! He came and He showed us who God is in the cross and the resurrection. He is concerned about your life and your life is found in your heart.

**We are going to have a new earth** and a new body but first must come the seed in your heart. And then the body will follow. And God is the seed. God is the seed that fell to the ground and died in order that they might be many like Him. And He’s conforming us into the image of God. And He’s using this gospel, this truth to transform the world.

Even on the cross He did not hide Himself from sight rather, He made all creation witness to the presence of its Maker.

Men sentenced God to death but He sentenced them to immortality by His resurrection!

**In return for blows He embraces them;** in return for abuses, He blesses; in return for death, He gives immortality. Men never showed so much hate for God as when they crucified Him and God never showed more love for man than when He resurrected men.

**Men wanted to make God mortal** but God by His resurrection made man immortal.

The crucified God has risen and has killed death. Death is no more. Immortality has encircled man and all his world.

**God took upon the wages of sin** into His own body and it says in Romans, He died unto sin. That is what He was doing on the cross. Sin would be the wisdom of the serpent and his belief system. Sin would be the way of the kingdom darkness. He died unto that way in His own body. God Himself proved the way of the Spirit. He took on a fleshly body and came under the dominion of the kingdom of darkness in order to get inside of it. It says He had to get up underneath it so He could lift us up out of it and raising us into eternal life.

**If you confess with your mouth** the Lord Jesus Christ and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. For with the mouth confession is made but with the heart one believes unto righteousness. What’s righteousness? - For you to be perfected from death. A man that’s been perfected from death is righteous. We’ve been perfected from death in the body of Jesus Christ. In His resurrection He perfected us. He’s removed the fear of death. We now have a sound mind as we walk in this world. God has not given us the spirit of fear but of power found in the resurrection, of love and a sound mind.

**We see death and corruption**; we know it’s not from God. We know that God has done something in the resurrection to heal this death and corruption. This word saves our hearts from the fear of death in this world.

As the waters cover the sea so shall the earth be filled with the knowledge of the glory of God.

**The goal of this message** is to unify our hearts in the image of God and in the earth. And the way that is done is by seeing that God died your death away and that God redeemed us from the power of darkness. And that God has now translated us from the kingdom of darkness into the kingdom of His Son. We’ve been born again from death into life.

**Seeing God in the face of Jesus** is the new heart that sanctifies you from the fear of death. It is the path, the way of life. Mankind has been born anew in the resurrection. And that Spirit has been poured out in all flesh. The Spirit couldn’t be poured out until Jesus was raised from the dead. Jesus had to ascend and be seated at the right hand of God. The Spirit that was poured out was that God was a man seated in the Trinity. His Name is Jesus. The way to this life is the way of the cross.

**Romans 6:4** **If we have been planted together** in the likeness of His death, we shall also be in the likeness of His resurrection. Knowing this that our old man is crucified with Him that the body of sin might be destroyed that henceforth we should not serve sin. For he that is dead is freed from sin. Now if we be dead with Christ, we believe we shall also live with Him.

*You don’t justify yourself in this world; you don’t glorify yourself in this world, but like Jesus upon the cross, look to the Father and the Father glorified Him and justified Him in the world. That is the way of the cross. We look to the Father for life.*

**Heb 1:3** **When He had by Himself** **purged our sins**, sat down on the right hand of the Majesty on high;

Hosea I will ransom them from the power of the grave and that is what He did!

When you can see that Jesus is God, God wasn’t killing His Son, God was taking upon Himself the death of the world. He was taking upon Himself the wages of sin and death that He might Himself taste death for every man so we would never have to taste death.

**God is trust worthy.** He has proven Himself to be your Father in the resurrection. In the resurrection of God, God resurrects both Himself and us! And He sanctifies and glorifies our name with His name.