

**Key Scripture**

1 John 2:6 ERV

If we say we live in God, we must live like Jesus lived.

**Resurrection Power**

Luke 24:1-7 NKJV

1 Now on the first day of the week, very early in the morning, they, and certain other women with them, came to the tomb bringing the spices which they had prepared.  
 2 But **they found the stone rolled away from the tomb.** 3 Then they went in and did not find the body of the Lord Jesus. 4 And it happened, as they were greatly perplexed about this, that behold, two men stood by them in shining garments.  
 5 Then, as they were afraid and bowed their faces to the earth, they said to them, **"Why do you seek the living among the dead? 6 He is not here, but is risen!**

Remember how He spoke to you when He was still in Galilee, 7 saying,  
 'The Son of Man must be delivered into the hands of sinful men, **and be crucified, and the third day rise again.**'"

**Heavy Stones**

- ✓ **Manipulate** the situation.

Matthew 27:3 NLT

When Judas, who had betrayed Him, realized that Jesus had been condemned to die, he was filled with remorse

- ✓ **Keep doing it your way.**

John 18:10 NKJV

Then Simon Peter, having a sword, **drew it and struck the high priest's servant,** and cut off his right ear. The servant's name was Malchus.

- ✓ **Wash your hands of any responsibility.**

Matthew 27:24 NLT

Pilate saw that he wasn't getting anywhere and that a riot was developing. So he sent for a bowl of water and washed his hands before the crowd, saying, **"I am innocent of this man's blood. The responsibility is yours!"**

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**Like Jesus**  
**The Power of Resurrection**

**Live in the Resurrection Power...**

John 14:19 NIV

**Because I live, you also will live.**

**1. Respond to Jesus.**

Luke 8:52-55 NLT

52 The house was filled with people weeping and wailing, but he said, **"Stop the weeping! She isn't dead; she's only asleep."**

53 But the crowd laughed at him because they all knew she had died.

54 Then Jesus took her by the hand and said in a loud voice, **"My child, get up!"**

55 And **at that moment her life returned, and she immediately stood up!**

**2. Recognize it's not too late to roll the stone away.**

John 11:39, 43-44 NLT

39 **"Roll the stone aside,"** Jesus told them.

But Martha, the dead man's sister, protested,

**"Lord, he has been dead for four days. The smell will be terrible."**

43 Then Jesus shouted, **"Lazarus, come out!"** 44 And **the dead man came out...**

**3. Resurrect your life now.**

Romans 8:11 Message

It stands to reason, doesn't it, that if the alive-and-present

**God who raised Jesus from the dead** moves into your life,

**He'll do the same thing in you that He did in Jesus,** bringing you alive to Himself?

When God lives and breathes in you (and He does, as surely as He did in Jesus),

**you are delivered from that dead life.** With His Spirit living in you,

**your body will be as alive as Christ's!**

John 11:25-26 Message

25 **"You don't have to wait for the End. I am, right now, Resurrection and Life.**  
 The one who believes in Me, even though he or she dies, will live. 26 And everyone who lives believing in Me does not ultimately die at all. **Do you believe this?"**

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