



MASTER BOOKLET

5.1

RESURRECTION OF THE DEAD



Key Objectives

- Consider the proof for the resurrection
- Grow in your confidence about the resurrection
- Learn to use resurrection as part of sharing the gospel message
- Understanding the Prophecies Concerning the Resurrection
- Conviction on the Proof of the Resurrection
- Faith in the Resurrection for the Just and the Unjust
- Being able to teach others about the resurrection
- Understand more details about the resurrection

Omission

- Unsaved belief system
- Poor confidence in our salvation

Legend Key:



- Hebrew Word



- Greek Word



- Read scripture



- Heart Question



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How to get the most out of this booklet



Before we begin it is important to emphasize that gaining scriptural knowledge in itself, though important, is not enough to change character. Putting biblical knowledge into practice is the key, that teaches truth and the power of God, which in turn changes hearts and lives. (John 8:31-32). The study is structured in a way that you will write out the scriptures yourselves for the purposes of deeper reflection.

Here are some key points on how to get the most out of the booklet:

- This was developed for an intimate study approach. Find a mentor that has already completed this series to facilitate your journey. You will get much more out of the series that way.
- Read the scriptures before answering the questions (really important)! . In this way you will learn to know the word of God.
- Always find the answer from the Bible. Although you might think you know the answer, first find the answer in the Bible.
- Complete all the answers on the booklet.
- Be very honest with yourself, even if it hurts.
- Always have a memory verse you are working on.
- It is a good idea to share what you are learning with a friend.

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1. LANGUAGE

1.1. Hebrew

Éternel	Life
<p>‘ôlâm ‘ôlâm (o-lawm', o-')</p> <p>From H5956; properly concealed, that is, the vanishing point; generally time out of mind (past or future), that is, (practically) eternity; frequentative adverbially (especially with prepositional prefix) always: - always (-s), ancient (time), any more, continuance, eternal, (for, [n-]) ever (-lasting, -more, of old), lasting, long (time), (of) old (time), perpetual, at any time, (beginning of the) world (+ without end). Compare H5331, H5703.</p> <p>Total KJV occurrences: 438</p>	<p>Chay (khah'ee)</p> <p>From H2421; alive; hence raw (flesh); fresh (plant, water, year), strong; also (as noun, especially in the feminine singular and masculine plural) life (or living thing), whether literally or figuratively: - + age, alive, appetite, (wild) beast, company, congregation, life (-time), live (-ly), living (creature, thing), maintenance, + merry, multitude, + (be) old, quick, raw, running, springing, troop.</p> <p>Total KJV occurrences: 502</p>

1.2. Greek – Resurrection

Bible	Word	Short Meaning	#
NT 	anastasis (an-as'-tas-is)	a standing up again from from death	42
<p>From G450; a standing up again, that is, (literally) a resurrection from death (individual, general or by implication (its author)), or (figuratively) a (moral) recovery (of spiritual truth): - raised to life again, resurrection, rise from the dead, that should rise, rising again.</p>			

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1.1. Visualise Resurrection

Watch the video and in small groups of +4 practice to teaching one-another this teaching.



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Use the questions in the booklet to ask questions so that students can learn to train others in a very interactive way.

This teaching method is fun, and people from all literacy levels can practice becoming a teacher in their local community. Draw the following:

KEY SYMBOLS



Scripture – Write the scripture on the page location.



Discuss – Discuss the question from the section.



Deductive Question – A historical or reasonable consideration.



Heart Question – Reflect on obedience and personal application.



Draw – This section contains a drawing of the concept.

Drawings – Suggested drawing concepts are shown as **red text**.

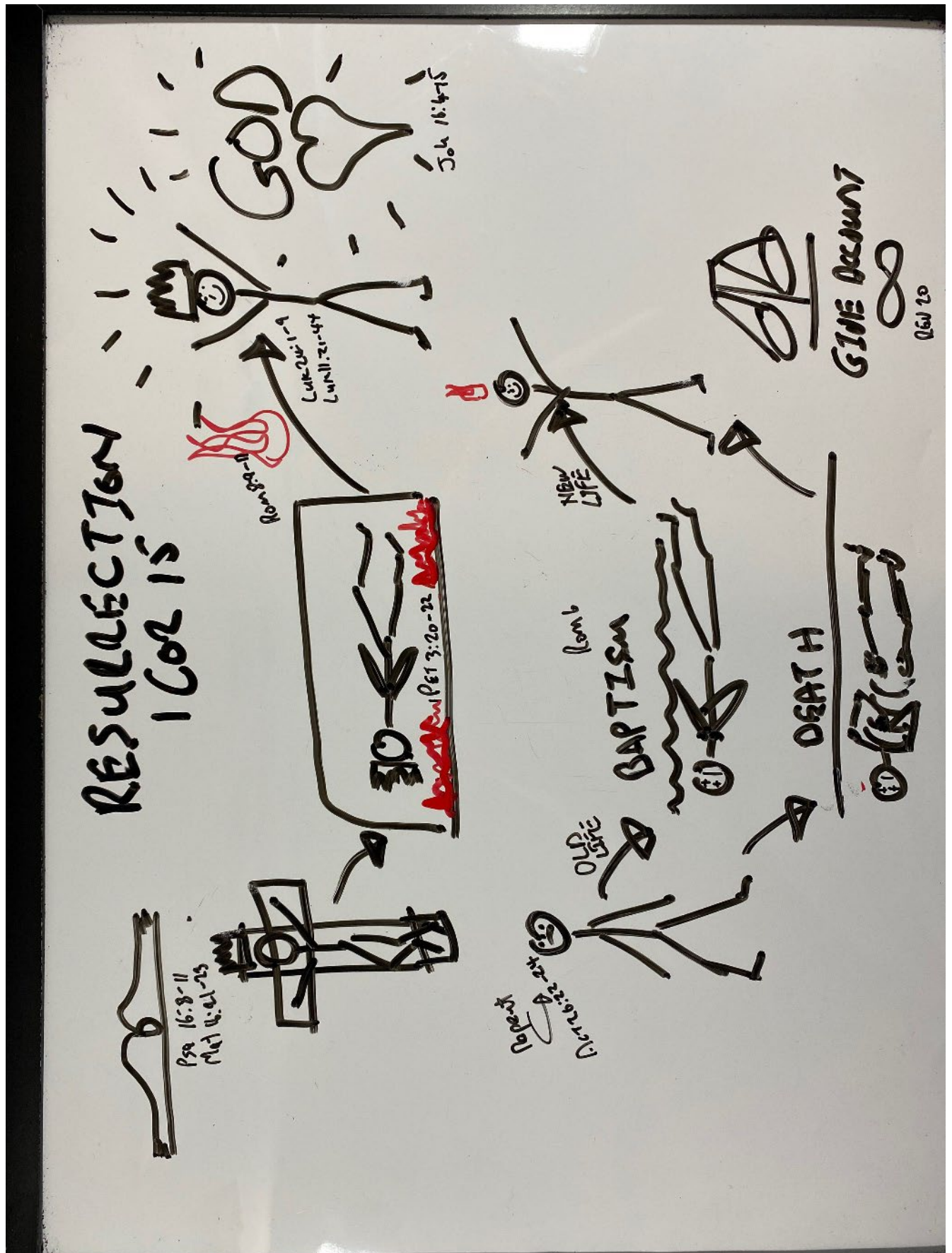
Position on page - Indicate the position on the page of the text or drawing

"Wording" - Write the wording on the page location

Find an example drawing below.

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2. OLD TESTAMENT

2.1. Peter Teaching from OT

 **Act 2:29-34** "Fellow Israelites, I can tell you confidently ...read all

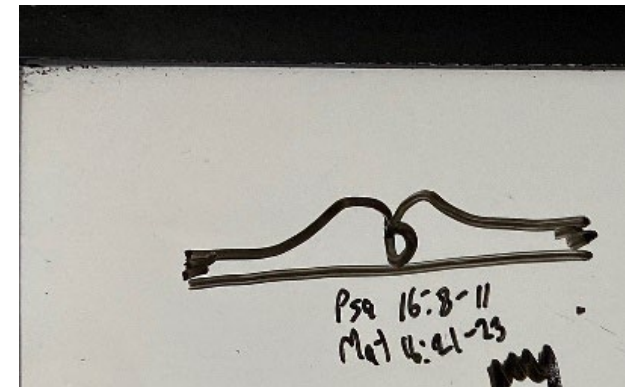
Position on Page	Wording	Drawing Instruction	Scripture
Page heading center	RESURRECTION (1Cor 15)	 Add the heading to the table. Divide the page into Three horizontal sections.	
Page heading left		 Draw: Bible representing Old Testament prophecies about resurrection.	 Psa 16:8-11 7:11

☐ Which OT scripture did Peter use to prove the resurrection of Christ?

☐ Who are the enemies of Jesus? What will Jesus do with his enemies?

☐ What is unique about the sermon in Acts 2?

☐ What are all the key teachings of the gospel message?





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2.1. David Prophecy

 **Psa 16:8-11** I keep my eyes always on the LORD. Withread all


 What does David believe about death?

 Why was it significant that David said "you will not abandon me to the realm of the dead"?

2.2. Daniel Prophecy

 **Dan 12:2** Multitudes who sleep in the dust of the earth... read all.


 What does Daniel believe about death?

 **Encouragement:** God promises reward for those who lead others to righteousness. Shine like the stars!


3. JESUS' RESURRECTION

3.1. Jesus Teaching from OT

 **Mat 22:29-33** Jesus replied, "You are in error becauseread all



 Who is talking to the Sadducees?

 What did the Sadducees not understand?

 How did Jesus prove there is a resurrection of the dead (V29)?

 See if you can find the scripture Jesus is referring to?

 Who did Jesus say have resurrected (V32)?

  What would marriage be like at the resurrection?





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3.2. Jesus predicts his Resurrection

 **Mat 16:21-23** From that time on Jesus began toread all


 What did Jesus teach would happen to him?



 Who would do this to Jesus?


 Why did Jesus call Peter “Satan”?


 Why would “Satan” want to prevent the resurrection?

3.3. Jesus gave up his Spirit

 **Mat 27:50-53** And when Jesus had cried out again in a ...read all

Position on Page	Wording	Drawing Instruction	Scripture
Page top - under the Bible	Crucifixions	 Draw: Crown and cross showing Jesus on the cross to represent His crucifixion.	 Mat 27:50-53, 1 Pet 3:20-22


 What happened at the moment Jesus died?

 How many holy people rose from the dead? Why did the tombs break open when Jesus gave up his spirit?



Heart Question



 What can we learn from this?


 **Encouragement:** Let the power of Jesus’ death remind you of God’s victory over death. His death was not the end—but the breakthrough to resurrection life.


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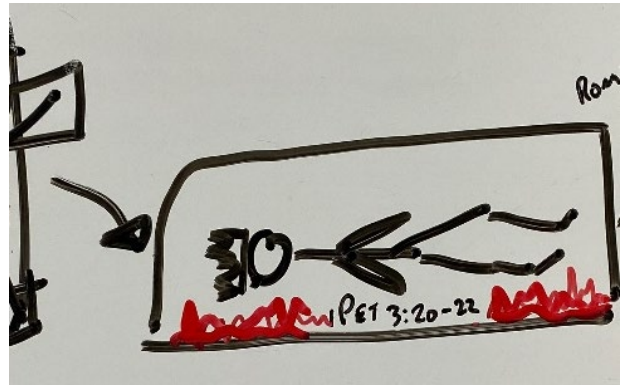
3.1. Burial


 **1Pe 3:20-22** who disobeyed long ago when God waited..... read all.


Position on Page	Wording	Drawing Instruction	Scripture
Page top - Right of the Cross	Burial	 Draw a down arrow showing to show His burial with fire under his body to symbolize his punishment.	 1 Pet 3:20-22

 What happened to Jesus after he died?


 What does it mean that he preached to the spirits in prison? What was he doing there? Why did this happened







 Have you identified with Christ's burial in your own life?

 **Encouragement:** His burial reminds us that He truly faced death and punishment for us. Reflect on your baptism as sharing in this journey of death to new life.

3.2. Resurrected

 **Luk 24:1-9** On the first day of the week, very early in ...read all


Position on Page	Wording	Drawing Instruction	Scripture
Page top - Right of the tomb	Resurrection	 Draw Up arrow showing Jesus rising from the tomb or empty tomb with rays of light .	 Luke 24:1-9
Page top - On the Arrow	Power	 Draw a flame above the arrow to represent the Spirit giving life.	 Rom 8:9-11

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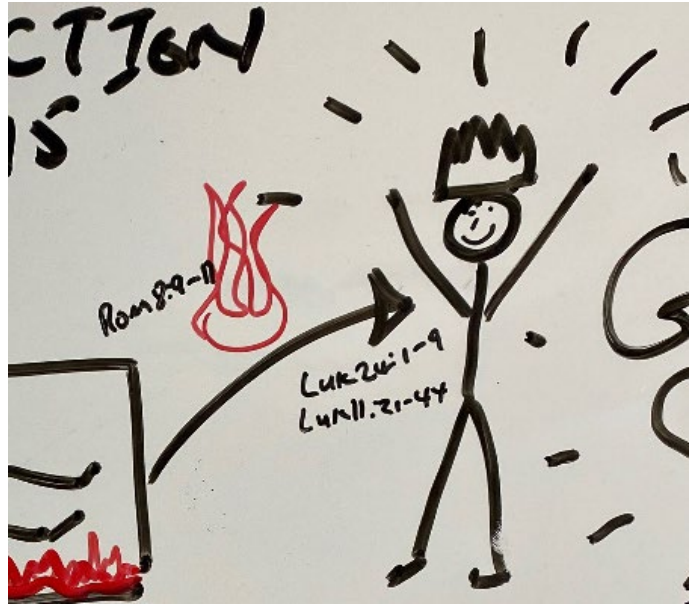
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☐ Did Jesus rise from the dead as he predicted?


☐ Who were witnesses of the resurrection?


 **Rom 8:9-11** You, however, are controlled not by the sinful... read all.

☐ What does this passage say about the Spirit who raised Jesus from the dead?



☐ How does the Spirit living in us guarantee our future resurrection?


 Are you living as someone empowered by the Spirit who raised Jesus from the dead?

 **Encouragement:** The same Spirit that raised Christ now lives in you. Let this truth fill you with confidence and urgency to live a holy and Spirit-led life.

3.3. At the right hand of God

Joh 16:4-15 But I tell you the truth: It is for your good that I ...read all



☐ Why did Jesus go the Father?

 Does your life show that you focus on the preparation of eternal life for yourself and others?



 **Mar 16:19-20** After the Lord Jesus had spoken to them, ...read all

☐ Where did Jesus' prophesy he will be going?


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Position on Page	Wording	Drawing Instruction	Scripture
Page top - far right	Holy Spirit	 Draw Heart, Cross and Flame representing Father Son and Holy Spirit presenting God sending us the Holy Spirit.	 John 16:4-8


4. Rich man and Lazarus

 **Luk 16:19-26** "There was a rich man who was dressed ...read all What  What can we learn about the resurrection of the dead?



 How many places are there at the resurrection of the dead?

 Can we cross from the one side to the other side?


 What is the difference between the two sides?

4.1. Life Before Christ Jesus



 **Act 26:22-24** But I have had God's help to this very day,... read all.

 What does his bold testimony before rulers teach us about courage?


 Do you share your testimony openly like Paul did?


 **Encouragement:** Let your transformation be a light—testify to God's power even in difficult circumstances.


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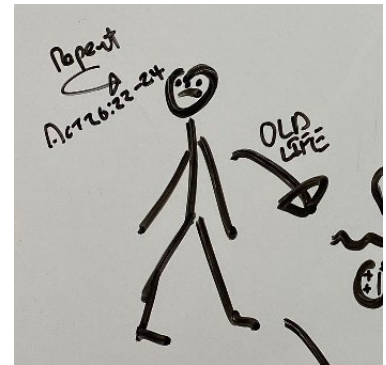
Position on Page	Wording	Drawing Instruction	Scripture
Page middle - left	Old Man	 Draw an old man looking weary or burdened, representing the life before Christ.	 Acts 26:22-24



4.2. Baptism


 **Rom 6:1-7** What shall we say, then? Shall we go on sinning... read all.


 What does baptism symbolize according to this passage?

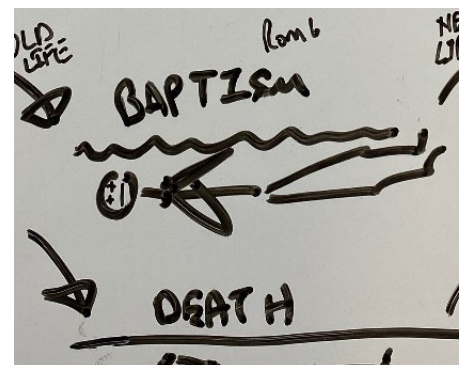
 How are we united with Christ through baptism into His death?



Position on Page	Wording	Drawing Instruction	Scripture
Page middle - middle	Baptised in Water	 Draw a person immersed in water with a cross beside or behind them, showing they are united in the death of Christ Jesus.	 Rom 6:1-7


 Have you taken part in this death through your own baptism?



 **Encouragement:** Your old life was crucified with Christ. Walk in the truth that sin no longer has power over you!





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4.3. New Life

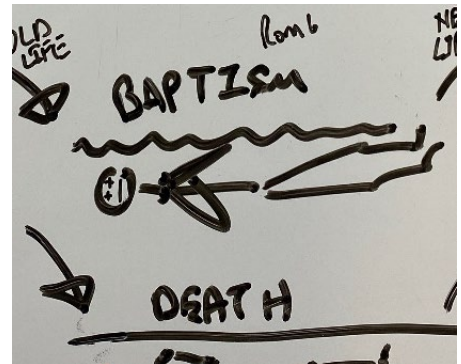
 **Rom 6:1-7** What shall we say, then? Shall we go on sinning... read all.


Position on Page	Wording	Drawing Instruction	Scripture
Page middle - right	Resurrected into New Life	 Draw the same person rising out of the water , now radiant or with a flame , showing new life through the Spirit.	 Rom 6:1-7

 What happens after we are buried with Christ in baptism?

 What kind of life are we raised to live after being united with Christ in His resurrection?

 Are you living as someone truly raised to a new life, leaving sin behind?



 You've been raised to live a new life—filled with hope, purpose, and freedom from sin. Live it boldly and gratefully.

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4.1. Physical Death

Joh 5:28-29 "Do not be amazed at this, for a time is comin... read all."

Position on Page	Wording	Drawing Instruction	Scripture
Page bottom - middle	Man Going to the Grave	Draw a person walking toward a grave to represent physical death.	Joh 5:28–29

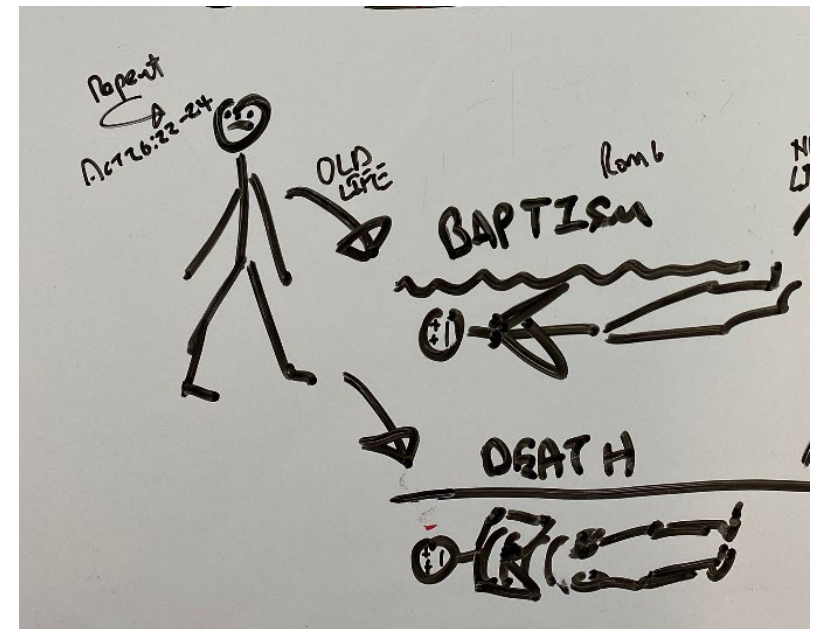
What will happen to all who are in their graves when they hear Jesus' voice?

What does this passage tell us about the relationship between our current actions and our eternal destiny?

If you were to die today, what do you think your resurrection would lead to—life or condemnation? Why?

What changes do you need to make in your life so that your actions reflect a heart prepared to meet Christ in judgment?

This scripture makes clear that resurrection is not just a hope, but a certainty for everyone. The real question is not if we will rise, but how we will rise—either to life or judgment. Let this truth give urgency to your faith. God's mercy is available now, but His justice will not be avoided forever. Walk today in a way that prepares your soul to hear Jesus' voice and rise with joy.







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4.1. Resurrection of the Dead and Judgment


 **Rev 20:11-15** Then I saw a great white throne and him... read all.

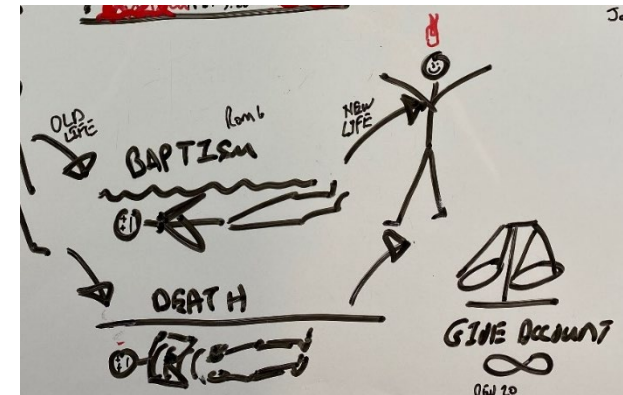
Position on Page	Wording	Drawing Instruction	Scripture
Page bottom - right	Resurrected	 Draw the same person rising from the grave , representing resurrection.	 Rev 20:11-15
Page bottom - far right	Scales (Day of Judgement)	 Draw a large scale with books or scrolls and people, symbolizing giving account before God at the judgement.	 Rev 20:11-15

 What do the books and scrolls represent in Revelation 20?

 Why is it important that our names are written in the Book of Life?

 Are your deeds aligned with a heart that fears and loves God?

 Be ready. The Judge is just, and the blood of Jesus still speaks for mercy—respond




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5. Into Practice –

5.1. Weekly Accountability

The knowledge acquired is worthless and only puffs us up if we don't put it into practice.

 **1Co 8:1** *We know that "We all possess knowledge." But knowledge puffs up while love builds up.*

- Do you have confidence because of the resurrection?
- Are you teaching the resurrection to non-believers?
- Do you help other believers with their faith in the resurrection?

5.2. Key Outcome

- Know OT prophecies about the resurrection
- Understand Christ's resurrection
- Personal faith in the resurrection
- Know how we attain resurrection
- Understand more detail about the resurrection
- Able to teach others about the resurrection

5.3. Memory verse



Don't try and learn all the memory verses at once but only select one or two verses each week. Go at a pace that doesn't add too much pressure on yourself and others. You will find new meaning to the scriptures you memorise.

1Pe 1:3 Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, 4 and into an inheritance that can never perish, spoil or fade. This inheritance is kept in heaven for you, 5 who through faith are shielded by God's power until the coming of the salvation that is ready to be revealed in the last time.

Jo 11:25 Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die; 26 and whoever lives by believing in me will never die. Do you believe this?"

1Pe 3:20 to those who were disobedient long ago when God waited patiently in the days of Noah while the ark was being built. In it only a few people, eight in all, were saved through water, 21 and this water symbolises baptism that now saves you also—not the removal of dirt from the body but the pledge of a clear conscience toward God. It saves you by the resurrection of Jesus Christ, 22 who has gone into heaven and is at God's right hand—with angels, authorities and powers in submission to him.



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Php 3:10 I want to know Christ-yes, to know the power of his resurrection and participation in his sufferings, becoming like him in his death, 11 and so, somehow, attaining to the resurrection from the dead.

1Co 15:51 Listen, I tell you a mystery: We will not all sleep, but we will all be changed-- 52 in a flash, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will sound, the dead will be raised imperishable, and we will be changed.

5.4. Next

Well done! You've completed the topic of Resurrection – Introduction.

Next, we'll explore the topic "Resurrection – Evidence." It's important that our faith is not blind, but rooted in truth. This study will help you examine the overwhelming evidence for the resurrection of Jesus, strengthening your confidence in the gospel.

We hope you found a friend to join you in your studies. If you did not, we want to encourage you to keep looking. Pray about who you can ask to join you in this study and see how God will answer your prayer.

Remember, you can always reach out to us, as we are committed to helping you on your journey. We host online training groups, but you can even start a local group. If you do start a group, let us know so we can refer others to join you!

We love receiving feedback from you, which will help us improve our material and provide us with information on its use. It is always encouraging to see how God uses our work to equip others and spread the gospel everywhere.

To track your progress, use the diagram below as a guide. You can also print the enrolment card to keep track of your journey here: [JesusDust Syllabus Master PDF](#)

Elementary Teaching	Topic	Drawing	Your progress
Introduction	I. Introduction	Maturity Levels Elementary Teachings	
	II. Word	House on the Rock - Mat 7:24-27 Word of Life - Jon 12:47-48 Qualities of the Word Word's Authority - 2Ti 3:16-17 Word & Holy Spirit - 2Pe 1:18-21 Accountability - Heb 4:12-13 Life And Doctrine Four Obstacles Bereans Qualities - Act 17:10-11 Three Responses - Acts	
Repentance	III. Word - false doctrine		
	1.1. Repentance in the light	The Words "Repentance" Yhwh's Holiness Holiness and Sin Repentance - Metanoia	
	1.2. Repentance sin	Obvious Sin - Gal 5:19-21 Unobvious Sin - 2Ti 3:1-4 Light & Darkness - 1Pe 2:9-10 My Lifeline	
	1.3. Repentance Jesus	Repentance - Cross - Mat 26:19-27:66	
	1.4. Repentance Jesus - medical account 1.5. Repentance godly sorrow		



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		Understanding Godly Sorrow - 2Co 7:8-11 Temptation - Gen 3, Mat 4	
	1.6. Repentance Jesus - false doctrine		
		The Mediator Jesus the son of God	
Faith in God	2.1. Faith in God introduction	Faith - What, Where Faith - Who, How Saved Circle	
	2.2. Faith in God - who I am		
	2.3. Faith in God - discipleship	I Am	
		Discipleship - Mat 28:17-20 Discipleship - Where, When, Who, How Lead Like Jesus Ministry Like Jesus	
	2.4. Faith in God - kingdom of God	Kingdom of God - What Daniel's Dream - Kingdom Statue - Dan 2 When did the Kingdom Come Peter's Keys - Mat 16:13-20 Seven Kingdom Keys - Act 2:14-41 Healthy Church Circle - Act 2:42-47	
	2.5. Faith in God - prayer		
	2.6. Faith in God - grace	Lord's Prayer - Mat 6:5-15	
Baptism	3.1. Baptism	Faith & Grace - Gal 5:16	
	3.2. Baptism - Into Practice	7 Kingdom Keys Case Study - Paul's Conversion	
	3.3. Baptism - OT & False Doctrine	Baptism - What, Who, Where, How, When, Why? Baptism - Ceremony	
	4.1. Holy Spirit purpose		
Holy Spirit	4.2. Holy Spirit receiving	Holy Spirit - Purpose - Joh 16:4-15	
	4.3. Holy Spirit fruit	Receiving Holy Spirit - New Testament	
		Doing Well Spiritually Love Is Sliding Back - Gal 5:22-26	
	4.4. Holy Spirit gifts		
	4.5. Laying on of hands	Laying on of the Hands Resurrection	
Resurrection	5.1. Resurrection – Introduction	Evidence	
	5.1. Resurrection – Evidence	Resurrection Meaning	
	5.1. Resurrection – Purpose	Resurrection & Elementary Teachings	
Eternal Judgement	6.1. Eternal Judgement - The Judge	Judgement - What, How, Why, Who, Where	
	6.2. Eternal Judgement - Reward	Eternal Reward	
	6.3. Eternal Judgement - Punishment	Eternal Punishment	
	6.4. Eternal Judgement - False Teaching		



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6. A FINAL WORD

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