

THE RAISING OF LAZARUS

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MORNING READING

Proverbs 3:25-27 NIV

25 Have no fear of sudden disaster or of the ruin that overtakes the wicked,

26 for the LORD will be at your side and will keep your foot from being snared.

27 Do not withhold good from those to whom it is due, when it is in your power to act.

John 11:21-27 NKJV

21 Now Martha said to Jesus, “Lord, if You had been here, my brother would not have died. 22 But even now I know that whatever You ask of God, God will give You.” 23 Jesus said to her, “Your brother will rise again.” 24 Martha said to Him, “I know that he will rise again in the resurrection at the last day.” 25 Jesus said to her, “I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in Me, though he may

die, he shall live. 26 And whoever lives and believes in Me shall never die. Do you believe this?” 27 She said to Him, “Yes, Lord, I believe that You are the Christ, the Son of God, who is to come into the world.”

John 11:30-45 NKJV

30 Now Jesus had not yet come into the town, but [a]was in the place where Martha met Him. 31 Then the Jews who were with her in the house, and

comforting her, when they saw that Mary rose up quickly and went out, followed her, [b]saying, “She is going to the tomb to weep there.” 32 Then, when Mary came where Jesus was, and saw Him, she fell down at His feet, saying to Him, “Lord, if You had been here, my brother would not have died.” 33 Therefore, when Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her weeping, He groaned in the spirit and was troubled.

34 And He said, “Where have you laid him?” They said to Him, “Lord, come and see.” 35 Jesus wept. 36 Then the Jews said, “See how He loved him!” 37 And some of them said, “Could not this Man, who opened the eyes of the blind, also have kept this man from dying?” 38 Then Jesus, again groaning in Himself, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone lay against it. 39 Jesus said, “Take away the stone.”

Martha, the sister of him who was dead, said to Him, “Lord, by this time there is a stench, for he has been dead four days.”

40 Jesus said to her, “Did I not say to you that if you would believe you would see the glory of God?”

41 Then they took away the stone [c]from the place where the dead man was lying. And Jesus lifted up His eyes and said, “Father, I thank You that You have heard Me.

42 And I know that You always hear Me, but because of

the people who are standing by I said this, that they may believe that You sent Me.” 43 Now when He had said these things, He cried with a loud voice, “Lazarus, come forth!” 44 And he who had died came out bound hand and foot with graveclothes, and his face was wrapped with a cloth. Jesus said to them, “Loose him, and let him go.”

45 Then many of the Jews who had come to Mary, and had seen the things Jesus did, believed in Him.

“He who believes in Me, though he may die, he shall live. 26 And whoever lives and believes in Me shall never die”.

Luke 16:17 NASB

But it is easier for heaven and earth to pass away than for one stroke of a letter of the Law to fail.

Isaiah 55:11 NIV

so is my word that goes out from my mouth: It will not return to me empty, but will accomplish what I desire and achieve the purpose for which I sent it.

Amos 3:7-8 NIV

7 Surely the Sovereign LORD does nothing without revealing his plan to his servants the prophets.

Hebrews 4:15 NLT

This High Priest of ours understands our weaknesses, for he faced all of the same testing's we do, yet he did not sin.

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John 11: 37

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Acts 4:12 NIV

Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to mankind by which we must be saved."

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Romans 3:4 New International Version

Not at all! Let God be true, and every human being a liar. As it is written: "So that you may be proved right when you speak and prevail when you judge."

Proverbs 1:23-26

- 1. 23 Turn you at my reproof: behold, I will pour out my spirit unto you, I will make known my words unto you.**
- 2. 24 Because I have called, and ye refused; I have stretched out my hand, and no man regarded;**
- 3. 25 But ye have set at nought all my counsel, and would none of my reproof:**
- 4. 26 I also will laugh at your calamity; I will mock when your fear cometh;**

MATTHEW 24:14 KJV

And this gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations; and then shall the end come.

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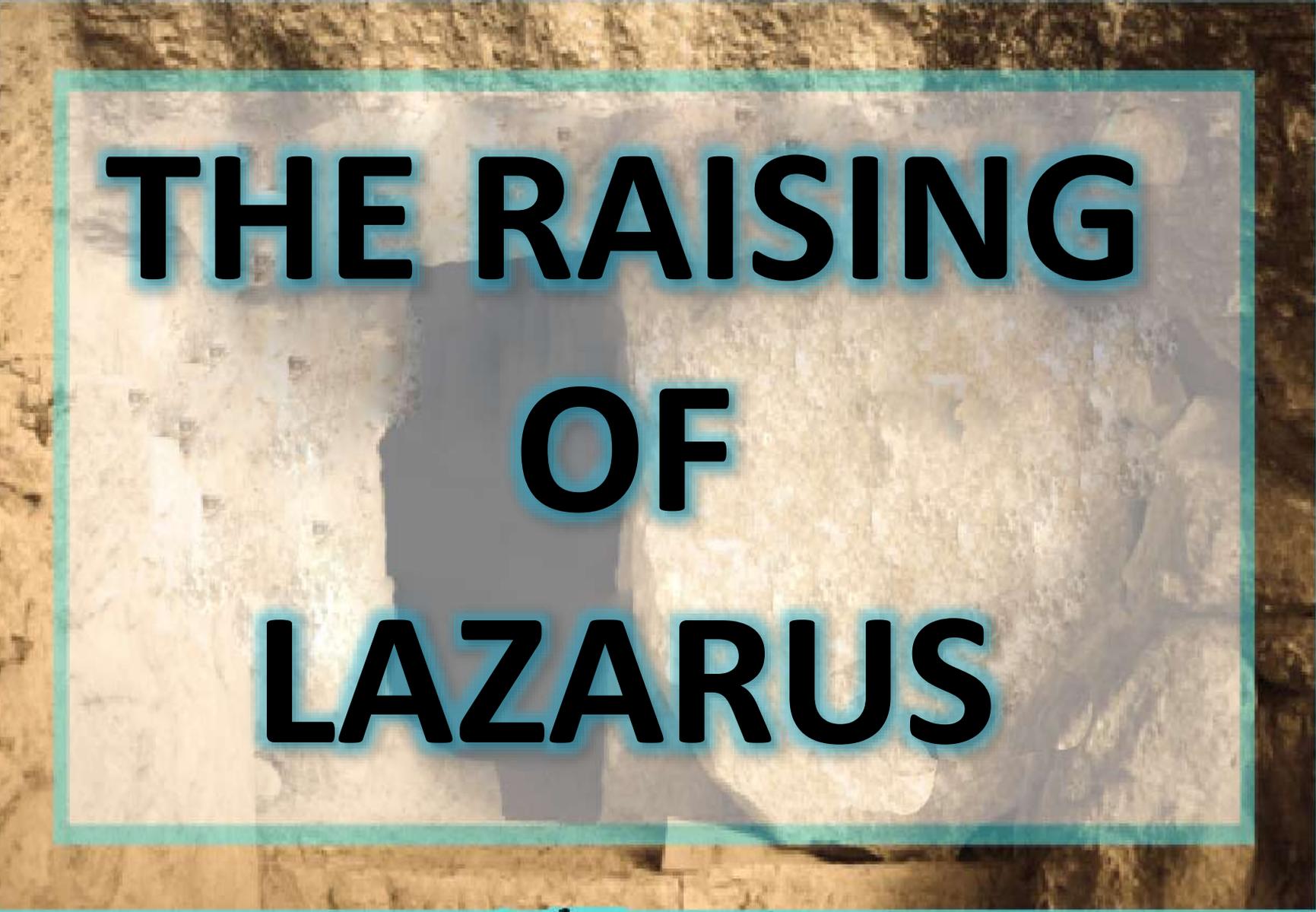
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