

## RESURRECTING ALL THINGS NEW



John 20:1-31

Sermon by Pastor Mo

Icebreaker: What Easter traditions do you follow and why?

Five ways the resurrection impacted his followers:

A. A new joy replacing sadness. (vs. 1-18)

1. What mourning or grief have you gone through?
2. Have you moved from sadness, grief and pain to joy in Christ?

B. A new peace overcoming fear. (vs. 19-20)

1. What fear(s) in your life keeps you from a deeper experience of peace?
2. Share an example of a fear in your life that has been overcome and come to peace?
3. How did the Lord bring you out of that fear?

C. A new creation for Jesus' mission. (vs. 21-23)

1. In what ways are you part of Jesus' mission?
2. Are you being empowered by the Holy Spirit in how you serve in the mission? Or do you tend to do those things in your own power and abilities?

D. A new faith conquering doubt. (vs. 24-29)

1. A nonbeliever told the writer of this curriculum recently 'faith is belief without proof', why is this untrue?
2. The writer of this curriculum believes some doubts are 'honest' (open to truth and stronger faith) and some are excuses to disobey. Do your doubts tend to be honest or excuses?
3. Do you relate with wisdom and kindness to others when they share their doubts with you?



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E. A new life for the believer (vs. 30, 31)

Vs. 30, 31 give an evangelistic purpose for the gospel of John.

1. Have you used the gospel of John in evangelism? If not, how could you do so?
2. Have you shared your faith recently?

Praise Jesus, the risen and only Savior who lives forever! Because he is alive, we have a relationship with our living Lord and Savior!

