

# Easter

→ Fundamental to the Christian faith:

## **THE DEATH & RESURRECTION OF JESUS CHRIST**

2023

Why did Jesus die?

Why did He rise?

**JESUS DIED AND**

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DEFEAT OUR GREATEST  
ENEMIES.**

Our greatest  
enemies are  
sin and death



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⇒ Jesus died  
to defeat sin

A man with a beard, wearing a white t-shirt, is shown from the chest up. He has his right hand raised, palm facing forward, in a universal gesture for 'stop' or 'halt'. The background is a plain, light-colored wall.

Our greatest enemy is sin because it causes evil & suffering and brings us punishment.

## **WHAT IS SIN?**

→ Sin is rebellion against God

## **WE ARE ALL SINNERS.**

“Indeed, there is no one on earth who is righteous, no one who does what is right and never sins.”

**Ecclesiastes 7:20**





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→ But Jesus  
died to  
defeat sin!

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**Death is our greatest enemy because it separates us from those we love & brings great sadness**

**→ Jesus rose to  
defeat death**





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**Luke 24:36-40**


While they were still talking about this, Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, 'Peace be with you.' They were startled and frightened, thinking they saw a ghost. He said to them, 'Why are you troubled, and why do doubts rise in your minds? Look at my hands and my feet. It is I myself! Touch me and see; a ghost does not have flesh and bones, as you see I have.' When he had said this, he showed them his hands and feet.



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## **HOW ABOUT YOU?**

Will you trust in  
Jesus so He can  
defeat your sin and  
death for you?

A young man with short brown hair and glasses is shown in profile, looking thoughtfully to the left. He is wearing a dark jacket. The background is dark and out of focus, suggesting an indoor setting with wooden beams.

Your response  
to Jesus's  
death and  
resurrection?

# If you are sceptical: books for you

