HE HAS RISEN!

CELEBRATE EASTER

JESUS LIVES-EASTER

I. It's hard to remember significant historical events

II. Easter is easily remember around the world

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CHRIST IS RISEN HE IS RISEN INDEED

III. We cannot share in the Resurrection without first experiencing Crucifixion Friday

God has provided two plans by which we can get to Heaven

PLAN A AND PLAY B

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Plan A-Live a perfect life

Plan B-the <u>cross</u> of Jesus Christ on Crucifixion Friday

There was a time when God didn't say a word In the 9th hour of darkness Jesus' lips moved with speech

"My God My God why hast thou forsaken me?"

Have you had moments when you felt like you had been forsaken by God?

Having the experience of Jesus at the cross of Calvary

and having had

Experienced a silent Saturday we can now shout on Easter Sunday

We're ready for Easter Sunday

Christ is Risen

He is Risen Indeed

There 12 plus experiences of Jesus on the 40 days following His resurrection

1. Easter <u>verifies</u>, <u>validates</u> Jesus' claim to be God

2. Easter validated every word that He said

3. Easter validated your ticket and my ticket to heaven

4. Easter has conquered our enemy-death

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He is Risen indeed

I Corinthians 15

But when this perishable will have put on the imperishable, and this mortal will have put on immortality, then will come about the saying that is written, "Death is swallowed up in victory.

I Corinthians 15

⁵⁵ O death, where is your victory? O death, where is your sting?" ⁵⁶ The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law; ⁵⁷ but thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

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Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your toil is not *in* vain in the Lord.



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