### **BE A BRINGER**

"40 One of the two who heard John speak, and followed Him, was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother. 41 He first found his own brother Simon, and said to him, "We have found the Messiah" (which is translated, the Christ). 42 And he brought him to Jesus...." John 1:40-42a

A bringer makes one touch each week by investing and inviting someone to Christ and church.

Name three people you will pray for their salvation this week:

# PRAYER REQUESTS FOR THE WEEK

"Moreover, as for me, far be it from me the LORD in ceasing to pray for you;"	



- Praise the Lord for the recent salvation of Tim, who came to church unsure of his salvation. After sharing scripture with him, we was assured that he was saved.
- Tim has already shared Christ with neighbors and they have also been saved.
- Pray for more open doors to share the gospel and invite people to church.
- Pray for our health and for the Lord to continue to sustain Keith and Mariella.



Handout: 03/24/24

Study Date: 03/31/24

# Jesus Fought For Us And Won!

When Christ shouted, "It Is Finished," He had paid the full price for our sins, and there is now no condemnation to all who believe on His name. When Christ burst forth from the sealed tomb, the angels joyfully proclaimed, "He is Risen!" Our resurrected Saviour broke the power of death and hell forever, and the enemy of man's soul became a defeated adversary who was bound for the lake of fire.

Christ was fully identified with sinful man when He was made sin for us, on Calvary's Cross. He was sent by God to be the one and only offering for sin and as His blood-bought children, we are identified with His finished work. Christ's triumphant victory over sin, death, Satan, and hell, becomes our triumphant victory too, and the filthy rags of our old life in Adam are replaced with the glorious garment of righteousness which are imputed to us because of our new life in Jesus Christ, our Lord and Saviour.

Christ's gained a triumphant victory over sin and death on the Cross, which climaxed with His glorious resurrection from the dead, and this verse gives insight into what His glorious resurrection means for all who are in Christ. Every member of Christ's Body will be transformed, spirit, soul, and body, and this perishable body will be changed into an imperishable body, and this mortal will put on immortality.

Those who are in Christ will claim His full and final victory over sin and death, the grave and hell at the Rapture of the Church, when the dead in Christ are raised in incorruptible bodies. Those that are alive will be changed into His likeness, in the twinkling of an eye, and taken to be with the Lord forever. The trump of God will sound and the voice of the archangel will be heard to shout, as the Body of Christ are summoned to their heavenly home: "Thanks be to God, Who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ."

Resource: dailyverse.knowing-jesus.com

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# **KEY VERSE**

1 Corinthians 15:57 (NKJV)

"But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ."

# **WEEKLY READINGS**

Monday: I Corinthians 15:56; Romans 5:12; Romans 3:20

### We Sin!

- 1. I Corinthians 15:56 states that "The sting of death is sin." and "and the strength of sin is the law." How do YOU interpret these two statements?
- 2. "By the deeds of the law no flesh will be justified in His sight" according to Romans 3:20. Why is this true, and by whom shall we be justified?

# Tuesday: I Cor. 15:57a; James 1:17; II Cor. 2:14a; Romans 6:23

#### God Gives!

- 3. James 1:17 tells us that "Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above." Do YOU take time to acknowledge this truth and give thanks?
- 4. I Corinthians 15:57 tells us that it is God "who gives us the victory." . Whom do you celebrate when YOU claim victory?

# Wednesday: I Cor. 15:57b; I Cor. 15:3; I Peter 3:18; I Cor. 15:4

#### Jesus Fought!

- 5. How would YOU explain Paul's message in I Corinthians 15:3?
- 6. I Peter 3:18 tells of how Christ suffered for us "that He may bring us to God." How does this motivate YOU to be a "living sacrifice" for Jesus?

## Thursday: I Corinthians 15:55; John 11:25-27; I John 5:11-12

#### **Death Lost!**

7. In John 11:25 Jesus states "I am the resurrection and the life." What do verses 26 and 27 say we must do to partake in His promise in verse 25?

8. I John 5:11 tells us "God has given us eternal life, and this life is in His Son." What does verse 12 say about those who do not believe in His Son?

## Friday: I Cor. 15:58;I Tim. 6:12; Neh. 4:14; I Cor. 9:26; Eph. 6:12

# We Fight!

- 9. I Timothy 6:12 calls us to "fight the good fight of faith" and "confess the good confession in the presence of many." Are YOU on a daily basis?
- 10. Nehemiah 4:14 reminds us: "Do not be afraid" for the Lord is "great and and awesome." What is YOUR testimony on how He has enabled you?
- 11. What forces are we called to "wrestle with" according to Ephesians 6:12?