What's The Big Deal About Easter?

1 Corinthians 15:1-8

Today, I'll share some **Evidence** that affects your life **TODAY** & **AFTER** you die.

If I believe Jesus <u>PAID</u> for my sins that means I DON'T have to <u>PAY</u>...<u>Right</u>?

WHY is it a BIG DEAL that Jesus ROSE from the grave?

- 1. WHAT DOES CHRIST'S RESURRECTION MEAN TO YOU?
- JESUS IS THE PERSON HE CLAIMS. (John 11:25)
- He Claimed to be God & His Resurrection Backs Up what He Claimed to be.
- JESUS HAS THE <u>POWER</u> HE CLAIMS. (John 10:18)
- There's NO <u>Greater POWER</u> than the power over <u>DEATH</u>.
- **JESUS DID WHAT HE PROMISED.** (Mark 10:34)
- As promised, <u>Three days</u> later Jesus is <u>Up</u> & <u>Walking</u> around town.

2. <u>WHY SHOULD CHRIST'S RESURRECTION MATTER TO YOU?</u>

- I CAN BE FORGIVEN OF MY PAST SINS.
- Jesus did not come to <u>Rub</u> it IN...He came to <u>Rub</u> it OUT.
- I CAN COPE WITH MY <u>PRESENT</u> PROBLEMS.
- We <u>Can't Manage</u> ALL that life <u>Throws</u> at us...BUT <u>GOD</u> CAN!!
- I CAN BE SECURE IN MY FUTURE.
- Only a <u>Fool</u> goes thru life <u>Unprepared</u> for something he <u>Knows</u> is <u>Coming</u>.
- Jesus give us <u>HOPE</u>! He <u>Reverses</u> the death process. (John 17:3)
- Are you willing to <u>TRUST</u> Him TODAY?