

# Resurrection Life 2 Corinthians 4:1-5:10 Pastor Dave Keehn

# 4:1-6... Paul's Christ-Centered Mission

- 4:1-2... The Gospel-Centered ministry keeps Paul encouraged
- 4:3-4 ... The enemy is blinding people to the truth of Jesus (John 3:19, 14:30; Eph 2:2, 6:12)

There is a significant and real sense in which Satan "rules" this world, but NOT in an ultimate sense (Psalm 24:1)

4:5-6... The solution is to continue to preach Jesus

# 4:7-12... Paul's Hardships show the Resurrection Life

- 4:7... Resurrection Life is Empowered by God
- 4:8-10... Resurrection Life, displayed in our Resilient Strength, brings life to others
- 4:11-12 ... Christ's death has its effect on us, and His resurrection empowers our lives too

### 4:13-18 ... Resurrection Life renews us as focus on Eternal matters

4:13...

4:14-15... Our hope is in our Resurrection

4:16 ... Resurrection Life renews us as we Focus on Eternal matters

#### 5:1-5 ... Our longing for the Resurrection Life

v. 1... Resurrection is how God saves our bodies

v.2-4...

1 Cor 15:54

v. 5 ... Resurrection Life begins now through the work of Jesus and deposit of the Holy Spirit

# 5:6-10 ... How to Live the Resurrection Life NOW

- v. 6-8 ... Live by Faith
- v. 9 ... Live to please God in every decision and action
- v. 10 ... What will we be held accountable for?
  - 1) What we have done will be judged
  - 2) Our motives for what we have done will be judged

1 Cor 3:12-15

#### **Building Block:**

Resurrection Life is Empowered by God; Resurrection Life is Displayed in our Resilient Strength which brings life to others; Resurrection Life Renews us as we Focus on Eternal matters; Resurrection Life Begins now through the Work of Jesus and Deposit of the Holy Spirit