

## Raised With Him - cont.

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Christians are raised with him to sit in heavenly places: *“and raised us up with him, and made us to sit with him in the heavenly places, in Christ Jesus”* (Ephesians 2:6).

Just as Jesus was raised to walk in a new life (Acts 1:3), Christians are raised with him to walk in newness of life: *“We were buried therefore with him through baptism into death: that like as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, so we also might walk in newness of life. For if we have become united with him in the likeness of his death, we shall be also in the likeness of his resurrection”* (Romans 6:4-5).

Just as Jesus was raised to go back to heaven (Acts 1:9-11), Christians are raised to focus on things that are above: *“If then ye were raised together with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated on the right hand of God”* (Colossians 3:1).

Just as Jesus was raised to life after death (1 Corinthians 15:1-8), Christians will be resurrected after they die: *“knowing that he that raised up the Lord Jesus shall raise up us also with Jesus, and shall present us with you”* (2 Corinthians 4:14).

- Chris Reeves -

## Resurrection Quote

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If Jesus rose from the dead, then you have to accept all that he said; if he didn't rise from the dead, then why worry about any of what he said? The issue on which everything hangs is not whether or not you like his teaching but whether or not he rose from the dead. – Timothy Keller

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For though we walk in the flesh, we do not war according to the flesh, for the weapons of our warfare are not of the flesh, but divinely powerful for the destruction of fortresses.  
- 2 Corinthians 10:3-4 -

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The resurrection of Jesus is foundational. It declared him to be the Son of God (Romans 1:4). But, his resurrection is not the only resurrection God wants.

Christians share many activities with Christ because Jesus is our example (1 Peter 2:21). Christians share many activities with Christ because by them we show our faith, commitment, and privilege. What do Christians share in common with Christ?

### Christians With Christ

Christians have been crucified with Christ when they put off the old man of sin: *“I have been crucified with Christ; and it is no longer I that live, but Christ liveth in me: and that life which I now live in the flesh I live in faith, the faith which is in the Son of God, who loved me, and gave himself up for me”* (Galatians 2:20).

Christians have been buried with Christ when they are baptized into Christ: *“having been buried with him in baptism, wherein ye were also raised with him through faith in the working of God, who raised him from the dead”* (Colossians 2:12).

Christians live with Christ when they faithfully live for the Lord: *“But if*

*we died with Christ, we believe that we shall also live with him”* (Romans 6:8).

Christians are hid with Christ when they are completely surrounded by Christ: *“For ye died, and your life is hid with Christ in God”* (Colossians 3:3).

Christians are joint-heirs with Christ when they share the same family blessings: *“and if children, then heirs; heirs of God, and joint-heirs with Christ”* (Romans 8:17).



Christians suffer with Christ when they are persecuted for the cause of Christ: *“if so be that we suffer with him, that we may be also glorified with him”* (Romans 8:17).

Christians reign with Christ when they rule over all their spiritual enemies: *“if we endure, we shall also reign with him: if we shall deny him, he also will deny us”* (2 Timothy

2:12).

Christians sup with Christ in close, personal fellowship when they hear his voice and obey it: *“Behold, I stand at the door and knock: if any man hear my voice and open the door, I will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with me”* (Revelation 3:20).

Christians will be glorified with Christ when they enter heaven: *“When Christ, who is our life, shall be manifested, then shall ye also with him be manifested in glory”* (Colossians 3:4).

Christians will be with Christ when they enter heaven: *“But I am in a strait betwixt the two, having the desire to depart and be with Christ; for it is very far better”* (Phil. 1:23).

### Raised With Him

Just as Jesus was made alive again (Luke 24:5), Christians are raised with him in baptism to be made alive again: *“having been buried with him in baptism, wherein ye were also raised with him through faith in the working of God, who raised him from the dead”* (Colossians 2:12).

Just as Jesus was raised to sit at the right hand of God (Acts 2:30-33),