

## He Is Risen! 3/31/24

### Is he really?

### What's at stake?

- Divinity
- Forgiveness
- Eternity

### How can I know?

- Jesus was dead
- How do we explain the empty tomb?
  - o Swoon
  - o Stolen body
  - o Wrong location
- Additional Evidence
  - o Eyewitness
  - o Changed lives

### Reflection Questions:

1. Do you have any favorite Easter traditions?
2. Do you know anyone who questions the reality of the resurrection, or do you struggle with it yourself?
3. On Sunday, we said that divinity, forgiveness, and eternity are all at stake when it comes to the resurrection.
  - a. When it comes to each of these factors, how would it impact you if Jesus was not resurrected?
  - b. When it comes to each of these factors, how would it impact you if Jesus was resurrected?
4. On Sunday, we discussed evidence for the resurrection.
  - a. Which evidences were most compelling to you?
  - b. If you still are unsure of the resurrection, how do you explain the empty tomb?
  - c. Would you be willing to explore some of the additional resources provided in the sermon notes?

### Additional Resources

- A case for the resurrection by Lee Strobel - <https://www.christianbook.com/the-case-for-easter/lee-strobel/9780310355984/pd/355984?event=ESRCG>
- Top 10 proofs for the resurrection by Bob Dutko - <https://toptenproofs.com/>
- A case for Christ by Lee Strobel (part 3) - <https://www.christianbook.com/the-case-for-easter/lee-strobel/9780310355984/pd/355984?event=ESRCG>
- Evidence that demands a verdict by Josh McDowell (chapter 10) - <https://www.christianbook.com/evidence-demands-verdict-changing-skeptical-world/josh-mcdowell/9781401676704/pd/676704?event=ESRCG>