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What's the Big Deal About Easter?

“And if Christ has not been raised, our preaching is useless and so is your faith... And if Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile; you are still in your sins.” 1 Corinthians 15:14 and 17

1 Corinthians 15:20, Hebrews 13:8

He did rise from the dead. What difference does it make?

1. **BECAUSE OF THE RESURRECTION, HIS** _____

(John 10:10, 3:17)

Jesus said, My purpose hasn't changed.

2. **BECAUSE OF THE RESURRECTION, HIS** _____

(Ephesians 1:18-20, Philippians 4:13)

He gives us persistent power.

3. **BECAUSE OF THE RESURRECTION, HIS** _____

(2 Corinthians 1:20, 1 Peter 1:3)

You cannot live without hope.

What is your source of hope?

(John 5:24, Romans 10:9, Revelation 3:20)