MATTHEW 12.22-32 Binding the Strong Man

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"However, I know that the king of Egypt will not allow you to go, even under force from a strong hand. But when I stretch out my hand and strike Egypt with all my miracles that I will perform in it, after that, he will let you go... So you will plunder the Egyptians" (Exd 3.19–22; cf. Exd 12.12).

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Jesus Must Reign. The LORD declared to my LORD, "Sit at my right hand until I make your enemies your footstool" (Psa 110.1; Luke 24.41–44; 4.18; 1 Cor 15.23-25)



JESUS MUST DIE.

You will say to Pharaoh: This is what the LORD says: Israel is my firstborn son. I told you: Let my son go so that he may worship me, but you refused to let him go. Look, I am about to kill your firstborn son!" (Exd 4.22–23)



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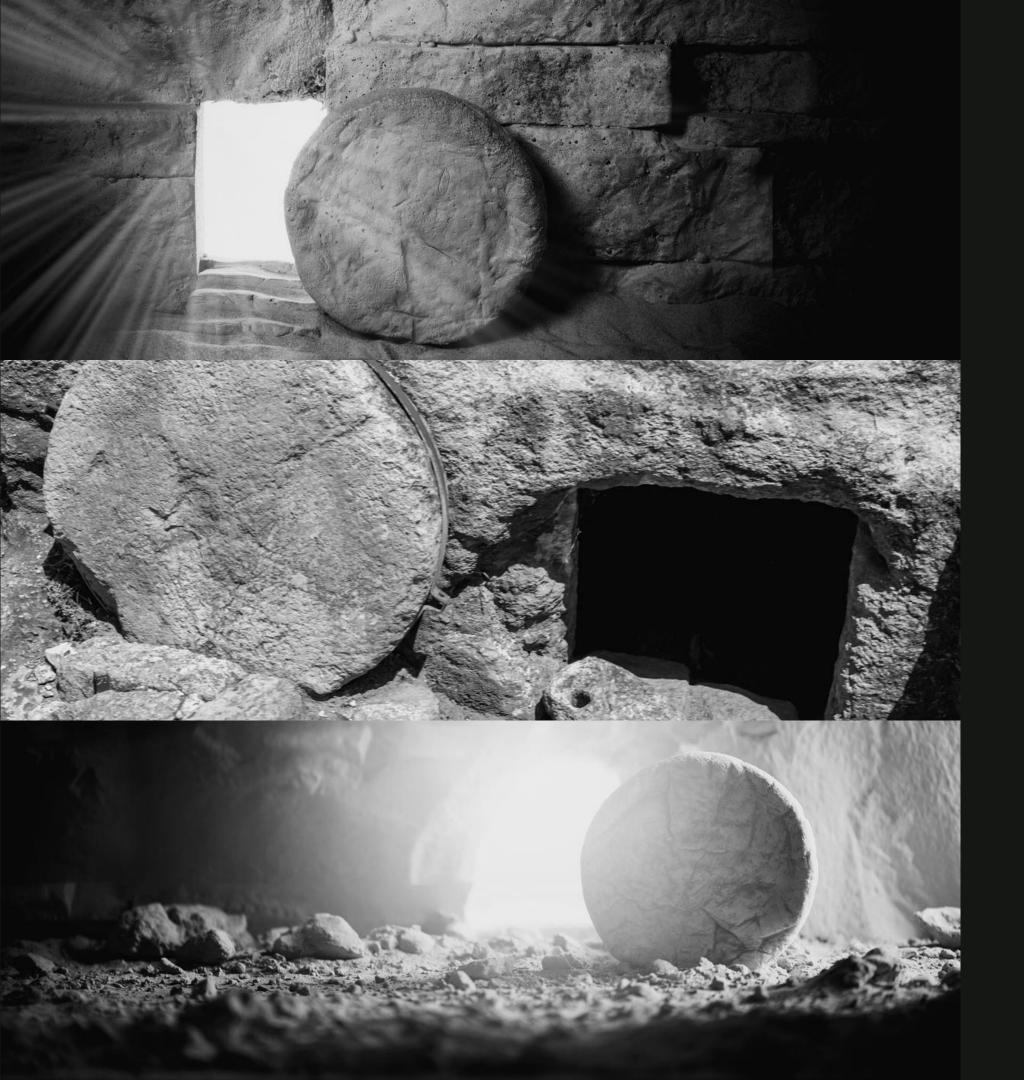


Jesus Must Rise from the Dead.

ACTS 2.27; EPHESIANS 4.8–10; 1 PETER 3.18–22; REVELATION 1.17–18

"Don't be afraid. I am the First and the Last, and the Living One. I was dead, but look—I am alive forever and ever, and I hold the keys of death and Hades" (Rev 1.17–18).





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