

Life is ONLY In The Resurrection Part 15

Faith Is ONLY Built on Truth

Philippians 2: 13 FOR it is God who works in you to will and to act according to his good purpose.

Genesis 1:31 God saw all that he had made, and it was very good. And there was evening, and there was morning—the sixth day.

Right at the end of this whole narration on the creation, the translators insert Chapter 2, in the wrong place!

Genesis 2:1 Thus (*tells us immediately it's not the right place for a new Chapter-it breaks up the whole thought content here*) the heavens and the earth were completed in all their vast array.

2 By the seventh day God had finished the work he had been doing; so on the seventh day he rested from all his work. **3** And God blessed the seventh day and made it holy, because on it he rested from all the work of creating that he had done.

Verse 4 should be where the Chapter 2 division should be, because the seventh day was when God finished.

(Chapter 2:1).....**4** This is the account of the heavens and the earth when they were created.

Philippians 2:13 FOR it is God who works in you to will and to act according to his good purpose.

3 Let nothing be done through strife or vainglory; **BUT in lowliness of mind** let each esteem other better than themselves.

4 Look not every man on his own things, but every man also on the things of others. **5** Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus: **6** Who, being in the form of God, thought it not robbery to be equal with God: **7** But made himself of no reputation, and took upon him the **form of a servant**, and was made in the likeness of men: **8** And being found in fashion as a man, **he humbled himself, and became obedient unto death**, even the death of the cross. **9** Wherefore God also **hath highly exalted him, and given him a name which is above every name**: **10** That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; **11** And that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

12 Therefore, my dear friends, as you have always **obeyed**—not only in my presence, but now much more in my absence—continue to work out your salvation with fear and trembling, **13 FOR** it is **God who works in you** to will and to act according to his good purpose.

14 Do everything without complaining or arguing, **15** so that you may become blameless and pure, children of God without fault in a crooked and depraved generation, in which you shine like stars in the universe. **16 AS you hold out the word of life**—in order that I may boast on the day of Christ that I did not run or labor for nothing. (Read 1 Corinthians 15:58 with this verse)

21 For all seek their own, not the things which are Jesus Christ's. **22** But ye know **the proof of him**, that, as a son with the father, **he hath served with me in the gospel**.

1 Corinthians 15:11 Whether, then, it was I or they, this is what we preach, and this is what you believed. **12** But if it is preached that Christ has been raised from the dead, how can some of you say that there is no resurrection of the dead?

13 If there is no resurrection of the dead, then not even Christ has been raised.

14 And if Christ has not been raised, our preaching is useless and so is your faith.

Heb 11:6 And without faith it is impossible to please God, because anyone who comes to him must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who earnestly seek him.

CHIASMUS [ky-AZ-mus] From the Greek, "to invert" or "mark with the letter X."

Home is where the **great** are **small**

X

and the **small** are **great**

One should **eat** to **live**

X

not **live** to **eat**

Psalm 23

(Seven pairs around a center arranged ABCDEFG **X** G'F'E'D'C'B'A')

A	The Lord is my shepherd;
B	I shall not be in want
C	He makes me lie down in green pastures
D	and leads me beside still waters.
E	He revives my soul
F	and guides me along right pathways for his Name's sake.
G	Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
X	I shall fear no evil
G'	for you are with me;
F'	your rod and your staff, they comfort me.
E'	You spread a table before me in the presence of those who trouble me;
D'	you have anointed my head with oil,
C'	my cup is running over.
B'	Surely your goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life,
A'	and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

13 If there is no resurrection of the dead, then not even Christ has been raised. **14** And if Christ has not been raised, our preaching is useless and so is your faith. **15** More than that, we are then found to be false witnesses about God, for we have testified about God that he raised Christ from the dead. But he did not raise him if in fact the dead are not raised.

A If there is no resurrection of the dead

B then not even Christ has been raised;

C and if Christ has not been raised,
our preaching is useless

X **AND SO IS YOUR FAITH** (*useless*)

C' More than that, we are then found to be false witnesses about God
for we have testified about God that he raised Christ from the dead

B' But he did not raise him

A' if in fact the dead are not raised.