

The Resurrection of Jesus and The Great Commission (Matthew 28)

Matthew 28:1-8

The early church started worshipping on “the first day of the week,” the day _____ rose from the dead, calling the first day of the week “the Lord’s Day.”
(Matthew 28:1; Mark 16:2; Luke 24:1; John 20:1,19; Acts 20:7; Revelation 1:10)

Brilliant, radiant light is often associated with appearances of God in the Old Testament; therefore, this angel reflects the _____ of God.

(Matthew 28:2-4; Exodus 24:16-17; 2 Chronicles 5:13-14; 2 Chronicles 7:1-3; Psalm 24:7-10; Psalm 26:8; Psalm 44:3; Isaiah 60:1-3; Ezekiel 1:27-28; Ezekiel 10:4; Habakkuk 3:4)

Matthew 28:9-10

The word “rejoice” is a word of _____ to those Jesus calls to Himself.

(Matthew 28:9; 2 Corinthians 7:16; Philippians 4:4; 1 Thessalonians 5:16; 1 Peter 1:8; Revelation 19:7)

The phrase “Do not be afraid” is a word of _____ to those Jesus calls to Himself.

(Matthew 28:10; John 1:16-17; Acts 20:32; Romans 5:15-17; 2 Corinthians 12:9; Colossians 4:6; Hebrews 4:16; 1 Peter 4:10)

Matthew 28:11-15

Many people are motivated by _____, which isn’t a bad thing unless it turns into covetousness which equates to the love of money.

(Matthew 28:12-15; Luke 12:15; Ephesians 5:3-5; 1 Timothy 6:10; Hebrews 13:5; 1 John 2:16)

For a group of frightened men to elude numerous Roman guards, roll the tombstone uphill without waking anyone, and steal Jesus’ body stretches the limits of _____ sense.

(Matthew 28:11-15; John 20:19)

Matthew 28:16-17

Faith can still work in your _____ even with doubt in your mind.

(Matthew 28:16-17; Mark 11:23; Luke 24:38; James 1:6)

Matthew 28:18-20

Confidence in Jesus as Lord over the entire universe is the _____ part of the Great Commission.

(Matthew 28:18; Hebrews 1:1-3)

Teaching people how to follow Jesus and live in His kingdom is the _____ part of the Great Commission.

(Matthew 6:33; Matthew 28:19; Mark 1:1-11; Acts 1:5-8; Acts 2:38; Acts 19:1-6; Romans 6:1-6; 1 Corinthians 4:20; 1 Corinthians 12:13; Galatians 3:27)

John 13:34-35 (NKJV)

34 “A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another; as I have loved you, that you also love one another.

35 By this all will know that you are My disciples, if you have love for one another.”

Walking in love like Jesus exemplified is the _____ part of the Great Commission.

(Matthew 28:20; John 13:34-35)