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I AM the Resurrection and the Life

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John 11

(Eccl. 8:8) “No man has power to retain the spirit, or power over the day of death.”

(Job 14:1-2) “Man who is born of a woman is few of days and full of trouble.² He comes out like a flower and withers; he flees like a shadow and continues not.”

(1 Timothy 6:7) “We brought nothing into the world, and we cannot take anything out of the world.”

(James 4:14) “Yet you do not know what tomorrow will bring. What is your life? For you are a mist that appears for a little time and then vanishes..”

(John 20:31) “These are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name.”

(John 11:39) “Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, “Lord, by this time there will be an odor, for he has been dead four days.”

(John 11:5-6) “Now Jesus loved Martha and her sister and Lazarus. ⁶ So, when he heard that Lazarus was ill, he stayed two days longer in the place where he was.”

(John 11:21) “Martha said to Jesus, “Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died.”

FOUR THINGS TO HOLD ONTO IN A TRAGEDY

1. T _____

(John 11:35) “Jesus wept.”

(John 11:4) “But when Jesus heard it he said, “This illness does not lead to death. It is for the glory of God, so that the Son of God may be glorified through it.”

2. A _____

(John 11:33) “When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who had come with her also weeping, he was deeply moved in his spirit and greatly troubled.”

3. T _____

(John 11:25-26) “Jesus said to her, “I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live, ²⁶ and everyone who lives and believes in me shall never die. Do you believe this?”

4. G _____

(Isaiah 53:4-6) “Surely he has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we esteemed him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted.⁵ But he was pierced for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with his wounds we are healed.⁶ All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned—every one—to his own way; and the Lord has laid on him the iniquity of us all.”

V. 15 “and for your sake I am glad that I was not there, so that you may believe.”

(John 1:12 KJV) “But as many as received him, to them gave he power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on his name.”