

# The Resurrection

## 1 Corinthians 15:3-20

1. For the church, there are three non-negotiables:

a. Jesus died for our sins

b. Jesus was buried

c. Jesus was raised 3 days later.

2. You don't have to commit intellectual suicide to believe Jesus arose from the dead. 1 Cor. 15:5-8

The list of witnesses is staggering:

Cephas

The Twelve

500 brothers

James

The Apostles

Paul

These witnesses couldn't be bought!  
They died rather than abandon their  
testimony!

Additionally, the change that occurred in their lives following the resurrection was nothing short of miraculous.

Who do you know that has been transformed by the gospel?

3. The resurrection gives us the hope we need to face death. vs. 12-20