

# JESUS IS ALIVE!

JOHN 20:1-9, 19-23

## Evidence for the Resurrection - John 20:1-9

**The Empty Tomb** - *They've taken the Lord out of the tomb – v. 2*

**The Missing Body** - *And we don't know where they've put him – v. 2*

**The Linen Cloths** - *Stooping down, he saw the linen cloths lying there . . . The wrapping that had been on his head was not lying with the linen cloths but was folded up in a separate place by itself – vv. 5, 7*

**The Old Testament & Jesus' Teaching** - *They did not yet understand the Scripture that he must rise from the dead – v. 9*

**First Witness of the Resurrected Jesus** - *Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, "I have seen the Lord!" And she told them what he said to her – v. 18*

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**Main Idea:** An encounter with the resurrected Jesus changes everything!

1. Jesus' appearance gives us unimaginable \_\_\_\_\_ – vv. 19-20
2. Jesus' assignment gives us unmistakable \_\_\_\_\_ – v. 21
3. Jesus' ascension gives us unstoppable \_\_\_\_\_ – vv. 22-23