

The Absolute Necessity of the Resurrection of Jesus

Let us consider the absolute necessity of the resurrection:

1. For _____ in general-1 Cor. 15:14, 17

“Whichever period of Church history we are studying, it is always worth pausing and reminding ourselves of this: the entire history of the Christian Church is rooted in one central reality-the resurrection of Jesus from the dead. If Jesus of Nazareth had not risen, there would be no Church history. The rest of the story in these pages flows out of the resurrection.”-Needham

2. For our _____-Romans 4:25

“It may fully satisfy our faith, that God Himself is satisfied, and that He reckons the debt as paid.”-Goodwin

3. For the _____ of our greatest enemy
(_____) -1 Cor. 15:20-21, 26

“No philosophy or religion that cannot come to terms with death is any real use to us.”-Packer