

# THE RESURRECTION

Part 1

## 1. Rate the following on the "Personal Worst Loss" Scale.

1 \_\_\_\_\_ 2 \_\_\_\_\_ 3 \_\_\_\_\_ 4 \_\_\_\_\_ 5 \_\_\_\_\_

No big deal

6 \_\_\_\_\_ 7 \_\_\_\_\_ 8 \_\_\_\_\_ 9 \_\_\_\_\_ 10 \_\_\_\_\_

Big loss

- You lose your car keys on a collector key chain.
- You lose the concert tickets to see your favorite band.
- Your best friend moves far away.
- Your pet dies.
- You grow out of your favorite outfit.
- Your house burns down.

## 2. Read John 11:17-27. What would you say to Jesus if you were standing with Martha at this moment? What would you say to Martha?

## 3. A=Agree, D=Disagree. Consider the following statements and decide if you agree or disagree. Circle A for agree and D for disagree.

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| We should all accept death as a natural part of living. | A | D |
| Death is nature's way of keeping down the population.   | A | D |
| Death is an enemy to be defeated.                       | A | D |
| Eat, drink, and be merry because tomorrow we die.       | A | D |
| Death is an enemy of God's creation.                    | A | D |

## 4. Finish these Sparkplug Sentences:

What confuses me about the resurrection is...

I find comfort in the resurrection in that...

If I could ask God one thing about the resurrection it would be...

## 5. African Bible Study – Read John 11:32-44 three times, stopping each time to reflect.

1st Reading – What stands out to you?

2nd Reading – How does this connect with your world?

3rd Reading – What do you feel called to do in response?