



# ***“How Easter Changed The World (And Can Change My Life”)***

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## **Why should I fight sin and grow in godliness?**

**Reason #1: The \_\_\_\_\_ Factor (vss.9-11)**

*“For we will all stand before the judgment seat of God...Each of us will give an account of himself to God.” ~ Romans 14:10,12*

*“For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ.” ~ 2 Corinthians 5:10*

### **I. How Did Easter Change The World?**

1. How did Christianity grow after that first Easter?

2. Key Question: Why did Christianity spread so far, so fast?

**Reason #2: The \_\_\_\_\_ Belongs To The \_\_\_\_\_**

**Factor (vss.12-14)**

### **II. Why Does The Resurrection Matter To Our Faith?**

1. Because it proves that everything Jesus said and did is

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*“If Christ has not been raised, then our preaching is in vain, and your faith is in vain...If Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile and you are still in your sins.” ~ 1 Corinthians 15:14,17*

2. Why is our faith “vain” or “futile” without the resurrection?

3. The resurrection is the greatest evidence for our faith.

Be careful though when you set out to disprove it. Why?

**Reason #3: The \_\_\_\_\_ Factor**

(vss.15-19)

**Reason #4: The \_\_\_\_\_ Factor**

(vss.19-20)

### **III. 1 Corinthians 6:9-20 – A Case Study In How Easter Can Change My Life For The Better**

*Some background to the Corinthian church:*