

EASTER AT FELLOWSHIP MOSAIC

RISE

Luke 24:1-3 niv

On the first day of the week, very early in the morning, the women took the spices they had prepared and went to the tomb. ² They found **the stone rolled away** from the tomb, ³ but when they entered, they did not find the body of the Lord Jesus.

“We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only-begotten Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.”

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“For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven,
was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.”

THE NICENE CREED

On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.”

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Philippians 3:7-9 niv

But whatever were gains to me I now consider loss for the sake of Christ.⁸ What is more, I consider everything a loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord, for whose sake I have lost all things. I consider them garbage, that I may gain Christ⁹ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but that which is through faith in Christ—the righteousness that comes from God on the basis of faith.

Philippians 3:10-11 niv

I want to know Christ—yes, to know the power of his resurrection and participation in his sufferings, becoming like him in his death,¹¹ and so, somehow, attaining to the resurrection from the dead.

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Matthew 16:25-26 niv

“For whoever wants to save their life will lose it, but whoever loses their life for me will find it. ²⁶ What good will it be for someone to **gain** the whole world, yet **forfeit** their soul? Or what can anyone give in exchange for their soul?”

Paul's Two Audacious Moves

01.

Paul took Jesus
seriously.

02.

Paul put himself in
the passage.

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Which of your **gains** has become
an **obstacle** for your faith?

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Paul's Train of Thought

I consider everything a loss...

Philippians 3:8

...that I may gain Christ

Philippians 3:8

...that I may know Christ

Philippians 3:10

Today:

...to know the
power of his
resurrection...

...and participation
in his sufferings,
becoming like him
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One Day:

...attaining to the
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