

Good News About the Resurrection

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Acts 17.16-34

The apostle Paul claimed that, through the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, there were fresh answers to the deepest questions of life. Why was Paul so successful in his mission? What made the message so believable? Is it still believable 2000 years later? Let's examine Paul's message to the citizens of Athens, Greece, and learn how the good news of Jesus and his resurrection answers for us those deep questions of life...

❖ Is there a God? If so, what is he like?

- Yes! he is the powerful _____.

❖ What is God's relationship to humankind?

- He _____ us, _____ us, and is _____ in our lives.
- He will one day _____ the world with justice.

❖ What is "man"—and what is our purpose?

- Not to _____ (primarily) but to _____ God.

❖ How do we find meaning in our existence?

- God desires that we find _____ in him!

❖ *What powerful answers, but so different from what others proclaimed... how can we know that the story of Jesus is true?*

- God offered _____ through the _____!

Each listener in Athens had one of three responses: to reject, investigate further, or believe. You have those same three options today. What will be your response to Jesus today?