

EMBRACING ETERNITY

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If only for this life we have hope in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied.

— 1 Corinthians 15:19 (NIV)



EVERY NATION
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HOOK

 Start the conversation by asking...

From The Fountain of Youth to the Elixir of Life, people have chased after immortality for centuries in an effort to escape death.

ENGAGE

 Go deeper with this...

Would you choose to be immortal?

Why would you want to live forever?

LINK

 Connect to God's truth by sharing...

- The Resurrection is all about becoming alive again after death.
- After Jesus died on the cross, He was buried and then rose to life again.
- Jesus' resurrection proved that He is victorious over death.
- The Resurrection is Jesus' promise to us that death is not the end of all things.
- The Resurrection means we can have hope beyond this life.
- And not just beyond this life...
- When we put our hope in Jesus, the same power that raised Jesus from the dead is available today, for all aspects of life—broken relationships, unhealthy habits, poor financial choices, and more!

PAUSE

 Pick a question and pray together...

Discuss Together (*pick one*)

- How does having hope beyond this life change the way you live life today?
- What are some things people might do if they had no hope for eternal life?

Pray Together (*pick one*)

- Pray to understand the gift of resurrection that we get when we put our hope in Jesus.
- Pray for God's peace and strength to live your life today knowing that death is not the end of all things.

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⁴²So will it be with the resurrection of the dead. The body that is sown is perishable, it is raised imperishable; ⁴³it is sown in dishonor, it is raised in glory; it is sown in weakness, it is raised in power; ⁴⁴it is sown a natural body, it is raised a spiritual body. If there is a natural body, there is also a spiritual body.

— 1 Corinthians 15:42–44 (NIV)