

On Resurrection Power

by Smith Wigglesworth

The sermon emphasizes the power of Christ's resurrection and the importance of focusing on Jesus to overcome Satan's power and experience true transformation.

Scripture: John 11:25, Romans 8:11

Topics: "Resurrection Power", "Healing and Faith"

Description

Smith Wigglesworth emphasizes the transformative power of Christ's resurrection, asserting that only resurrection can revive what is dead. He shares a testimony of a woman healed from her ailments through faith in Jesus, illustrating how focusing on Christ can dispel the darkness of despair. Wigglesworth recounts another miracle in a barber's shop, where a man was healed and subsequently saved, highlighting the joy and glory that come from being intertwined with Jesus' heart. He concludes that the work of the Holy Spirit continues, and the Acts of the Apostles will persist until we reach glory.

Transcript

Christ's resurrection power is keeping things alive; nothing but resurrection can displace that which is dead. He came forth. He came forth to be life and power that we might be able to loose the things that were bound, that His glory might be evidenced. There was a dear woman, her heart was bad, poor soul, her feet were swelled. When the devil gets your eyes he makes you look at death. I said, "I believe the Lord wants you to have His message." I saw she saw death. It is a tremendous power Satan has when we haven't our eyes on Jesus, but He is alive, and He is risen to make everything living, and His glory is alive for evermore.

I thought I would show this dear woman that He has the keys and she might take the promise for a new heart (Psalm 91) and "with long life will I satisfy him." "Oh," she said, "it is a new word to me." "Yes," I said, "all revelation is new." Three days did wonders. She had risen right into the condition of this life. She said, "It is Amen, I have a new heart, my legs are not swelled." It is no good without it is the Amen from above. The Amen--what does it mean--"let it be." It was Jesus who said it--it was He who was Clothed who said it--The One from heaven, the One who had won the victory, and God wants us to do it in His place.

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Oh, I remember one day stepping into a barber's shop where I heard a man moaning pitifully, with a shade over his eyes.

"What is the matter," I asked. "Doctor says it is inflammation and will always be like this." "In the Name of Jesus," I cried, "I command you to go." The man then said, "It's done, I am free." Where is He? I tell you He is risen. It was He that acted. Oh, to be so closely interwoven with His great Heart and it's done.--Did it finish there? No! The man came and got saved and baptized in the Holy Ghost. It is joy unspeakable and full of glory--it is impossible for it to be told. The Acts of the Apostles will never be finished till we get into the glory.

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