

“Behold ... Worthy Is The Lamb!”

The Resurrection Of Jesus And What It Means

John 1:29-34; 19:28-20:31; Revelation 5:6-13; 7:13-17

The imagery of ‘the Lamb’ fills the OT as Abraham (Ge. 22:14), Moses (Ex. 12; Nu. 28:1-8), and the Prophet Isaiah (Is. 53:7) spoke of One who would be God’s provision. Under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, the Apostle John features this facet of Christ’s ministry as “the Lamb of God” destined to “take away” his people’s sins. In Revelation 5 (see also 13:8; 21:22-23; 22:1-3) John looks *upward* to the Heavenly Places where Christ is seated in splendor. The Cross and the Tomb are empty! We have washed our robes, and “made them white in the blood of the Lamb” (Rev. 7:17)!

I. Jesus is unique in his _____: he is _____ God and _____ man!

1. Jesus _____ before John because He _____ in “the beginning” (1:1-3)
2. The Spirit’s _____ on him is a sign of Jesus’ divine _____.
3. In his physical _____ Jesus is the son of Mary (19:25) and the adopted son of Joseph. And God’s prophet John bears witness: “this is the _____ of _____.”

II. Jesus is unique in his _____: an empty Cross/Tomb. the _____ is _____!

1. Jesus voluntarily gave up his human _____: “it is _____.”
2. The Cross (19:38), the Tomb (20:1, 9) were vacated by God’s power and _____.
3. After _____ appearances (in 40 days) the Lamb appears _____ in victory.

III. Jesus is unique in his _____: our _____ robes are _____ white in his blood!

1. The QUESTION is raised: who is this innumerable, white-robed _____?
2. Are your _____ dirty? Have you gone to the Person where robes made _____? “Let us reason together...your sins will be white as scarlet...” (Isaiah 1:18).
3. All those who are “in _____” are heir to these eight indicatives (or statements of _____). Live in the light of Lamb’s resurrection and these _____ blessings!

Investigate the space-time _____ of history: the death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

Train your mind in these arguments, for the _____ cannot exalt in what the _____ rejects. Come again and again to the _____, reigning Christ!