

"The Most Important Event in Human History"

"If Jesus Christ is not risen from the dead, there is not one glimmer of hope for the human race. When I leave office, I'm going to spend the rest of my life studying and writing about the resurrection of Jesus Christ. It is the most important event in human history."

Conrad Adenauer
Former German Chancellor

1. The _____ of the resurrection Acts 1:3

Note: "Convincing proofs" literally means
"_____."

"The resurrection of Jesus Christ is the best attested fact in history."

Matthew Arnold

- A. His _____ Jn. 19:34

"Clearly the way the historical and medical evidence indicates that Jesus was dead before the wound to His side was inflicted and supports the traditional view that the spear probably perforated not only the right lung, but also the pericardium and heart, and thereby, insured His death. Accordingly, interpretations based on the assumption that Jesus did not die on the cross appear to be at odds with modern medical knowledge."

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Note: The thrust of the spear didn't _____ Christ's death; it _____ Christ's death.

- B. The _____ procedure

- C. The _____ Matt.28:12,13

Three Possibilities for the Empty Tomb

1. The _____ of Jesus
2. The _____ of Jesus
3. _____

Three Things that Prevented His Friends from Stealing the Body

1. The _____
2. The _____
3. The _____

That leaves only one group. If His enemies took the body, why didn't they produce it? Instead of having Christians arrested, flogged, imprisoned and killed, all that was necessary to halt the spread of Christianity dead in its tracks was to produce His body. There's only one reason they didn't produce the body. They didn't have the body.

- D. Lives that were _____

(1) _____

(2) _____

"I say unequivocally that the evidence for the resurrection of Jesus Christ is so overwhelming that it compels acceptance by proof which leaves absolutely no room for doubt."

Sir Lionel Luckhoo

Most successful defense attorney in the world
Guinness Book of World Records'

2. The _____ of the resurrection

A. To have my _____ Rom.4:25

B. To have _____ in my life Jn. 10:10

C. To conquer _____ 1Cor.15:55

D. To have _____ Rom.10:9; Jn.11:25