

Alive for Evermore

Definition: Alive

Possessing life, active, alert, awake; to be physically alive.

Scripture Reading:

But ye that did cleave unto the LORD your God are **alive** every one of you this day. / Likewise reckon ye also yourselves to be dead indeed unto sin, but **alive** unto God through Jesus Christ. / Neither yield ye your members as instruments of unrighteousness unto sin; but yield yourselves unto God, as those **alive** from the dead, and your members as instruments of righteousness unto God. / For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made **alive**. / For the Lord, Himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first: then we which are **alive** and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so, shall we ever be with the Lord. / I am He that liveth and was dead; and behold, I am **alive** for evermore, Amen; ...

Deut 4:4; Rom 6:11, 13; 1 Cor 15:22; 1 Thes 4:16-17; Rev 1:18

Discipleship Directive:

As disciples, we are to become spiritually **alive** in Christ. Each day we are to die to self and **live** in and through Christ. We are no longer spiritually dead, but we have become vessels of God's power and anointing. What gives **life** to us and makes us **alive** spiritually, it is because we are clothed in Christ righteousness and filled with resurrection power. It is because of the death of Christ on the cross, and His journey to the bowels of the earth, where He took back the keys of **life** and death from Satan. Christ paid the price as a sacrificial Lamb so that we through faith in Him may be made **alive**. As we confess our sins and believe that Jesus is Lord through faith, we move from death to **life**. We **live** because Christ the anointed One **lives** in us and made us **alive** forever more. It is His resurrection power that fills our bodies so that we may **live** and glorify Him both here on earth and for all eternity in heaven.

Dedication Prayer:

Dear Lord Jesus,

Thank you, for being willing to come to this earth and to give Your life as a sacrificial Lamb where Your blood was shed for the remissions of our sins, which open the door so that through faith in You we can have eternal life. I want to thank You also that our eternal life starts here on earth, that the moment that we receive You into our hearts, we are made alive. Plus, you make it possible that we may come to you each day and be filled with Your Spirit who will teach us, comfort us, and guide us as we live our lives here on earth. Thank You for Your grace, love and righteousness which gives us hope that You are with us each moment of the day, pouring Your life into our lives. I praise you and glorify Your name for making us alive and forgiving to us the opportunity to go and to live in your heavenly kingdom for all eternity.

Your Servant.

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