

**Next Steps:**

Read 1 Corinthians 15 in the New Testament of the Bible. This chapter, written by the Apostle Paul is filled with information about the resurrection of Jesus. It is a long chapter, so it will be easier if you read the sections listed below on different days.

1 Corinthians 15:1-11

Why do you think Paul is so detailed in listing all the people who were witnesses to the resurrection of Jesus?

How was it possible for Paul to live a “grace filled” life?

1 Corinthians 15:12-34

Why is belief in the resurrection so important to what Paul is teaching?

How does the truth of the resurrection motivate Paul to live a “purpose filled” life?

1 Corinthians 15:35-58

What vivid metaphor does Paul use to describe what happens at the resurrection?

How does the promise of the resurrection allow us to live a “hope filled” life?

“Thanks be to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. Therefore, my dear brothers and sisters, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain.”

**Next Week:** Please join us next Sunday as we begin a new teaching series looking more closely at what the Bible tells us about living purpose filled lives. We have been created on purpose, for a purpose and been given everything we need to live out our purpose.