

A sunset scene over a field of tall grass. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a warm orange and yellow glow. Silhouettes of trees are visible in the foreground and background. A person is sitting in the distance, looking towards the sunset.

RISE AGAIN

Ezekiel 37:1-14

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MORNING READING

Ezekiel 18: 23-28 NASB

23 Do I take any pleasure in the death of the wicked,” declares the Lord GOD, “[k]rather than that he would turn from his ways and live? 24 “But when a righteous person turns away from his righteousness, commits injustice and does according to all the abominations that the wicked person does, will he live? All his righteous deeds which he has done will

**not be remembered for his treachery
which he has committed and his sin which
he has committed; for them he will die.**

**25 Yet you say, 'The way of the Lord is not
right.' Hear now, house of Israel! Is My
way not right? Is it not your ways that are
not right? 26 When a righteous person
turns away from his righteousness,
commits injustice and dies because of it,
for his injustice which he has committed
he dies.**

27 But when a wicked person turns away from his wickedness which he has committed and practices justice and righteousness, he will save his life.

28 Since he understood and turned away from all his offenses which he had committed, he shall certainly live; he shall not die.

EZEKIEL 18:24B

24 All his righteous deeds which he has done will not be remembered for his treachery which he has committed and his sin which he has committed; for them he will die. 25 Yet you say, 'The way of the Lord is not right.' Hear now, house of Israel! Is My way not right? Is it not your ways that are not right?

Romans 12:2 King James Version

2 And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God. 26 When a righteous person turns away from his righteousness, commits injustice and dies because of it, for his injustice which he has committed he dies.

27 But when a wicked person turns away from his wickedness which he has committed and practices justice and righteousness, he will save his life.

28 Since he understood and turned away from all his offenses which he had committed, he shall certainly live; he shall not die.

Ezekiel 37:1-14 King James Version

37 The hand of the LORD was upon me, and carried me out in the spirit of the LORD, and set me down in the midst of the valley which was full of bones,

2 And caused me to pass by them round about: and, behold, there were very many in the open valley; and, lo, they were very dry. And he said unto me, Son of man, can these bones live? And I answered, O Lord GOD, thou knowest.

4 Again he said unto me, Prophecy upon these bones, and say unto them, O ye dry bones, hear the word of the LORD.

5 Thus saith the Lord GOD unto these bones; Behold, I will cause breath to enter into you, and ye shall live: 6 And I will lay sinews upon you, and will bring up flesh upon you, and cover you with skin, and put breath in you, and ye shall live; and ye shall know that I am the LORD.

7 So I prophesied as I was commanded:

**and as I prophesied, there was a noise,
and behold a shaking, and the bones
came together, bone to his bone. 8 And
when I beheld, lo, the sinews and the
flesh came up upon them, and the skin
covered them above: but there was no
breath in them. 9 Then said he unto me,
Prophecy unto the wind, prophecy, son of
man, and say to the wind, Thus saith the
Lord GOD; Come from the four winds, O
breath, and breathe upon these slain,**

that they may live. 10 So I prophesied as he commanded me, and the breath came into them, and they lived, and stood up upon their feet, an exceeding great army. 11 Then he said unto me, Son of man, these bones are the whole house of Israel: behold, they say, Our bones are dried, and our hope is lost: we are cut off for our parts. 12 Therefore prophesy and say unto them, Thus saith the Lord GOD; Behold, O my people, I will open your graves, and

**cause you to come up out of your graves,
and bring you into the land of Israel.**

**13 And ye shall know that I am the LORD,
when I have opened your graves, O my
people, and brought you up out of your
graves, 14 And shall put my spirit in you,
and ye shall live, and I shall place you in
your own land: then shall ye know that I
the LORD have spoken it, and performed
it, saith the LORD.**

Psalm 23:2 New King James Version

He makes me to lie down in green pastures; He leads me beside the still waters.

Matthew 6:33 King James Bible

But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.

EZEKIEL 37: 3-4

3 And he said unto me, Son of man, can these bones live? And I answered, O Lord

GOD, thou knowest.

4 Again he said unto me, Prophecy upon these bones, and say unto them, O ye dry bones, hear the word of the LORD.

Isaiah 55:11 King James Bible

So shall my word be that goeth forth out of my mouth: it shall not return unto me void, but it shall accomplish that which I please, and it shall prosper in the thing whereto I sent it.

Ecclesiastes 3 King James Version

3 To every thing there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven:

2 A time to be born, and a time to die; a time to plant, and a time to pluck up that which is planted;

Isaiah 49:6 New Living Translation

6 He says, "You will do more than restore the people of Israel to me. I will make you a light to the Gentiles, and you will bring my salvation to the ends of the earth."

PHILLIPPIANS 2:10-11 King James Version

10 That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; 11 And that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

EZEKIEL 37:5

Thus saith the Lord GOD unto these bones; Behold, I will cause breath to enter into you, and ye shall live:

6 And I will lay sinews upon you, and will bring up flesh upon you, and cover you with skin, and put breath in you, and ye shall live; and ye shall know that I am the LORD.

AMOS 3:7 NEXT PAGE Amos 3:7 KJV

7 Surely the Lord GOD will do nothing, but he revealeth his secret unto his servants the prophets.

Zechariah 12:10 NIV

“And I will pour out on the house of David and the inhabitants of Jerusalem a spirit of grace and supplication. They will look on me, the one they have pierced, and they will mourn for him as one mourns for an only child, and grieve bitterly for him as one grieves for a firstborn son.

EZEKIEL 37:

7 So I prophesied as I was commanded: and as I prophesied, there was a noise,

and behold a shaking, and the bones came together, bone to his bone.

8 And when I beheld, lo, the sinews and the flesh came up upon them, and the skin covered them above: but there was no breath in them.

Ephesians 2:14 NLT For Christ himself has brought peace to us. He united Jews and Gentiles into one people when, in his own body on the cross, he broke down the wall of hostility that separated us.

EZEKIEL 37: 9

Then said he unto me, Prophecy unto the wind, prophecy, son of man, and say to the wind, Thus saith the Lord GOD; Come from the four winds, O breath, and breathe upon these slain, that they may live.

10 So I prophesied as he commanded me, and the breath came into them, and they lived, and stood up upon their feet, an exceeding great army.

EZEKIEL 37: 11

Then he said unto me, Son of man, these bones are the whole house of Israel: behold, they say, Our bones are dried, and our hope is lost: we are cut off for our parts.

Genesis 50:20

20 You intended to harm me, but God intended it for good to accomplish what is now being done, the saving of many lives.

EZEKIEL 37: 12

**Therefore prophesy and say unto them,
Thus saith the Lord GOD; Behold, O my
people, I will open your graves, and cause
you to come up out of your graves, and
bring you into the land of Israel.**

**13 And ye shall know that I am the LORD,
when I have opened your graves, O my
people, and brought you up out of your
graves,**

EZEKIEL 37: 14

And shall put my spirit in you, and ye shall live, and I shall place you in your own land: then shall ye know that I the LORD have spoken it, and performed it, saith the LORD.



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