



UP FROM THE GRAVE HE  
AROSE

~~ Matthew 28:1-10 ~~

# THE OPENING OF THE TOMB

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**The Time of the visit in verse**

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After the Sabbath, at dawn of  
the first day of the week.

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**The Time of the  
Resurrection:**

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## **The Time of the Resurrection:**

Before the earthquake, and  
before the visit of the women.

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After the Resurrection as the  
angel descended, and before  
the visit of  
the women.

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**The Women:**

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## **The Women:**

Mary Magdalene, Mary (the mother of James), Joanna, Salome, and “the other women with them.”

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## The Earthquake:

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*Compare Mat. 27:51 -at the  
crucifixion-*

The earth trembles with horror at the death of Jesus. Here, the earth trembles with joy at the power of

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3. The angel's splendor was

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- 1.They Shook.
- 2.They became like dead men.
- 3.They then left the scene and were not there for the various visits to the tomb.

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**The perplexity of the women:**

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## **The perplexity of the women:**

1. Mary Magdalene left to report  
to Peter

and John that Jesus's body was  
gone, and

someone must've taken it.

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**The perplexity of the women:**

2. Peter, John, and Mary arrive.

They look

in the tomb, not yet knowing

about His

resurrection.

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**The perplexity of the women:**

3. Once Peter and John leave, Mary sees

two angels, and then meets the risen Lord.

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**The perplexity of the women:**

4. On their way back to report to the  
the

disciples, the other women see  
Christ.

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**The perplexity of the women:**

5. Mary then runs back to report  
the risen

Lord to the other disciples; but  
the other

women had already been there.

# THE ANGEL'S MESSAGE



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**“Fear not”**

**-or-**

**“Stop being afraid.”**

# THE ANGEL'S MESSAGE

**“He is not here; He is risen.”**

**- And -**

**“Why do you seek the living  
among the dead?”**

# THE ANGEL'S MESSAGE

**“He has already said this!”**

The angel gently reminds them.

# THE ANGEL'S MESSAGE

**“Come and see the place where He was lying.”**

It was neat, and orderly,  
not the work of robbers.

# THE ANGEL'S MESSAGE

**Go and tell His disciples -  
quickly!**

**HE IS RISEN!**

He goes ahead of you like a shepherd  
with his sheep. They will see Him in  
Galilee for the giving of the Great

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- C. Reverent worship, seizing His feet.
- D. Repetition of duty (v.10)

# CONCLUSION:

Where can you find Jesus?

Not in a tomb.

Not in the Synagogue.

Not with the ungodly crowd.

# CONCLUSION:

Where can you find Jesus?

Today Jesus is found only with His  
**genuine followers.**

Jesus is found forever with His Father in  
Heaven – **Alive Forevermore!**

# CONCLUSION:

Jesus can only be found in  
Heaven with His Father and  
on Earth with His children.