

EASTER

Believe Again - Andy Stanley

Everything in the Christian faith hinges on the resurrection of Jesus, but can we be sure that the resurrection really happened? So often a question like this makes its way right into the middle of our relationship with God. So what should we do when we have these questions? Are there facts to support this faith we believe?

Discussion Questions

1. Andy names three different audiences he wanted to appeal to:
 - Audience one was asking the question, "How can anyone believe this?"
 - Audience two was asking the question, "Can I believe again?"
 - Audience three was asking, "Is there really more to this life than just this life?"Which of these questions do you find yourself asking? Why do you think you're asking that question?
2. Read 1 Corinthians 15:1-8. What sticks out to you most from this text? Why does it stick out to you?
3. Why do you think Paul is so detailed in naming the people who saw the resurrected Jesus?
4. What in Andy's narrative was most helpful to your understanding of how the message of the resurrection got to where it is today?
5. Why does the entire Christian faith hinge on the resurrection?

Moving Forward

There are countless spiritual questions and doubts floating around in our heads throughout our lives. When we come to a place of doubt we can make our stance of belief on the historically supported resurrection of Jesus.

Changing Your Mind

"For what I received I passed on to you as of first importance: that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, and then to the Twelve. After that, he appeared to more than five hundred of the brothers and sisters at the same time, most of whom are still living, though some have fallen asleep. Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles, and last of all he appeared to me also, as to one abnormally born." - 1 Corinthians 15:3-8