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# GOOD FRIDAY SLIDES



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## Foundation of Hope

## PSALM 89:46-51

“O Lord, how long will this go on?  
Will you hide yourself forever?  
How long will your anger burn like  
fire? Remember how short my life  
is, how empty and futile this  
human existence!



# PSALM 89:46-51

No one can live forever; all will die.  
No one can escape the power of  
the grave. Lord, where is your  
unfailing love?"

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## The Promise of Forgiveness

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## LUKE 23:34

“Father, forgive them, for they don’t know what they are doing.”



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## ROMANS 5:3-5

“We rejoice in our sufferings,  
knowing that suffering produces  
endurance, and endurance  
produces character, and  
character produces hope, and  
hope does not disappoint us,

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because god's love has been poured into our hearts through the holy spirit which has been given to us.”

# LUKE 12:48

“To whom much is given, from him much will be required.”



## LUKE 9:22

“If anyone desires to come after me, let them deny themselves, and take up their cross daily and follow me.”

# LUKE 9:62

“No one putting his hand to the plow and looking back is fit for the kingdom of God.”

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Who are we that we'd dare  
to boast  
Of whate'er on thee  
we'd bestow?  
All's from thee; from thine  
hand we give them back,



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Borrowed treasures returning  
most gladly.  
Who shall then to  
thee consecrate  
Willingly his being today—

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His whole heart and soul, his  
whole mind and strength?  
Lord, our life we now present  
unto thee!  
Oh, how glorious!  
God's people, arise!

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Join the great throng who'll pay  
the full price!

With our spirit strengthened, our  
praise we sing

To our god who will the  
building complete.



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Oh, how worth it!  
We've counted the cost;  
Boldly offer; 'tis never a loss!  
God, man as one mingled  
—our destiny;  
Mutual rest and  
satisfaction complete!

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Jesus, we thank you for your sacrifice and gift of life. We are humbled and in awe of you. In our brokenness we find hope in you.

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We give our lives as a living  
sacrifice to you and for your use  
in your kingdom purpose. In  
Jesus name. Amen.



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## Jesus, Our Eternal Hope!

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**HAPPY EASTER!**



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What have I been counting  
on in this life?

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Have I been building my life  
on a foundation solid  
enough to withstand a  
global pandemic?

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What if I die?  
Am I ready?



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What will things look like on  
the other side of Covid?

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**THREE REASONS WHY  
THE RESURRECTION  
PROVIDES YOU WITH  
UNSHAKABLE HOPE.**

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## **The Resurrection of Jesus Offers You God's Peace**



## JOHN 14:27

“Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid.”

## JOHN 16:33

“I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world.”

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Jesus says, “You can live with unshakable hope because I have overcome the world. I’ve defeated any and all things that were in the way of my relationship with you.”



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His victory is our victory. His  
peace is our peace.  
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# MATTHEW 28:20

“...And surely I am with you always,  
to the very end of the age.”



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Through his life, death, and resurrection, Jesus offers us his presence forever.

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## **The Resurrection of Jesus Offers You God's Power**

## EPHESIANS 1:18-20

“I pray that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened in order that you may know the hope to which he has called you, the riches of his glorious inheritance in his holy people, and his incomparably great power for us who believe.



## EPHESIANS 1:18-20

That power is the same as the mighty strength he exerted when he raised Christ from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly realms.”

# PHILIPPIANS 3:10

"I want to know Christ—yes, to know the power of his resurrection and participation in his sufferings, becoming like him in his death,"

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What sets Christianity apart is that you are given the power to live for God and do all he asks you to do. All throughout Jesus' ministry you see his power.



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Jesus has power over disease, power over nature, power over evil, and even power over death. This same power is available to you.

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## **Dunamis**

Paul says that because of the resurrection, you have power available to you, explosive power, like dynamite. Power that can heal your diseases.

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Power that can calm the storms in your life. Power over all evil that plagues you. Even power over your death!



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The only good way to respond to Jesus on Easter is to trust and follow him. To receive his peace, presence, and power. To live with unshakable hope.

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What about you?  
What will your response be?