

**RESURRECTION: REAL OR MYTH?
2 PETER 1:16 / 4-1-18 / AM**

I. THERE ARE PLENTY OF PEOPLE TODAY WHO THINK CHRISTIANS ARE FOOLS FOR BELIEVING THE RESURRECTION.

1. The Resuscitation Theory--Mark 15:44-45.
2. The Hallucination Theory—1 Cor. 15:6.
3. The Impersonation Theory
4. The Spiritual Theory—John 20:24.
5. The Theft Theory—Matt. 28:11-15.
6. The Wrong Tomb Theory—Matt. 27:59-61.
7. The N.T. Isn't Reliable Theory.
8. The Myth Theory—2 Peter 1:16.

II. ARE WE FOOLS FOR BELIEVING THE RESURRECTION? WHAT PROOF DO WE HAVE?

1. The O.T. belief in resurrection from the dead—Psa. 16:9-10.
2. Jesus' predicted his resurrection three times in the gospel of Mark—Mark 8:31.
3. The Empty Tomb.
4. The Many Eye Witnesses of the Resurrection Jesus.
5. The sacrifice of those who believed the resurrection.