

# JESUS IS ALIVE # 5



## VIDEO: WAS THE TOMB EMPTY?

<https://vimeo.com/45423136>

## WHAT OTHERS SAY:

"One of the most remarkable facts about the early Christian belief in Jesus' resurrection was that it flourished in the very city where Jesus had been publicly crucified. So long as the people of Jerusalem thought that Jesus' body was in the tomb, few would have been prepared to believe such nonsense."

William Lane Craig



## THOUGHT TO PONDER:

"The disciples all claimed to have seen the risen Jesus, and staked their lives on it. They were tortured and most were killed for believing in the resurrection of Jesus. But if, in fact, it was not true, then they died for a lie and something they had themselves fabricated. When faced with suffering and horrible deaths, including stoning and crucifixion, all of them were resolute and none defected. Is it likely they would have done that if they knew it was made up? Many people die for things they believe to be true, but no-one dies for a lie."

Darrell Bock



## PRAYER:

Now may the God of peace  
who brought again from the dead  
our Lord Jesus,  
the great shepherd of the sheep,  
by the blood of the eternal covenant,  
equip you with everything good  
that you may do his will,  
working in us  
that which is pleasing in his sight,  
through Jesus Christ,  
to whom be glory  
forever and ever. Amen.

Hebrews 13:20-21

