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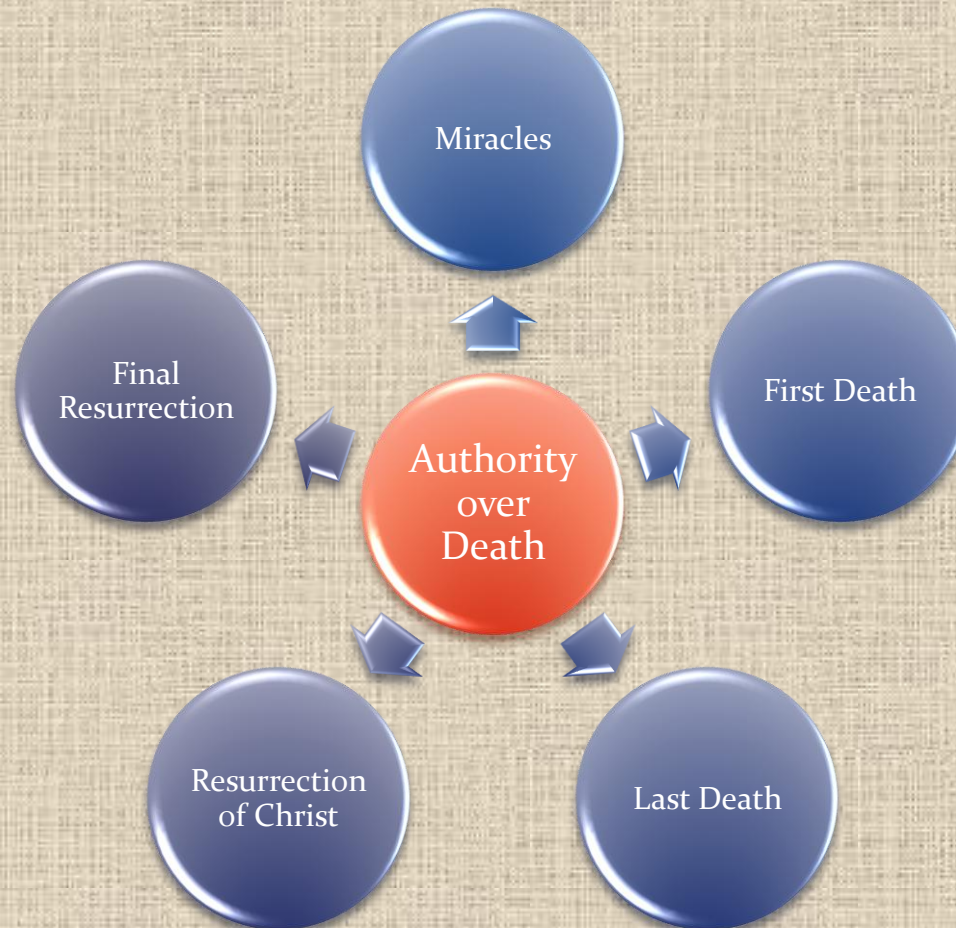
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Death

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Raising Jairus' Daughter



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Story:

- Matthew 9:18-19, 23-26 (Brief)
- Mark 5:21-24, 35-43 (Detailed)



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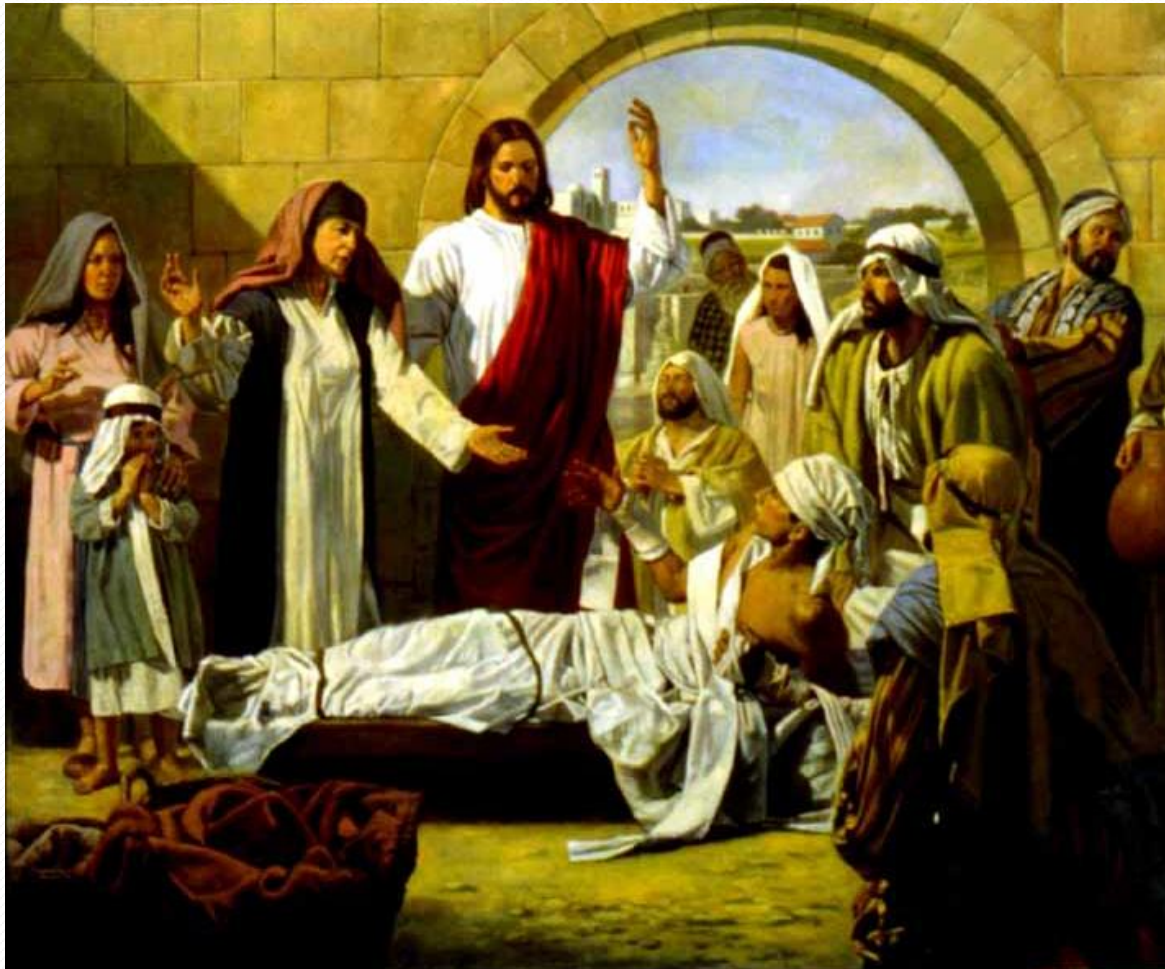
Summary:

- **Who:** Daughter of Synagogue official
- **Geography:** Galilee (Capernaum or nearby)
- **Where:** On her bed
- **Status:** Dead
- **How long:** just died (hours at most)
- **How raised:** Jesus took her by the hand and asked her to rise
- **Why:**
 - Jesus was compassionate for the desperate man who begged him
 - Jesus wanted to show His divinity



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Raising the Widow's Son



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Story:

- Luke 7:11-17



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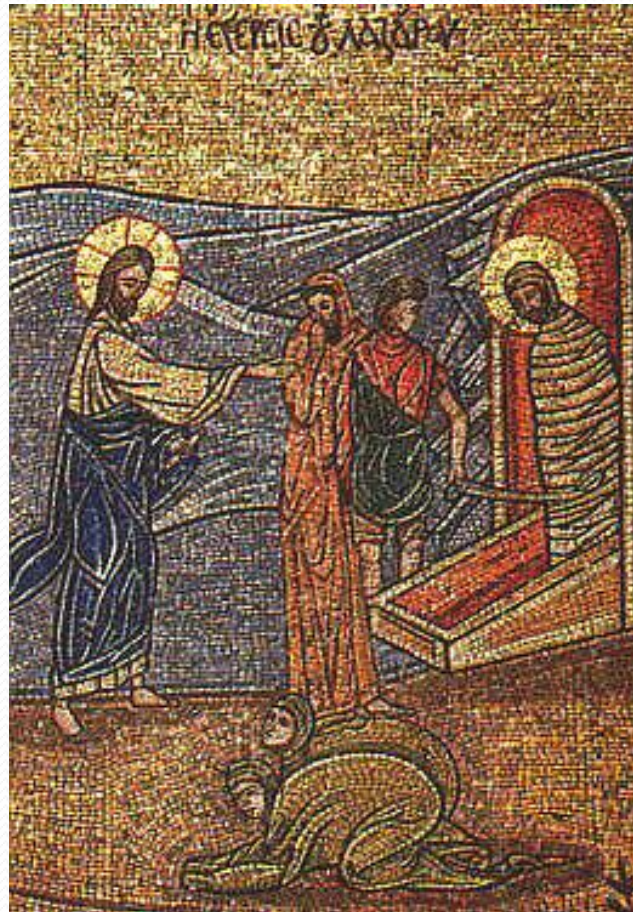
Summary:

- **Who:** Widow's son (probably poor)
- **Geography:** Outside Nain
- **Where:** On the way to burial
- **Status:** Dead
- **How long:** earlier that day
- **How raised:** Jesus touched the coffin and called him to rise
- **Why:**
 - Jesus was affected by the widow's suffering
 - Jesus wanted to show His divinity



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Raising Lazarus



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Story:

- John 11:1-44



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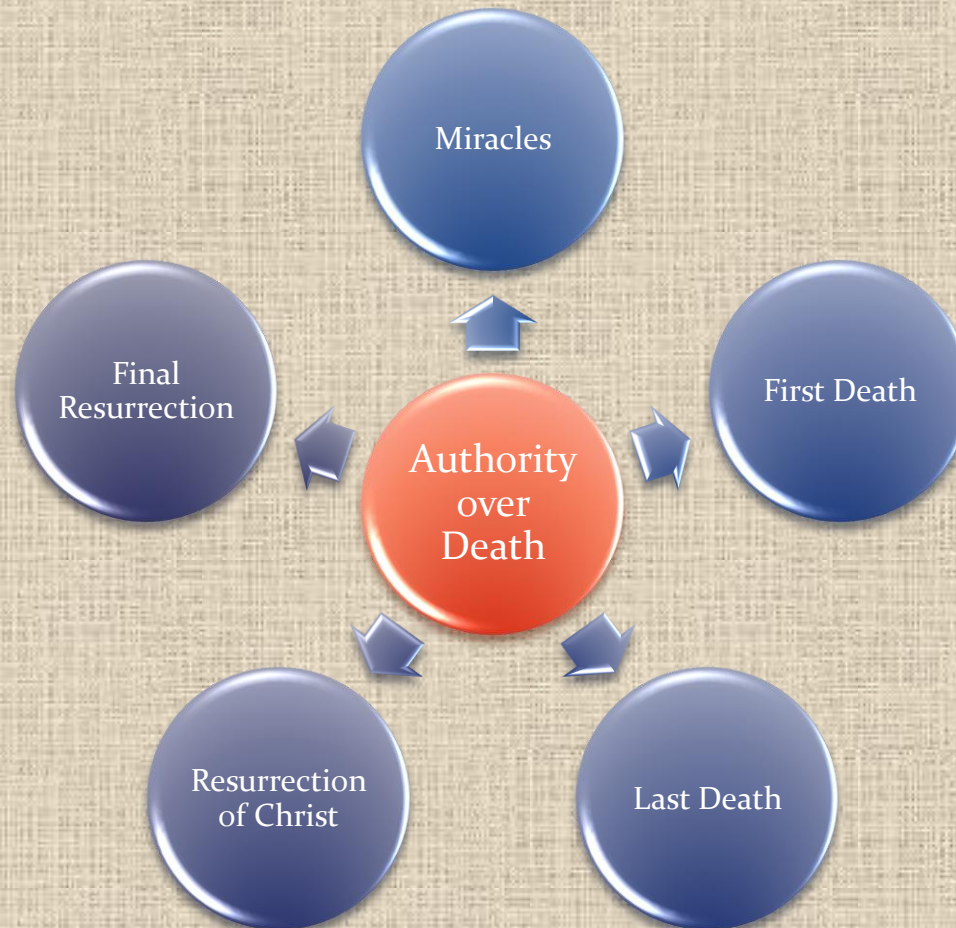
Raising Lazarus

Summary:

- **Who:** Friend of Jesus
- **Geography:** Outside Bethany
- **Where:** In a tomb
- **Status:** **Dead**
- **How long:** 4 days
- **How raised:** Jesus called him out
- **Why:**
 - Jesus loved Lazarus and his sisters
 - Jesus wanted to show His divinity



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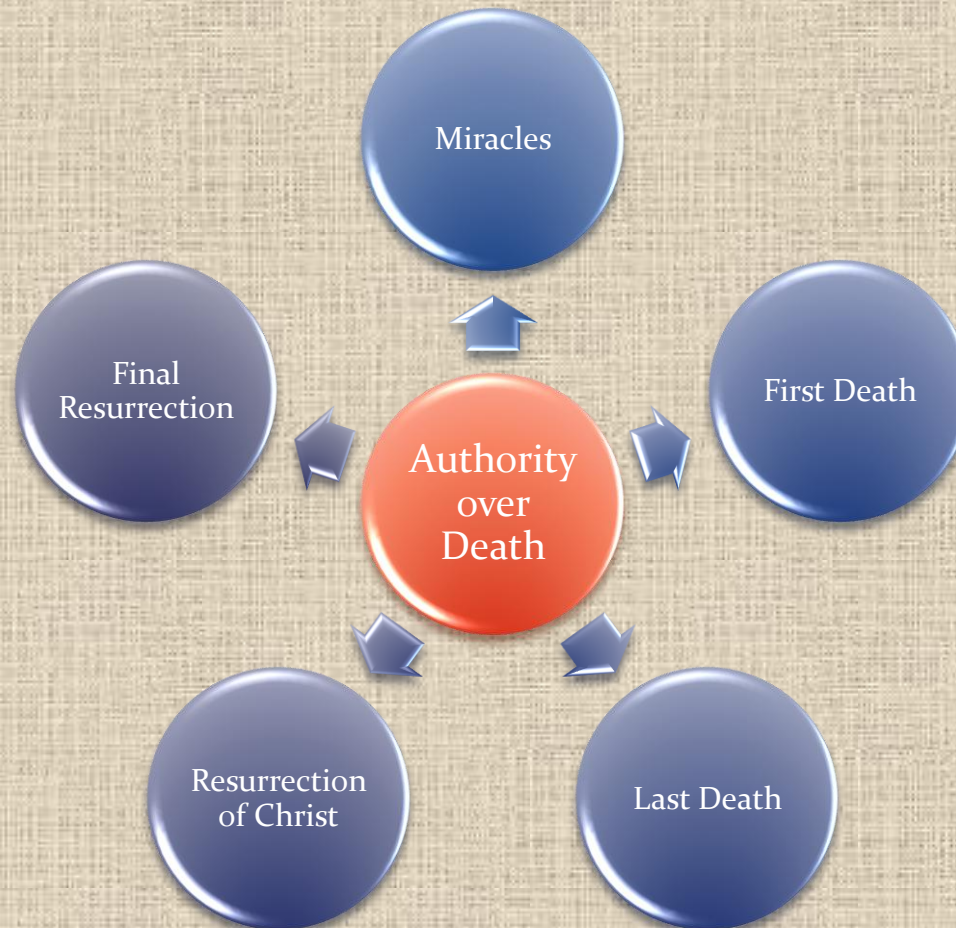
The First Death

- It is the physical death
- The spirit leaves the body
- The body decays, as mentioned about Lazarus (John 30:38)
- Christ's death on the cross was physical, as it was written about Jesus: "*He gave up His spirit*" (John 19:30)

The First Death

- Death was the punishment for the sin that Adam committed in paradise.
- *“but of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you shall not eat, for in the day that you eat of it you shall surely die.”* (Genesis 2:17)
- In the old testament, all who died, good and bad went into Hades, the waiting place where the devil bounds the soul.

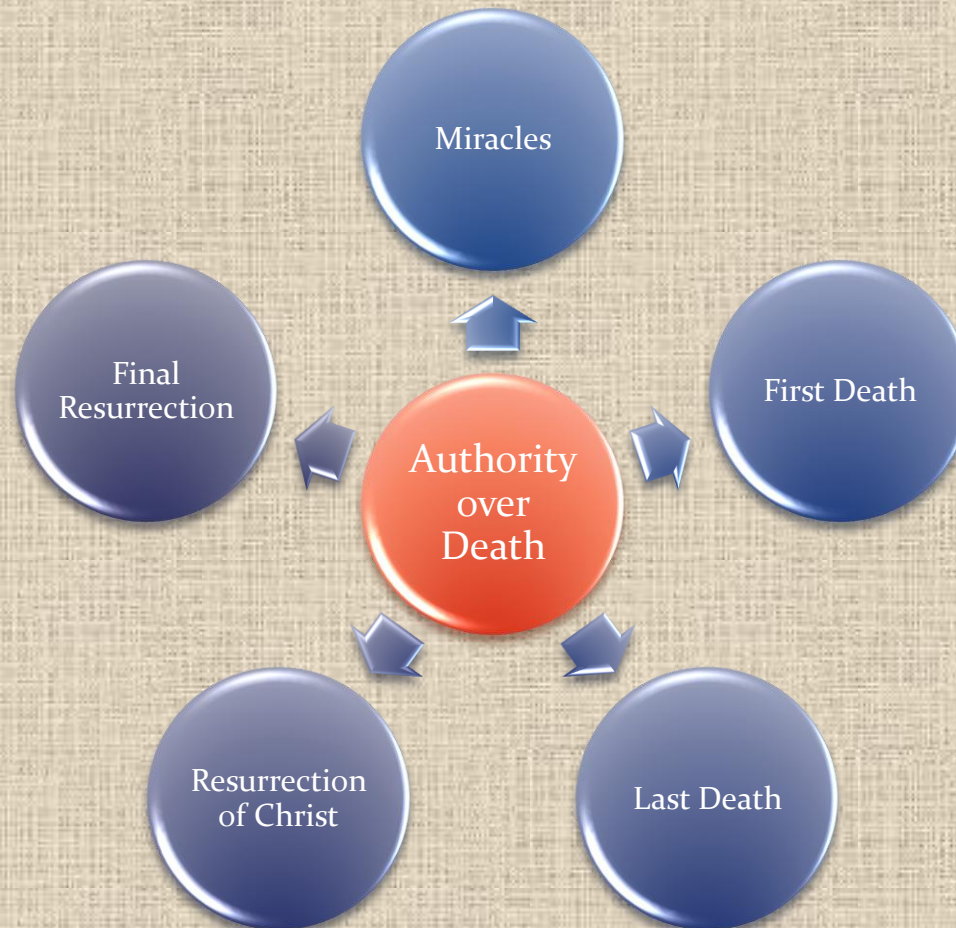
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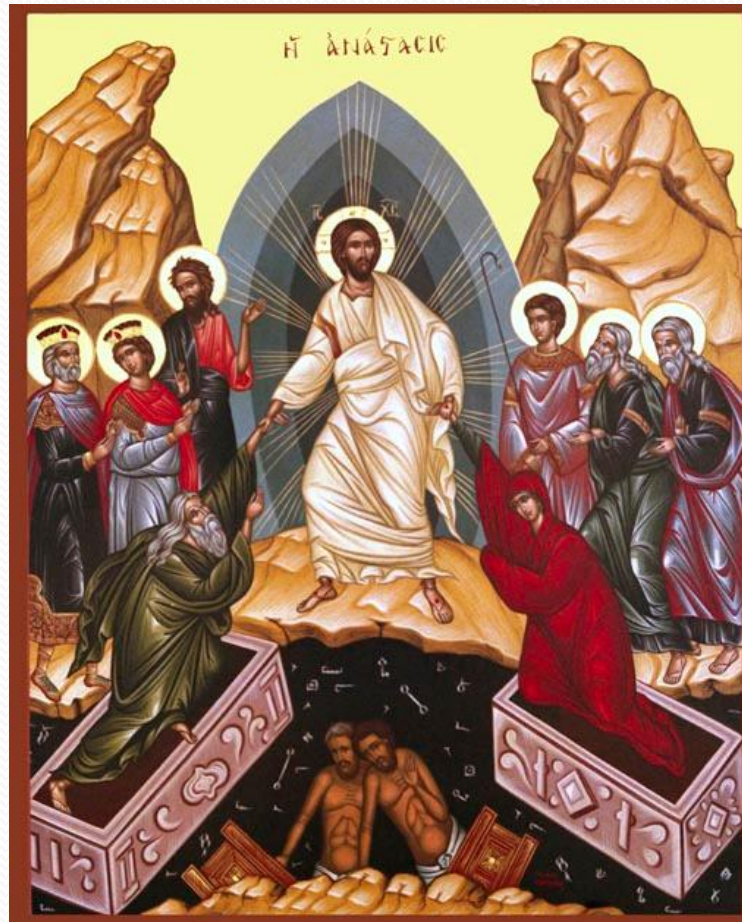
The Last Death

- The second death is separation from God, that's when the spirit is in **hell**.
- Jesus said to us: *“do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul. But rather fear Him who is able to destroy both soul and body in hell.”* (Matthew 10:28)
- Only God, the true judge can condemn the person to Hell.
- In the parable of the wedding, Jesus said about the invitee who was not dressed for the feast: *“cast him into outer darkness; there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.”* For many are called, but few are chosen.” (Matthew 22:13-14)

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Resurrection of Christ



Death of Christ

- When Christ died on the cross, **2 miracles** happened:
 - Some of those in the graves in Jerusalem rose! *“Then, behold, the veil of the temple was torn in two from top to bottom; and the earth quaked, and the rocks were split, and the graves were opened; and many bodies of the saints who had fallen asleep were raised; and coming out of the graves after His resurrection, they went into the holy city and appeared to many.”* (Matthew 27:51-53)
 - Jesus broken the gates of Hades and freed his followers who were captive there (1 Peter 3:18-19)

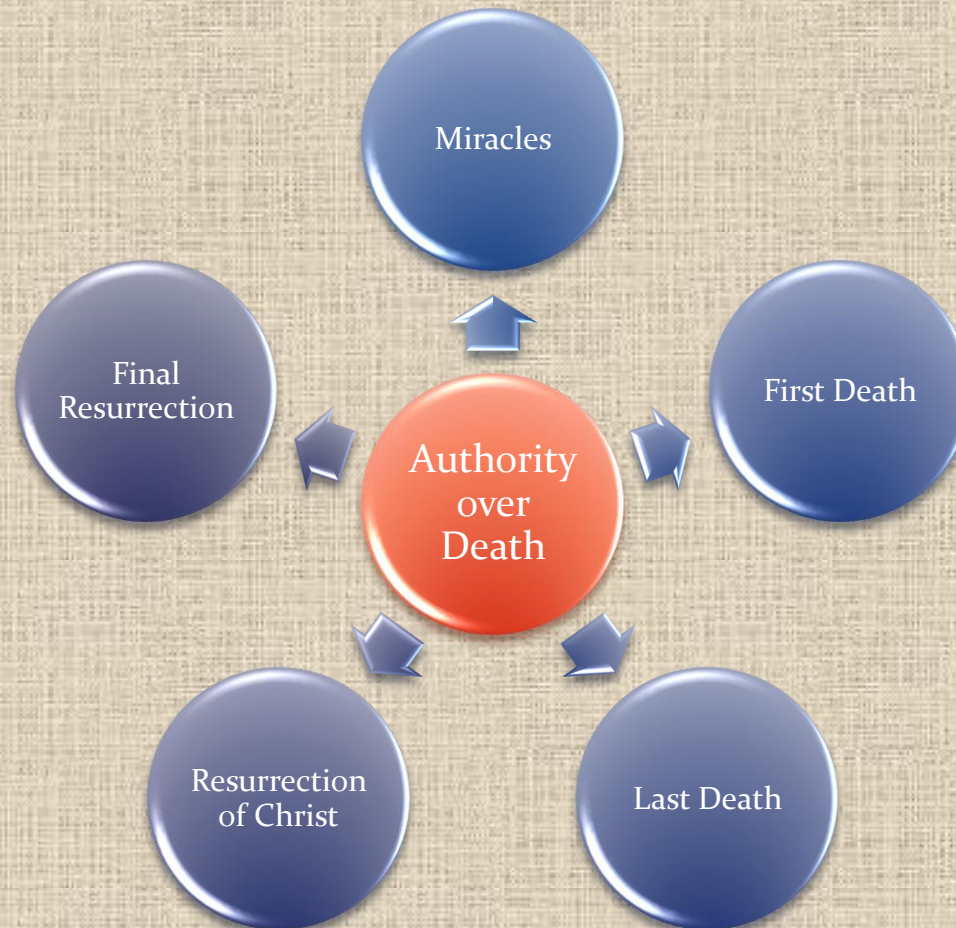
Resurrection of Christ

- Jesus Christ was in the tomb 3 days in fulfilment of the prophecies.
- After 3 days, Christ rose from the dead.
- **Christ rose by His own Power.**

Resurrection of Christ

- Christ prophesied about His own resurrection:
“Therefore My Father loves Me, because I lay down My life that I may take it again. No one takes it from Me, but I lay it down of Myself. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it again. This command I have received from My Father.” (John 10:17-18)

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Jesus is the resurrection



Christ is the Resurrection

- Jesus says about Himself: *“I am the resurrection, and life”* (John 11:25)
- How?
 - Believing in Jesus: *“Most assuredly, I say to you, he who hears My word and believes in Him who sent Me has everlasting life, and shall not come into judgment, but has passed from death into life.”* (John 5:24)

Christ is the Resurrection

- How?
 - Through salvation. How?
 1. The price of sin is death
 2. Jesus paid that price by dying on the cross
 3. We are no longer slaves to sin, but to Christ
 4. We believe in Christ
 5. We walk in the ways of Christ
 6. We live with Christ forever as His children

Christ is the Resurrection

- Through Adam's disobedience, we became slaves to sin
- Through Christ's death and resurrection, we became free from sin

Explanation:

- **Romans 5:12-21**



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Final Resurrection

- When Jesus resurrected, he became the first person to overcome death. *“But now Christ is risen from the dead, and has become the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep.”* (1 Corinthians 15:20)
- By doing this, Jesus reverses what happened to us when Adam sinned. *“For since by man came death, by Man also came the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ all shall be made alive.”* (1 Corinthians 15:21-22)
- **Adam** sinned, and all mankind followed in sin. Our human nature became corrupted and that’s why we began to die.
 - (SIN = CORRUPTION + SEPARATION FROM GOD + DEATH)
- **Jesus** died to pay the price for our sins. After that He overcame death by His resurrection, bringing us all back to Him. Now, all His followers will rise at the last day and will not be held back by sin.
 - (SALVATION = RESTORATION (I.E. BACK TO GOD) = ETERNAL LIFE)

Questions

