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3 For what I received I passed on to you as of first
importance: that Christ died for our sins according to
the Scriptures, 4 that he was buried, that he was
raised on the third day according to the Scriptures,
5 and that he appeared to Peter, and then to the
Twelve. 6 After that, he appeared to more than five
hundred of the brothers at the same time, most of
whom are still living, though some have fallen asleep.

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2 By this gospel you are saved, if you hold firmly to the word I preached to you. Otherwise, you have believed in vain.

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58 Therefore, my dear brothers, stand firm. Let nothing
move you.

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1. It is essential to our faith

> 13 If there is no resurrection of the dead, then not even Christ has been raised. And if Christ has not been raised, our preaching is useless and so is your faith.

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> 20 But Christ has indeed been raised from the dead,
> the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep.

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Philippians 3:10–11

I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the fellowship of sharing in his sufferings, becoming like him in his death, and so, somehow, to attain to the resurrection from the dead.

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2. It drives how we live

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> 30 And as for us, why do we endanger ourselves every hour?

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> 32 If the dead are not raised, "Let us eat and drink,
> for tomorrow we die."

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2. It drives how we live

> 34 Come back to your senses as you ought, and stop sinning; for there are some who are ignorant of God—I say this to your shame.

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> 35 But someone may ask, “How are the dead raised?
> With what kind of body will they come?”

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> 37 When you sow, you do not plant the body that will be, but just a seed, perhaps of wheat or of something else. But God gives it a body as he has determined, and to each kind of seed he gives its own body.

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- A new body, more glorious than the old
- An eternal body, impervious to decay

> 42 So will it be with the resurrection of the dead.
> The body that is sown is perishable, it is raised
> imperishable…

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> 22 For as in Adam all die, so in Christ all will be made alive.

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> 49 And just as we have borne the likeness of the earthly man, so shall we bear the likeness of the man from heaven.

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4. It is victory over death

> 50 I declare to you, brothers, that flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God, nor does the perishable inherit the imperishable.

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4. It is victory over death

> 56 The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law.

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> 56 The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law.
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> 57 But thanks be to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

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4. It is victory over death

55 “Where, O death, is your victory?
Where, O death, is your sting?”

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1 Corinthians 15:58

Therefore, my dear brothers,
stand firm.
Let nothing move you.
Always give yourselves fully
to the work of the Lord,
because you know that your
labor in the Lord is not in vain.