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THE PROMISES OF JESUS

John 14-16

Today, we wrap up our Eastertide series, *The Uniqueness of Jesus Christ*. During the Passover meal, just before Jesus goes to the cross, He gives His disciples a series of reassuring promises to strengthen and sustain them through the difficult days ahead.

The Promises of Jesus:

- I will send the Holy Spirit to **TEACH YOU** and give you **POWER**.

"But when he, the Spirit of truth, comes, he will guide you into all the truth..." John 16.13

"But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you..." Acts 1.8

- I will be **WITH YOU**.

"I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you." John 14.18

- I will give you **PEACE** and **JOY**.

"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 14.27

"I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete." John 15.11

- I will **RETURN**.

"And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am." John 14:3

- The **RESURRECTION** is the proof behind the promises.

The challenge for us today: How do we move from PROMISES to POSSESSION.

1. **LIVE IN JESUS**

"I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing." John 15.5

2. **OBEY HIS COMMANDS.**

"As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Now remain in my love. If you keep my commands, you will remain in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commands and remain in his love." John 15.9-10

3. **LOVE OTHERS**

"My command is this: Love each other as I have loved you." John 15.12

What is God saying to me?

What am I going to do about it?

Love God, Love Others, Learn Jesus, DO SOMETHING!

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