

- C. **Freedom** is possible. (John 8:36)
- D. **Hope** is possible. (1 Peter 1:3)
- E. **Eternal Life** is possible. (John 11:25, 17:3)

3) HOW CAN A PERSON EXPERIENCE THE BENEFITS OF THE EMPTY TOMB?

The empty tomb is not automatically applied to everyone. It must be **received**.

- A. **Believe** the gospel. (1 Corinthians 15:3-4; Romans 10:9)
- B. **Repent** and turn to Jesus. (Acts 3:19)
- C. **Receive** new life. (John 1:12)
- D. **Live** in resurrection power. (Romans 6:4, 8:11)

GROWING NOTES:

1. What stood out most to you from the message about the empty tomb?
2. Why is the resurrection essential to Christianity (not optional)?
3. Which evidence for the resurrection strengthens your faith the most?
4. What does “anything is possible” mean—and what does it *not* mean?
5. What area of your life needs resurrection power right now (hope, freedom, healing, purpose)?
6. Read Romans 10:9–13. What does it teach about how someone is saved?
7. What’s one step you can take this week to live like Jesus is alive?



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Ray Davis

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“If the Tomb is Empty...Anything is Possible!”

Key Texts: Matt.28:1-10; Luke 24:1-12; 1Cor.15:3-8, 20-22

Big Idea: The empty tomb is not just a miracle to admire—it's a message to believe. Because Jesus lives, forgiveness is possible, freedom is possible, hope is possible, and eternal life is possible.

If the tomb is empty, then God can do what no human can do.

The resurrection is God's announcement:

- ✓ Sin doesn't win.
- ✓ Death doesn't get the final word.
- ✓ Your past doesn't have to define you.
- ✓ Your pain doesn't have to destroy you.
- ✓ Your story isn't over.

Core Statement: “If the tomb is empty... anything is possible!”

1) HOW DO WE KNOW THE TOMB IS EMPTY? (Matthew 28:5–6)

- A. The tomb was publicly known. (Matt. 27:57-60)
- B. The tomb was secured. (Matthew 27:62-66)
- C. The first witnesses were women. (Matthew 28:1-10)
- D. The disciples changed completely. (4 Gospels/Book of Acts)
- E. There were many eyewitnesses. (1 Corinthians 15:3-8)

2) WHAT DOES IT MEAN THAT ANYTHING IS POSSIBLE?

Because of the empty tomb...

- A. Forgiveness is possible. (Romans 4:25)
- B. New Life is possible. (2 Corinthians 5:17)