Elementary Children's Church

Lesson 22

Part 3 of 3 O.T. Prophesies fulfilled by Jesus Christ during the Passover week, His crucifixion, and His resurrection.

Part 3: Prophesy fulfilled in the resurrection of Jesus Christ our Lord.

- 1. Immediately upon the death of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ He entered the depths of hell for you and me. He entered upper Shioh (hell), Abraham's bosom, and took the souls of them who had believed in the sacrifice of the blood, up on high into heaven. **Psalm 68:18:** "Thou hast ascended on high, thou hast **led captivity** captive: thou hast received gifts for men; yea, [for] the rebellious also, that the LORD God might dwell [among them]." **Ephesians 4:8**, "Wherefore he saith, When he ascended up on high, he **led captivity** captive, and gave gifts unto men."
- 2. It was a resurrection assured; nothing could keep Him in the grave. **Psalm 118:17**: "I shall not die, but live, and declare the works of the LORD." **I Corinthians 15:20**: "But now is Christ risen from the dead, [and] become the firstfruits of them that slept."
- 3. He shall be in the grave three days and three nights. **Matthew 12:40**: "For as Jonas was **three days** and **three nights** in the whale's belly; so shall the Son of man be **three days** and **three nights** in the heart of the earth." **Luke 24:46**: "And said unto them, Thus it is written, and thus it behoved Christ to suffer, and to rise from the dead the **third day."**
- 4. Jesus Christ is the resurrection and the life. **John 11:25**: "Jesus said unto her, I am the **resurrection**, and the **life**: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live."
- 5. Jesus is now seated and waiting at the right hand of God. **Psalm 110:1**: "The LORD said unto my Lord, Sit thou at my right hand, until I make thine enemies thy footstool." **Mark 16:19**: "So then after the Lord had spoken unto them, he was received up into heaven, and sat on the right hand of God."