

# Sunday Supplement: Born Into a Living Hope

**Text:** 1 Peter 1:3–9 (ESV)

## Key Teaching Points

### 1. New Birth → Living Hope

Because of Jesus' resurrection, you are born again into a living, active hope—not wishful thinking, but a guaranteed future anchored in Christ.

### 2. Eternal Inheritance → Secure Future

Your inheritance in Christ is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading. Nothing in this world can take it away.

### 3. Tested Faith → Refined and Strengthened

Trials refine your faith like fire refines gold, strengthening your trust in God.

### 4. Unseen Christ → Real Love, Joy, and Salvation

Even without seeing Jesus, you love Him, trust Him, and experience lasting joy.

## Bottom Line

The resurrection of Jesus gives you a new life, a secure future, and a faith that grows stronger through every trial.

## Questions for Reflection

1. Where do you feel discouraged, and how does the resurrection speak into that?
2. What trial might God be using to refine your faith?
3. Are you focused more on present struggles or eternal inheritance?
4. What would visible joy in your faith look like this week?
5. Who needs to hear your story of hope?

## Suggested Next Steps

- Read 1 Peter 1:3–9 daily and thank God for your living hope.
- Reframe trials: ask how God is refining you.
- Write down three daily gratitudes.
- Choose forgiveness in one situation.
- Share your faith or serve someone this week.

## **Live Easter This Week**

Pray boldly. Worship gratefully. Love freely. Serve faithfully.

*“He has caused us to be born again to a living hope...” – 1 Peter 1:3*