

- A. Because He arose, we will rise!
- B. Our text concludes the fifth argument for the reality of our resurrection.

The Practical Significance of the Doctrine of the Resurrection

- I. The Hope It Gives.
  - A. The doctrine of which we speak is not that of the resurrection of Christ, but of the resurrection of all believers.
  
  - B. This doctrine gives us hope!
  
  - C. We lose this hope, if we deny the doctrine of the resurrection of the body.
  
- II. The Life To Which It Leads.
  - A. The knowledge and hope of the resurrection of the body leads to a life of godliness.
  
  - B. Accordingly, the apostle warns against living in direct contradiction of our hope.
  
  - C. Let us confess the doctrine, and live it!