

BECAUSE OF JESUS

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INTRO:

In Genesis, we learn that all God created was very good and brought to its intended end, according to God's will. We also learn that a curse came upon the entire creation because of sin—**GEN. 3:16-19**. The evil we face in life has nothing to do with God's creative powers. It has everything to do with man's rebellion. **ROM. 5:12** Adam opened the door to a law that affected all creation and every dimension of man—the law of sin and death.

Because of Adam

EPH. 2:1-3 These verses reveal man's condition after the fall. His spirit was separated from God and took on the nature of death. His soul -- mind, will, emotions and intellect – was overtaken by deception. His body became mortal, subject to sickness and death.

Because of Jesus

2 TIM. 1:10 Jesus abolished, annulled, destroyed, and broke the power of death.

ROM. 8:2 Jesus provides a law that's greater than the law of sin and death.

Because of Jesus, man's spirit can pass from death to life - **JOHN 5:24**. His soul can be restored and delivered from corruptive reasoning-**PS. 23:3, JAMES 1:21**.

His body can be healed and glorified - **1 PET. 2:24, ROM. 8:22-23 NLT**.

IS. 53:3-6 HCSB Jesus provides for all three dimensions of man.

- Spirit – He was crushed for our sins.
- Soul – He was punished for our peace of mind.
- Body – He was wounded for our healing and health.

Faith Required

What Jesus provides isn't automatically imparted or experienced.

- Our spirit needs born again - **JOHN 3:7, 1 PET. 1:23, JOHN 1:11-12**
- Our soul needs weaned and renewed - **PS. 131:2, ROM. 12:2** The giants we face are not physical, they're mental and emotional: depression, fear, compromise, impatience, inferiority, murmurer, heaviness due to stress, burdens and troubles: **PS. 147:3, IS. 26:3**.
- Our body needs healed and glorified - **PS. 107:20, 1 COR. 15:51-53**.

CONCLUSION: Because of Jesus, the curse has been reversed and provisions have been made for our restoration in all three dimensions of our being. Our part is to believe in what Jesus accomplished and activate His provisions with our faith.

