**1 Peter 1:3-4, (KJV), emphasis mine, “Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, which according to his abundant mercy hath begotten us again unto a lively hope by the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,to an inheritance incorruptible, and undefiled, and that fadeth not away, reserved in heaven for you.”**

When I read St. Peter's words, I am heartened by his emphasis on the superiority and supremacy of his Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Peter understood that the promise, assurance, guarantee, pledge, and security of God’s Word is contractual, a bona fide covenant, if you will, stating this: **Because of** “the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, **(we are promised)** an inheritance incorruptible, and undefiled, and that fadeth not away, **reserved in heaven for you (and me!)**.” --Now, here’s where the celebration begins!!

Start dancing! ![C:\Users\Linda\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\VOCLT5DO\MM900162965[1].gif]()

Marvelous, magnificent, mercy-filled, mindful, amazing Monday to you! Through Jesus’ “more than enough,” meaty, mammoth, mighty, meticulously measured ministry, may you, mindfully make your Monday, maximized through the true “measure” of His matchless majesty! And, may you, understand that because of Him, there is a place “**reserved in heaven for you!”** **(Here’s where we maffick in the streets! YEAH, GOD! YEAH, JESUS! SHOUT LOUD ![C:\Users\Linda\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\B0NMQVJ5\MC900279688[1].wmf]()!!)**

***It is always,***

***Because of Him,***

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**Dear Father in Heaven, thank You for Jesus who gives us such hope. Thank You for the resurrection of Your Son. In today’s world with so much confusion and disruption, take me safely into Your presence, where Your mercy is abundant. Be with the new school year beginning; protect our children physically and mentally. Be with Christian teachers, workers, and administrators to stay strong in the faith. Help my friends that are struggling; be their mainstay. Thank You for the surprise and gift of today; keep us safe in Your presence, and targeted in Your mission. Let Israel find strength in Your promises, and keep Jerusalem in peace. Ready us all for Your “soon coming back.” Forgive my wrongdoings. I love You. In Jesus’ name, Amen.**