***Romans 6:8-11,NKJV,emphasis added, “***Now if we died with Christ, we believe that **we shall also live with Him, 9**knowing that Christ, having been raised from the dead, **dies no more**. Death no longer has dominion over Him. 10For *the death* that He died, He died to sin once for all; but *the life* that He lives, He lives to God. **11Likewise you also, reckon yourselves to be dead indeed to sin, but alive to God in Christ Jesus our Lord.”**

**On the epic struggle up Golgotha's Hill, Jesus met death face-to-face, conquered the brutality of injustice, vanquished fear, and battled the devastation of sin's tragic mandates. At the stone-cold tomb, He "stomped on" the grave's imprisonment and ushered everlasting life, "bought and paid for," into eternity. Following His perfect example, we must "*reckon (ourselves) to be dead indeed to sin, but alive to God in Christ Jesus our Lord!"***

**The celebration of “His Resurrection” is much more than the cross, much more than the unthinkable cruelty of the Roman soldiers, and much more than Pontius Pilate’s cowardice. It is a “risen again” life that follows.....”Live with Him, and die no more!"... That His sacrifice might be fulfilled!**

**It is always,**

**Because of Him,**

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**The mockery of a trial, the missteps of the ‘ecclesiastia,’ and the myopia of the populace ushered in the manifestation of God’s miraculous mandate. And with all this, the Messiah accomplished everlasting redemption. “Mission Accomplished!”**

**Dear Heavenly Father, help me live my life for Jesus. Help me forsake the transgressions in my life and follow you into a “dead to sin” future. Keep me at the base of the cross, and never let me forget Your suffering. Be with those in my life who haven’t found You. May I be an instrument today in Your plan. Be with the sick, sad, and self-satisfied. Show us new truth. Against the terror that engulfs, bring Your protection! Help Israel, my King! Forgive me, and let Your Kingdom come! In Jesus’ name, Amen.**