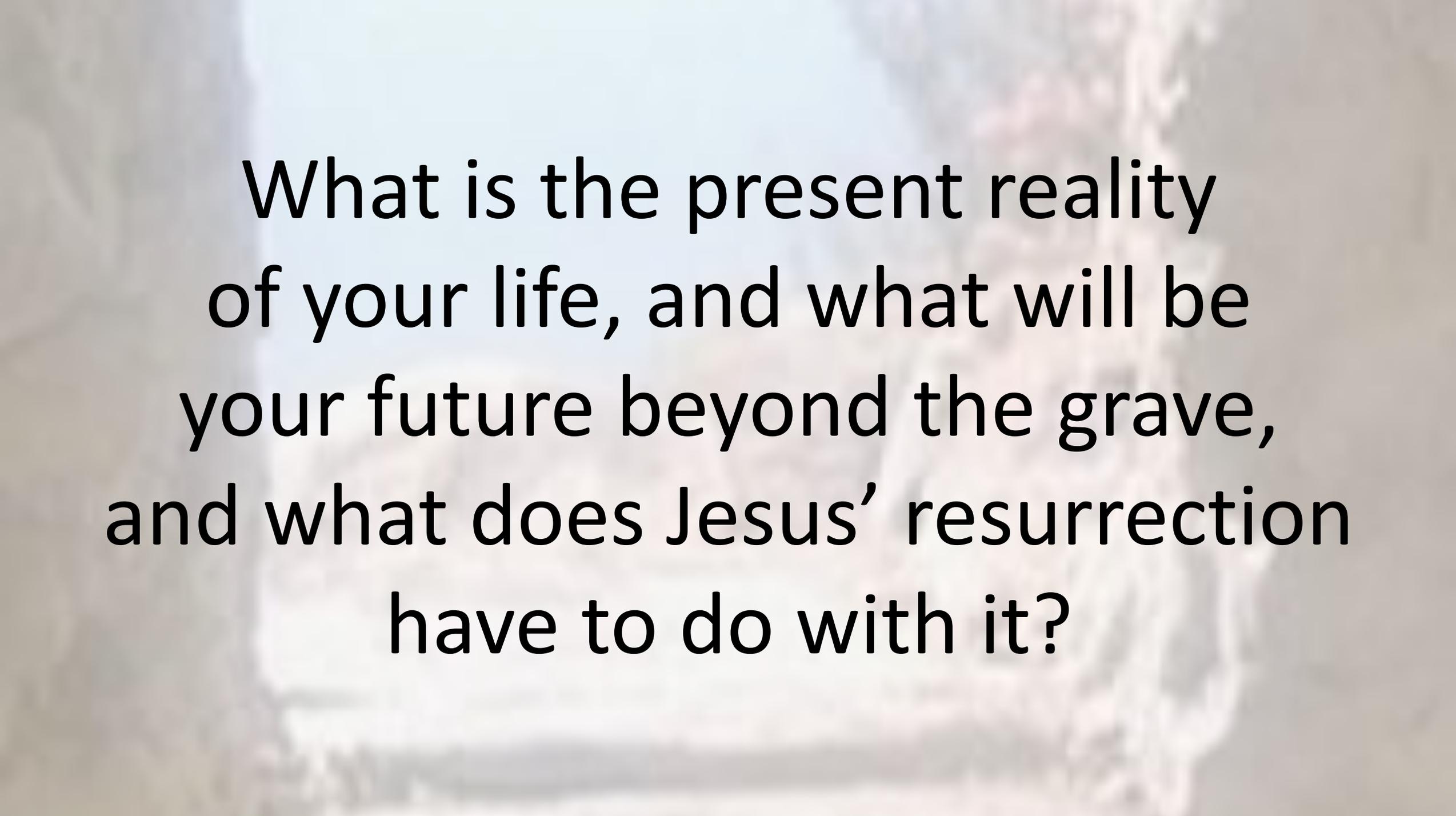


Newness of Life in Our Resurrection with Christ

Romans 6:1-14



What is the present reality
of your life, and what will be
your future beyond the grave,
and what does Jesus' resurrection
have to do with it?

Romans 6:1-4

What shall we say then? Are we to continue in sin so that grace may increase? May it never be!

How shall we who died to sin still live in it?

Or do you not know that all of us who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into His death?

Therefore we were buried with Him through baptism into death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, so we too might walk in newness of life.

Romans 6:5-7

For if we have become united with Him
in the likeness of His death, certainly we shall also be
in the likeness of His resurrection, knowing this,
that our old man was crucified with Him,
in order that our body of sin might be done away with,
so that we would no longer be slaves to sin;
for he who has died has been justified from sin.

Romans 6:8-11

Now if we died with Christ, we believe that we shall also live with Him, knowing that Christ, having been raised from the dead, is never to die again; death no longer is master over Him.

For the death that He died, He died to sin once for all, but the life that He lives, He lives to God.

Even so consider yourselves to be dead to sin, but alive to God in Christ Jesus.

Romans 6:12-14

Therefore do not let sin reign in your mortal body so that you obey its lusts, and do not go on presenting your members to sin as instruments of unrighteousness, but present yourselves to God as those alive from the dead, and your members as instruments of righteousness to God.

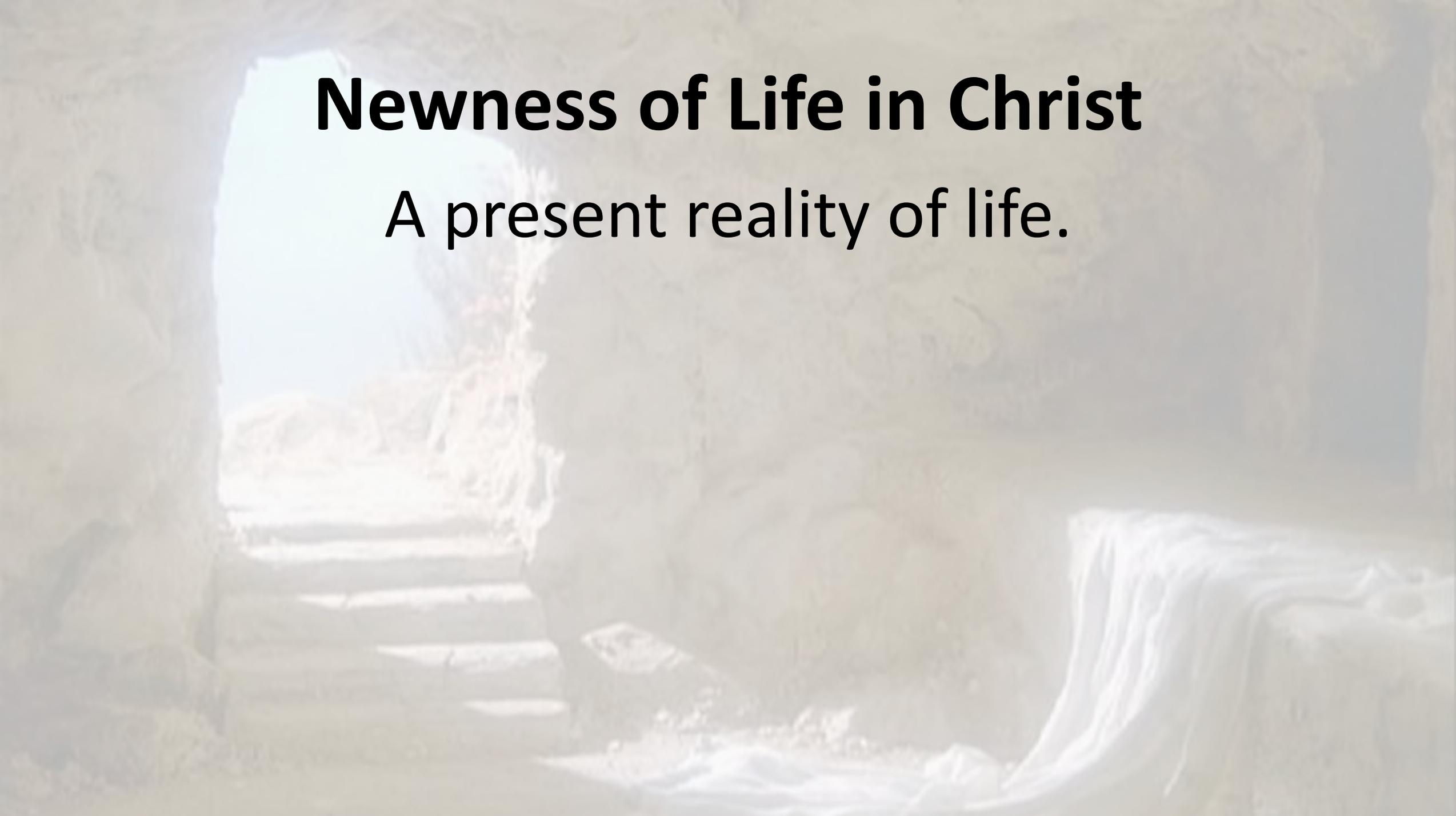
For sin shall not be master over you,
for you are not under law but under grace.

Main Idea

All who are in Christ not only died with Him to sin but were raised with Him to a present reality of life and to a future hope of eternal worship.

Newness of Life in Christ

A present reality of life.



A Present Reality of Life

If you are in Christ,
you died with Him to sin.

Romans 6:1-3

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Is your life immersed in Christ?

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Then this is your present reality!

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A Present Reality of Life

If you are in Christ, you died with Him to sin.

If you are in Christ, you were raised
with Him to newness of life.

Romans 6:4

Therefore we were buried with Him
through baptism into death, so that as Christ was raised
from the dead through the glory of the Father,
so we too might walk in newness of life.

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2 Corinthians 5:17

Therefore if anyone is in Christ,
he is a new creature; the old things passed away;
behold, new things have come.

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A Present Reality of Life

If you are in Christ, you died with Him to sin.

If you are in Christ, you were raised with Him to newness of life.

If you are in Christ, you are alive to God.

Romans 6:11

Even so consider yourselves to be dead to sin,
but alive to God in Christ Jesus.

This *is* your present reality!

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What does it mean to be alive to God?

It means to actually be alive.

Ephesians 2:4-5

But **God**, being rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us, even when we were dead in our transgressions, **made us alive together with Christ.**

What does it mean to be alive to God?

It means to actually be alive.

It means to be aware of God's presence.

Psalm 46:1

God is our refuge and strength,
A very present help in trouble.

Those who are alive to Him live
in this awareness.

What does it mean to be alive to God?

It means to actually be alive.

It means to be aware of God's presence.

It means to be responsive to God.

Isaiah 45:22

Turn to Me and be saved, all the ends of the earth;
For I am God, and there is no other.

Those who are alive to Him are turning
to Him as their God and Savior.

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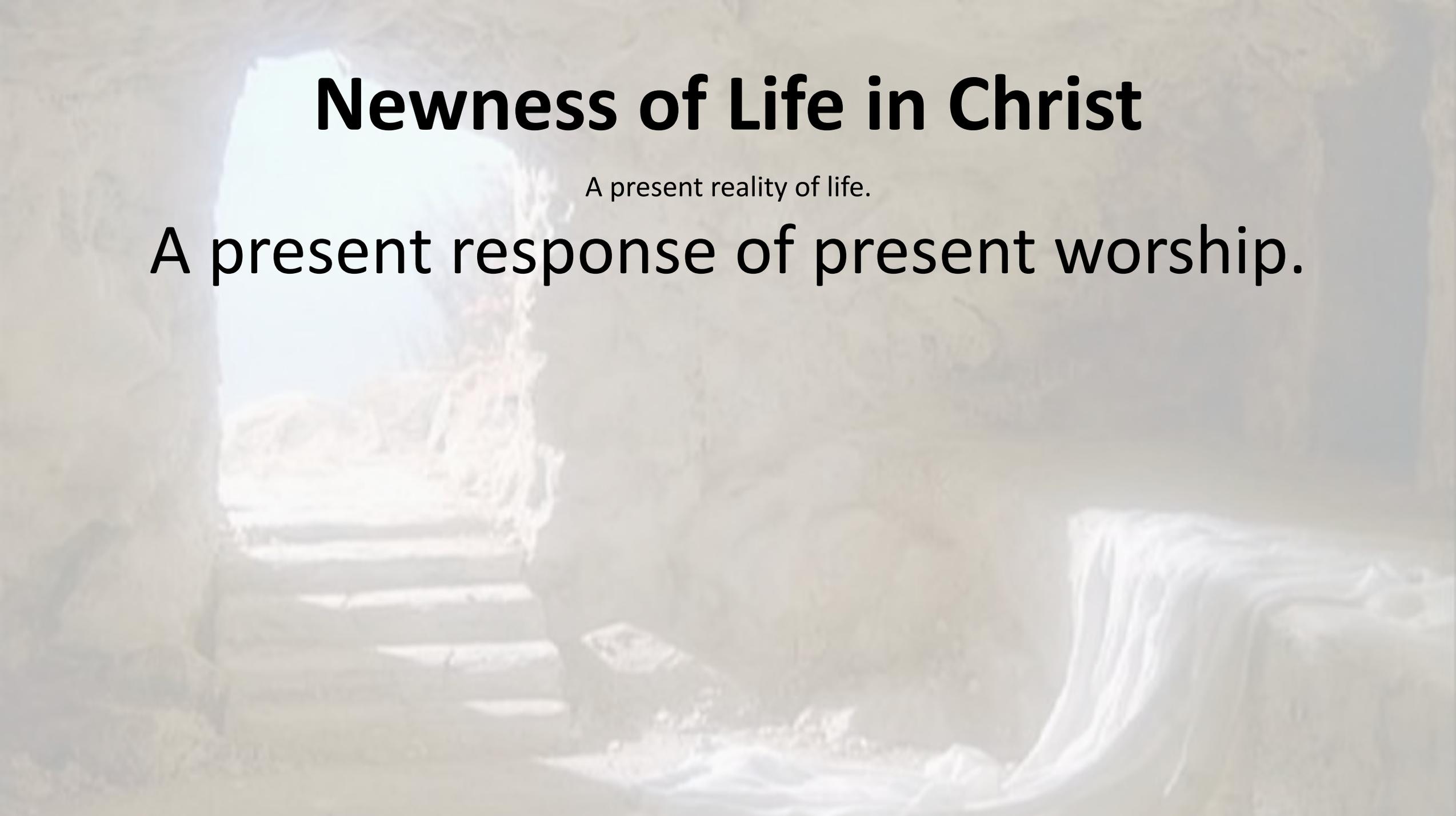
It means to be enthralled by Him.

Psalm 112:1

Praise the LORD!

How blessed is the man who fears the LORD,
Who greatly delights in His commandments.

Those who are alive to Him find
great joy in Him and in His word.

A photograph of an empty tomb, likely the tomb of Jesus. The tomb is a simple, rectangular structure made of light-colored stone. The entrance is on the left side, and a white cloth is draped over the top edge of the opening. The interior of the tomb is empty, and the floor is covered with a white cloth. The background is a bright, hazy light, suggesting a sunrise or a bright day. The overall scene is peaceful and symbolic of new life.

Newness of Life in Christ

A present reality of life.

A present response of present worship.

A Present Response
Believe the gospel now!

Mark 1:14-15

Jesus came into Galilee,
preaching the gospel of God, and saying,
“The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand;
repent and believe in the gospel.”

A Present Response

Believe the gospel now!

Worship God now!

Romans 6:12-13

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1 Peter 3:18

For Christ also died for sins once for all, the just for the unjust, so that He might bring us to God, having been put to death in the flesh, but made alive in the spirit.

First He fitted us!

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Then He presented us!

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Romans 12:1

Therefore I exhort you, brothers, by the mercies of God,
to present your bodies as a sacrifice—
living, holy, and pleasing to God,
which is your spiritual service of worship.

Now we present ourselves!

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to **present your bodies as a sacrifice**—

living, holy, and pleasing to God,
which is your spiritual service of worship.

We present ourselves for worship!

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A Present Response

Believe the gospel now!

Worship God now!

Serve God now!

Romans 6:13

Present yourselves to God as those alive from the dead,
and your members as instruments of righteousness to God.

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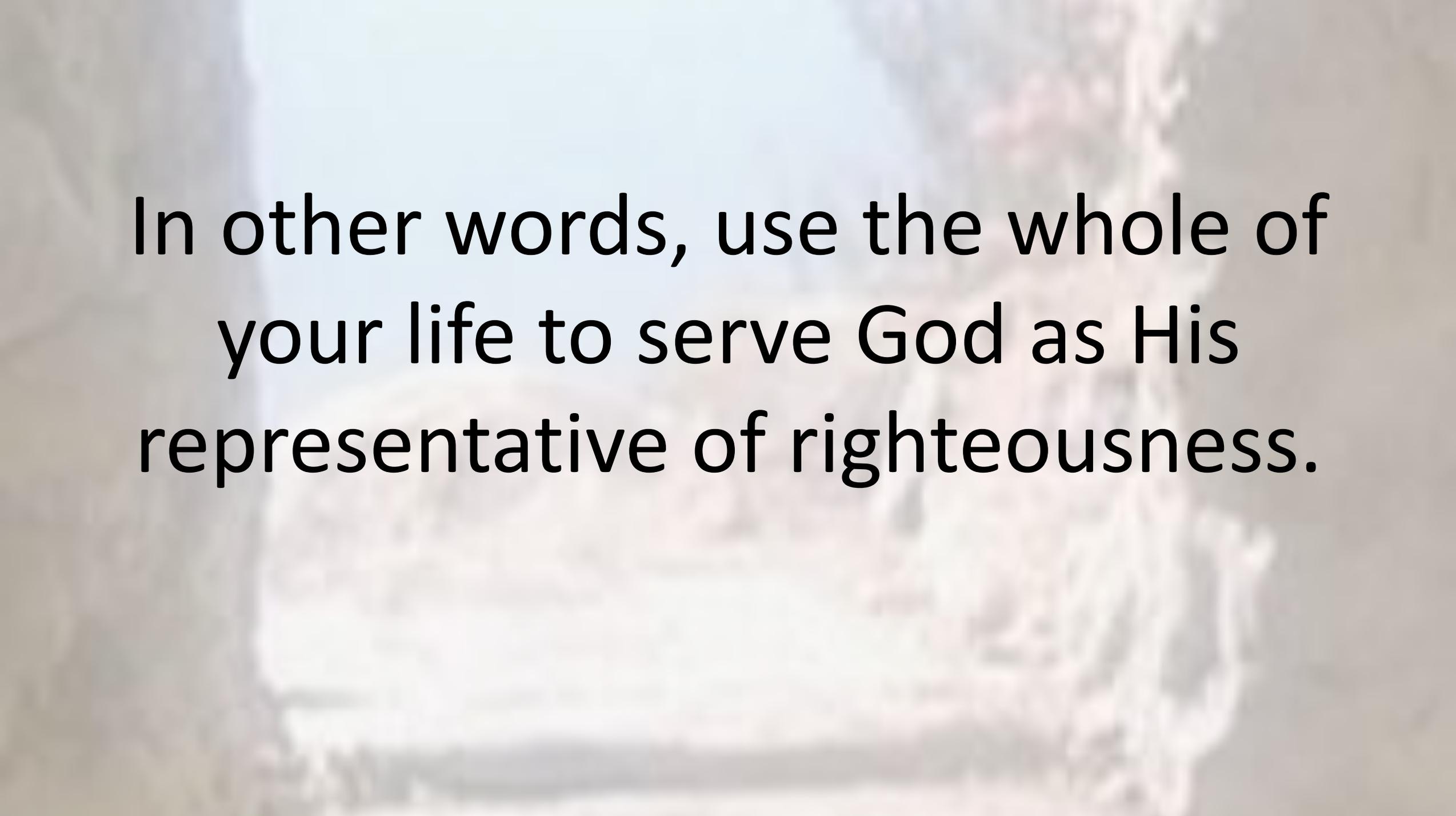
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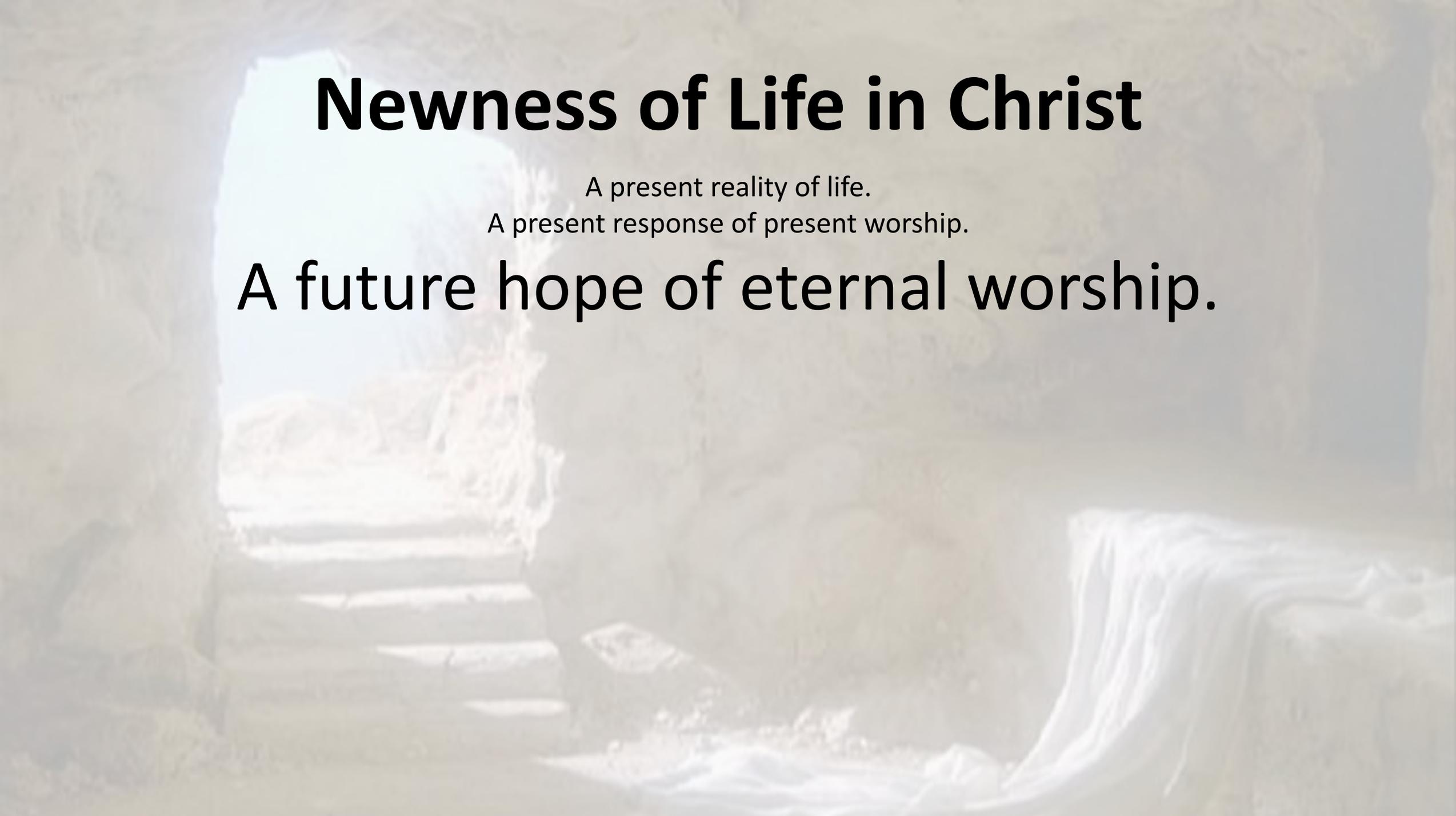
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In other words, use the whole of
your life to serve God as His
representative of righteousness.



Newness of Life in Christ

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A future hope of eternal worship.

A Future Hope of Worship

Christ was raised from the dead
never to die again!

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A Future Hope of Worship

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Eternal life is eternal worship.

John 4:23

“An hour is coming, and now is, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth; for such people the Father seeks to be His worshipers.”

**God is seeking those
who will worship Him!**

Isaiah 27:13

It will come about also in that day
that a great trumpet will be blown,
and those who were perishing in the land of Assyria
and who were scattered in the land of Egypt
will come and worship the LORD
in the holy mountain at Jerusalem.

This is our eternal calling!

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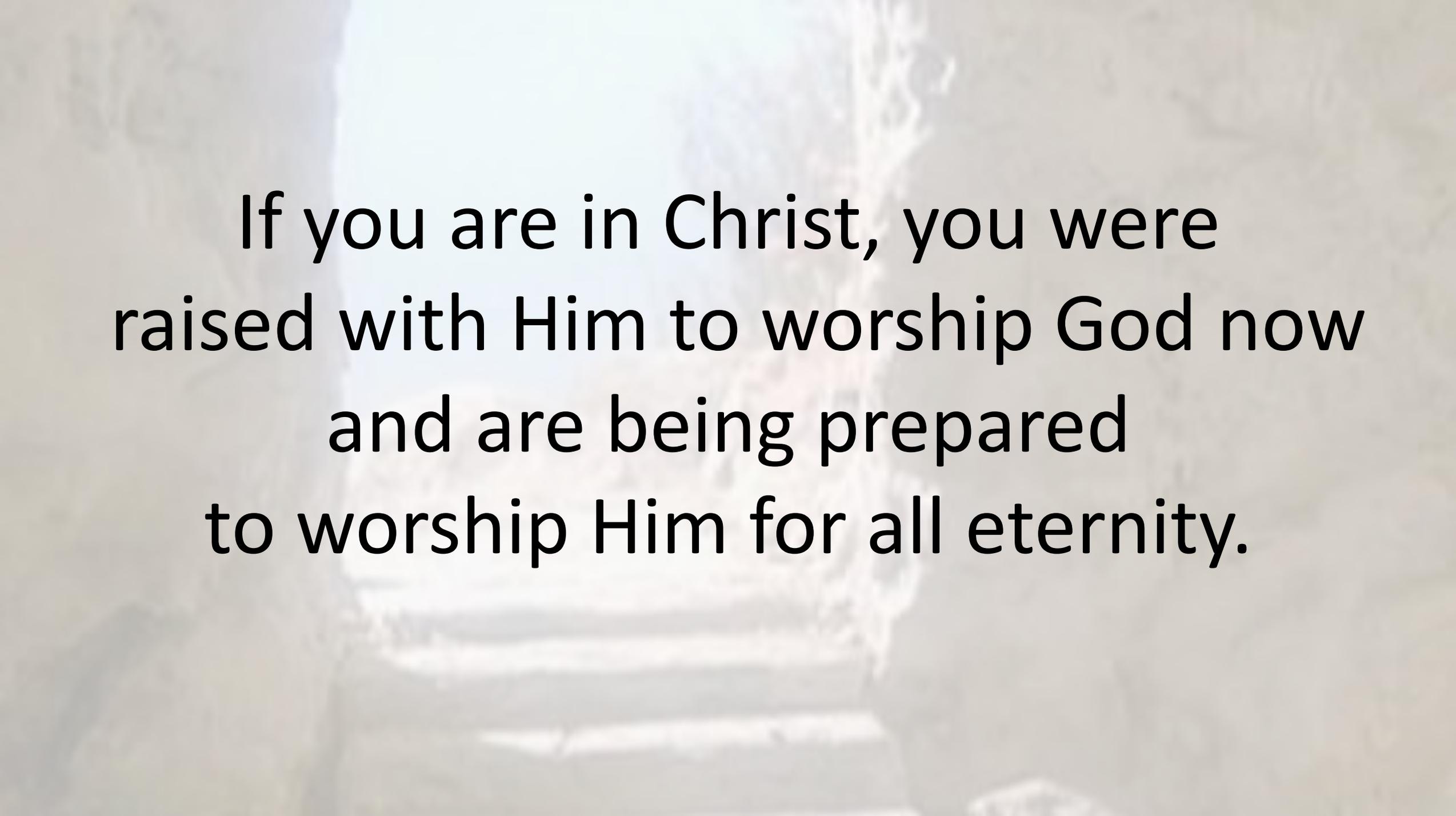
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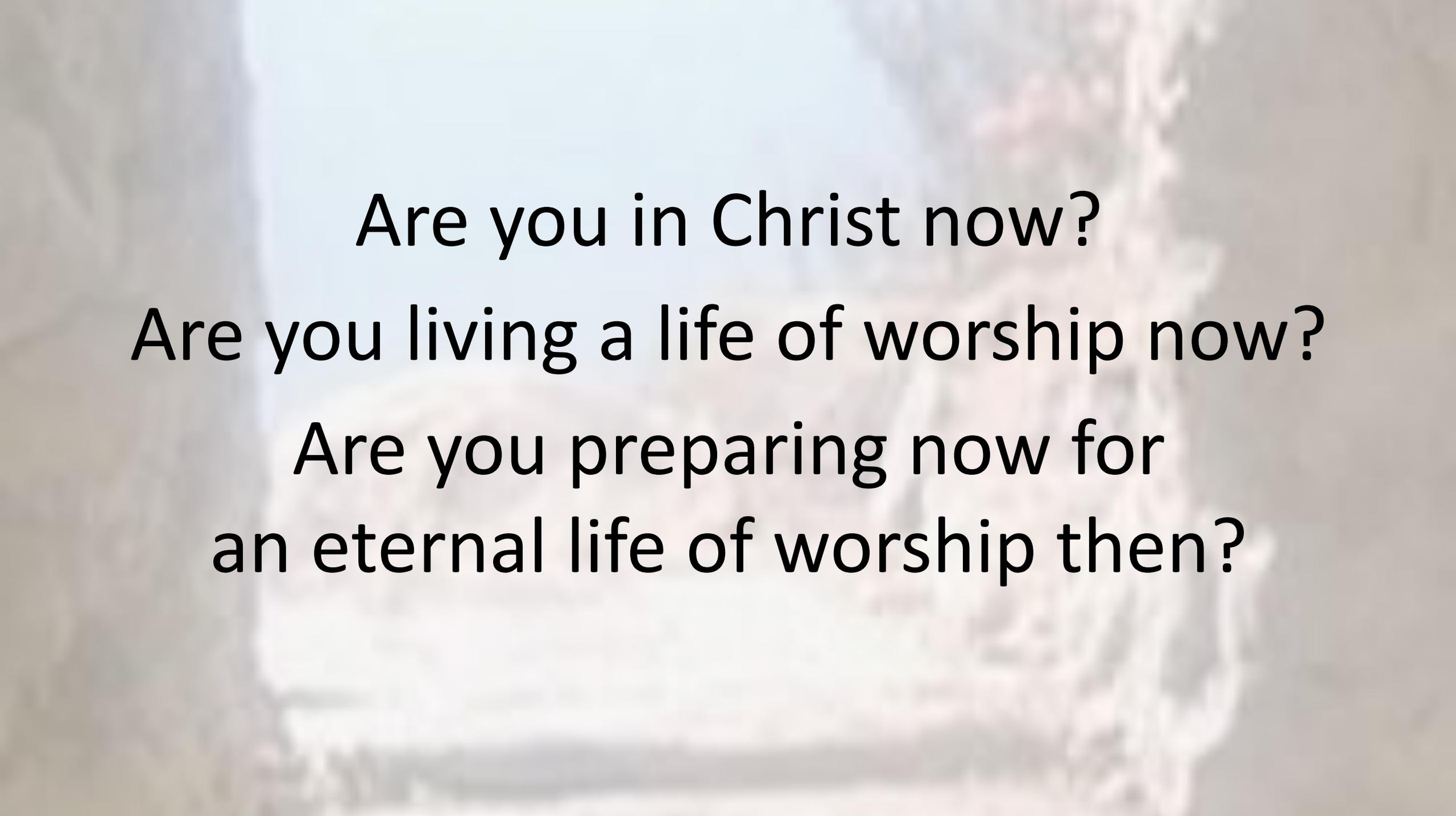
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If you are in Christ, you were raised with Him to worship God now and are being prepared to worship Him for all eternity.



Are you in Christ now?

Are you living a life of worship now?

Are you preparing now for
an eternal life of worship then?