

## Wednesday Word of the Week Resurrection

Origin: Middle English: from Old French, from late Latin resurrectio(n-), from the verb resurgere 'rise again' (see resurgent).

Definition: The revitalization or revival of something

Since this word stems from the Latin word "resurgere", we will look at the definition for word "surge" since "re-" is a prefix meaning again.

Surge:

Origin: Late 15th century (in the sense 'fountain, stream'): the noun (in early use) from Old French *sourgeon*; the verb partly from the Old French stem *sourge-*, based on Latin *surgere* 'to rise'. Early senses of the verb included 'rise and fall on the waves' and 'swell with great force'.

Definitions:

Noun-

- \*A sudden large increase, typically a brief one that happens during an otherwise stable or quiescent period
- \*A major deployment of military forces to reinforce those already in a particular area
- \*A powerful rush of an emotion or feeling
- \*A sudden marked increase in voltage or current in an electric circuit

Verb-

- \*(Of a crowd or a natural force) move suddenly and powerfully forward or upward
- \*Increase suddenly and powerfully, typically during an otherwise stable or quiescent period
- \*(Of an emotion or feeling) affect someone powerfully and suddenly
- \*(Of an electric voltage or current) increase suddenly

It seems there is a lot more to "resurrection" than what was previously in my mind. We know it means coming back to life but, looking at the definitions from the Latin root word which the word "resurrection" stems from, a deeper picture is emerging.

As I am writing this and pondering these definitions, all I am receiving are Bible verses. I will just post them and pray a deeper revelation of our Lord, Jesus Christ, will come to all of us. I also pray that with this deeper revelation comes a greater understanding of our authority and function in this earth as well as a new boldness to exercise that authority in wisdom. Amen!!

### Bible Verses:

- **John 11:25-27** - Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in Me, though he may die, he shall live. 26 And whoever lives and believes in Me shall never die. Do you believe this?" 27 She said to Him, "Yes, Lord, I believe that You are the Christ, the Son of God, who is to come into the world."
- **Isaiah 9:6-7** - For unto us a Child is born, Unto us a Son is given; And the government will be upon His shoulder. And His name will be called Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. 7 Of the increase of His

government and peace There will be no end, Upon the throne of David and over His kingdom, To order it and establish it with judgment and justice From that time forward, even forever. The zeal of the Lord of hosts will perform this.

- **Isaiah 40:29-31** - He gives power to the weak, And to those who have no might He increases strength. 30 Even the youths shall faint and be weary, And the young men shall utterly fall, 31 But those who wait on the Lord Shall renew their strength; They shall mount up with wings like eagles, They shall run and not be weary, They shall walk and not faint.
- **Luke 24:44-53** - Then He said to them, "These are the words which I spoke to you while I was still with you, that all things must be fulfilled which were written in the Law of Moses and the Prophets and the Psalms concerning Me." 45 And He opened their understanding, that they might comprehend the Scriptures. 46 Then He said to them, "Thus it is written, and thus it was necessary for the Christ to suffer and to rise from the dead the third day, 47 and that repentance and remission of sins should be preached in His name to all nations, beginning at Jerusalem. 48 And you are witnesses of these things. 49 Behold, I send the Promise of My Father upon you; but tarry in the city of Jerusalem until you are endued with power from on high." 50 And He led them out as far as Bethany, and He lifted up His hands and blessed them. 51 Now it came to pass, while He blessed them, that He was parted from them and carried up into heaven. 52 And they worshiped Him, and returned to Jerusalem with great joy, 53 and were continually in the temple praising and blessing God. Amen.
- **John 14:15-18** - "If you love Me, keep My commandments. 16 And I will pray the Father, and He will give you another Helper, that He may abide with you forever— 17 the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees Him nor knows Him; but you know Him, for He dwells with you and will be in you. 18 I will not leave you orphans; I will come to you.
- **Acts 2:1-4** - When the Day of Pentecost had fully come, they were all with one accord in one place. 2 And suddenly there came a sound from heaven, as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled the whole house where they were sitting. 3 Then there appeared to them divided tongues, as of fire, and one sat upon each of them. 4 And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.
- **Acts 2:46-47** - So continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, they ate their food with gladness and simplicity of heart, 47 praising God and having favor with all the people. And the Lord added to the church daily those who were being saved.
- **Jeremiah 10:12-13** - He has made the earth by His power, He has established the world by His wisdom, And has stretched out the heavens at His discretion. 13 When He utters His voice, There is a multitude of waters in the heavens: "And He causes the vapors to ascend from the ends of the earth. He makes lightning for the rain, He brings the wind out of His treasures."
- **Proverbs 3:19-20** - The Lord by wisdom founded the earth; By understanding He established the heavens; 20 By His knowledge the depths were broken up, And clouds drop down the dew.
- **Proverbs 24:3-4** - Through wisdom a house is built, And by understanding it is established; 4 By knowledge the rooms are filled With all precious and pleasant riches.
- **Proverbs 9:10** - "The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom, And the knowledge of the Holy One is understanding.
- **John 1:1-5** - In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. 2 He was in the beginning with God. 3 All things were made through Him, and without Him nothing was made that was made. 4 In Him was life, and the life was the light of men. 5 And the light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not comprehend it.
- **Ephesians 1:15-21** - Therefore I also, after I heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love for all the saints, 16 do not cease to give thanks for you, making mention of you in my prayers: 17 that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give to you the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of Him, 18 the eyes of your understanding being enlightened; that you may know what is the hope of His calling, what are the riches of the glory of His inheritance in the saints, 19 and what is the exceeding greatness of His power toward us who believe, according to the working of His mighty power 20 which He worked in Christ when He raised Him from the dead and seated Him at His right hand in the heavenly places, 21 far above all principality and power and might and dominion, and every name that is named, not only in this age but also in that which is to come. 22 And He put all things under His feet, and gave Him to be head over all things to the church, 23 which is His body, the fullness of Him who fills all in all.

**Other Source: <http://www.oxforddictionaries.com/us/definition/american-english/resurrection>**

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