

# 1 CORINTHIANS OVERVIEW

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## Chapter 15 (Part One)

*Christ's physical resurrection ensured the believer's resurrection.*

1. The gospel consists of this: Christ died for our sins, He was buried, and He was raised and seen by many people. This is the eternal life message Paul proclaimed and the Corinthians received by faith and in which they now stand (Positional sanctification, 15.1); then as believers, if they are holding fast to Paul's doctrine, they are experiencing present time salvation (Christian life sanctification, 15.2).
2. Paul was the last to see the resurrected Christ. Before Paul saw Him, many others saw Him. Peter and the other disciples, and then more than five hundred people at once saw the resurrected Christ. Most were still alive and could verify that Jesus Christ arose. James and the apostles also saw him before Paul did (15.3-8).
3. God graciously made Paul the most tireless and effective apostle to the church. He did this even though Paul had persecuted the church in the name of religion while an unbeliever (15.9-11).
4. If there is no resurrection as some claim, then Christ was never raised and we shall never be raised; we have lived a lie. The Christian message is then false, and all believers have a worthless faith and have no hope for eternal life (15.12-19).

*(Continued Next Week)*

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# SPOKANE BIBLE CHURCH

Sunday, November 6, 2006

*Welcome to our Sunday morning Bible classes. Our services are designed to teach the Word of God, so believers can grow in grace and knowledge of their Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ*

**Sunday School** 9:30 a.m.  
Bible Classes are available for all age groups ... from nursery to adult studies.

**Church Service** 10:45 a.m.  
Welcome, Announcements, Grace Giving, Prayer

My Hope Is in the Lord, 91 (Verse 1)

Prayer

Congregational Singing:  
At the Cross, 422  
Beneath the Cross of Jesus, 558

Scripture Reading: Proverbs 76-27 by Luke Kennedy

Congregational Singing:  
Hallelujah! What a Savior! 20

Communion

Congregational Singing:  
Redeemed, 404 (Verse 1)

Study of the Word of God:  
Bible Walk Through: Daniel, by Pastor Tod Kennedy

Congregational Singing:  
Now I Belong to Jesus, 446 (Verse 1)

Benediction

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## Opportunities for Spiritual Growth and Fellowship This Week

**Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.** Gospel of Matthew  
Mid-Week Bible Class  
Spokane Bible Church

**Wednesday, 8:00 p.m.** Prayer Groups. Gathering of believers to pray for our nation, community, church missionaries, fellow believers, and for the salvation of unbelievers.  
Prayer Groups  
Spokane Bible Church

### Upcoming Events

November 12 Pizza and Prayer

### Prayer Focus This Week

- Kendall Weekes, Pulpit Supply, Vancouver, Washington
- Bob Hong, Evergreen Community Church & SIM, Bellingham, Washington
- Health Concerns:
  - Connie Inman, Cancer (Works at Randy Frick's business)
  - Donna Morris: Extreme Pain; rheumatoid arthritis
  - Tod Kennedy: Recovery from illness
  - Eva Schmidt: Recurrence of cancer; chemotherapy
- Our men in the service of our country: Eric Boyce, Camp Pendleton; David Bradshaw, Persian Gulf; Cullen Griffin, Camp Pendleton; Dan Harris, Home; David Hankins, Germany; Matthew Boyce, Navy Flight Training, Corpus Christi, Texas
- Voice of the Martyrs Table Presentation at Whitworth College, November 9th: Jan Fletcher and VOM colleague, DeDe Greco
- Spokane Bible Church — Leadership
  - Effectiveness in carrying out ministries for the growth of the local body
  - Pastor Tod Kennedy: Wisdom in leading our church
  - Deacon Board: Sound decision making
  - Additional believers to take on leadership roles



"Pray without ceasing,"  
1 Thessalonians 5:17