The Great Exchange

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And if Christ has not been raised, our preaching is useless and so is your faith.

1 Corinthians 15:14 (NIV)

Confirmed By _____

For what I received I passed on to you as of first importance: that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, that He was buried, that He was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures, and that He appeared to Peter, and then to the Twelve. After that, He appeared to more than five hundred of the brothers at the same time...Then He appeared to James, then to all the apostles, and last of all He appeared to me also, as to one abnormally born.

1 Corinthians 15:3-8 (NIV)

Assured By _____

As evening approached, there came a rich man from Arimathea, named Joseph, who had himself become a disciple of Jesus...Joseph took the body, wrapped it in a clean linen cloth, and placed it in his own new tomb that he had cut out of the rock. He rolled a big stone in front of the entrance to the tomb and went away.

Matthew 27:57-60 (NIV)

"Take a guard," Pilate answered. "Go, make the tomb as secure as you know how." So they went and made the tomb secure by putting a seal on the stone and posting the guard.

Matthew 27:64-66 (NIV)

Understood By _____

Mary Magdalene and the other Mary were sitting there opposite the tomb...After the Sabbath, at dawn on the first day of the week, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to look at the tomb.

Matthew 27:61, 28:1 (NIV)

Solidified By _____

"For we cannot help speaking about what we have seen and heard." Acts 4:20 (NIV) I, John, your brother and companion in the suffering and kingdom and patient endurance that are ours in Jesus, was on the island of Patmos because of the word of God and the testimony of Jesus.

Revelation 1:9 (NIV)

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And if Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile; you are still in your sins. Then those also who have fallen asleep in Christ are lost...But Christ has indeed been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep.

1 Corinthians 15:17-18, 20 (NIV)

• Exchange _____ For _____

We were therefore buried with Him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life.

Romans 6:4 (NIV)

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It saves you by the resurrection of Jesus Christ.

1 Peter 3:21 (NIV)

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I want to know Christ and the power of His resurrection and the fellowship of sharing in His sufferings, becoming like Him in His death. Philippians 3:10 (NIV)

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(Jesus) through the Spirit of holiness was declared with power to be the Son of God by His resurrection from the dead: Jesus Christ our Lord. Romans 1:4 (NIV)

God has raised this Jesus to life, and we are all witnesses of the fact. Acts 2:32 (NIV)