

Having fun and enjoying parties is God's idea.

Matthew 22:2

"The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who gave a wedding feast for his son,"



Exodus 5:1

"Thus saith the LORD God of Israel, Let my people go, that they may hold a **feast** unto me in the wilderness."

Feast :-- {khaw-gag'} to hold a festival, to reel, to be giddy, celebrate, dance, stagger



Luke 7:11-23

"...a dead man was being carried out, the only son of his mother; and she was a widow. And a large crowd from the city was with her. When the Lord saw her, He had compassion (splangchnizomai) on her..."



Hebrews 2:14

"Inasmuch then as the children have partaken of flesh and blood, He Himself likewise shared in the same, that through death He might destroy him who had the power of death, that is, the devil,"



Colossians 1:15 "He is the image of the invisible God. (He is the exact likeness of the invisible God) AMP Hebrews 1:3 "The Son radiates God's own glory and expresses the very character of God,"

Hebrews 13:8 "Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever."

Jesus Crashed The Funeral!

Observations:

1.Jesus is on the move

"He went"

25 mile walk, to an obscure little town, to make a clear and specific collision with a particular funeral.



2. Jesus is aware

"He saw her"

Matthew 10:29-30

He watches the sparrows ... hairs on your head are numbered He is connected with you. He sees you



3. Jesus Cares

"He had compassion on her"

"splangchnizomai"

He enters into our suffering.

He left heaven and came to earth to completely identify with our weaknesses.



4. Jesus Challenges

"He said to her 'Do not weep." He wants you to see Him in your circumstances ... look at me! Withered Arm ... stretch out arm Paralyzed Man ... pick up bed Dead Brother ... remove the stone



5. Jesus Restores

"Young man, I say to you, arise ... and He <u>presented him to his</u> mother..."

Jesus will collide with your broken world and bring restoration!!!



6. Jesus Revealed The Goodness Of God!!!

- Everyone was amazed and threw a big party!
- God is back looking to the needs of His people.
- The whole nation and surrounding region heard about Him!!!

John 11:25

"Jesus said unto her, I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live:"

Jesus had a full on collision with Death! HE WON!!!



Revelation 1:18

"I am the living one. I died, but look—I am alive forever and ever! And I hold the keys of death and the grave."



Hebrews 9:27-28

"And just as each person is destined to die once and after that comes judgment, so also Christ was offered once for all time as a sacrifice to take away the sins of many people. He will come again, not to deal with our sins, but to bring salvation to all who are eagerly waiting for him."

You must RSVP!!!

Will you accept your invitation to the party.

Jesus is returning for those who have said YES!!!



