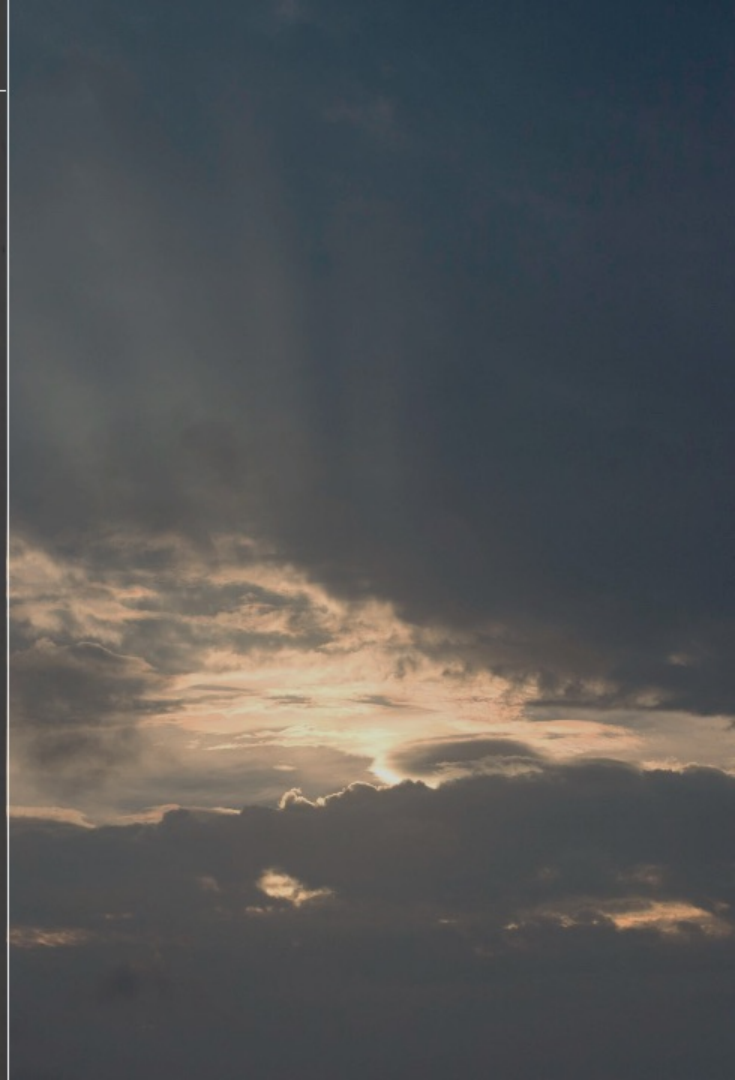




PART & PARCEL



PART AND PARCEL DEFINED:

An **essential** or fundamental
part or aspect of something.

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MARK 15:42-46 NLT

⁴²This all happened on Friday, the day of preparation, the day before the Sabbath. As evening approached, ⁴³Joseph of Arimathea took a risk and went to Pilate and asked for Jesus' body. (Joseph was an honored member of the high council, and he was waiting for the Kingdom of God to come.)

⁴⁴Pilate couldn't believe that Jesus was already dead, so he called for the Roman officer and asked if he had died yet. ⁴⁵The officer confirmed that Jesus

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was dead, so Pilate told Joseph he could have the body.
⁴⁶Joseph bought a long sheet of linen cloth. Then he took Jesus' body down from the cross, wrapped it in the cloth, and laid it in a tomb that had been carved out of the rock. Then he rolled a stone in front of the entrance.

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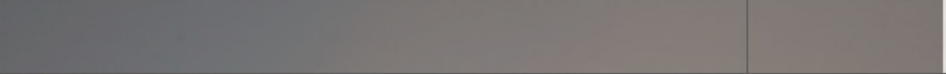
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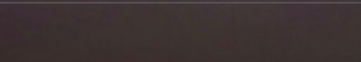

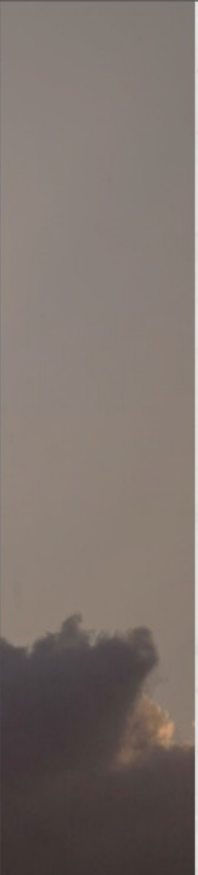
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WHILE ALL THESE INDIVIDUALS—
WHETHER IN CELEBRATION OR
DESPAIR—WERE COUNTING THEIR
CHICKENS, BELIEVING THEY KNEW
HOW THE STORY WOULD END,
SUNDAY ARRIVED, AND THEY HAD
NO IDEA WHAT IT TRULY HELD.



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The **stone** was
rolled away.

MARK 16:4 NLT

⁴But as they arrived, they looked up and saw that the stone, which was very large, had already been rolled aside.

WHEN THE WOMEN ARRIVED
AT THE TOMB OF JESUS THEY
ENCOUNTERED SEVERAL
SURPRISES:

An **angel**
was there.

MARK 16:5 NLT

⁵When they entered the tomb, they saw a young man clothed in a white robe sitting on the right side. The women were shocked,

WHEN THE WOMEN ARRIVED
AT THE TOMB OF JESUS THEY
ENCOUNTERED SEVERAL
SURPRISES:

While an angel
was there,
Jesus wasn't.

MARK 16:6 NLT

⁶but the angel said, "Don't be alarmed. You are looking for Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He isn't here! He is risen from the dead! Look, this is where they laid his body."

SO, WHILE EVERYONE
ELSE WAS COUNTING
CHICKENS, GOD WAS
HATCHING SOMETHING
COMPLETELY DIFFERENT.

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KNOWING THAT JESUS IS ALIVE, THAT
HE CONQUERED DEATH, AND THAT HE
IS SEATED IN HONOR AND GLORY
MEANS THAT IS IT POSSIBLE IN YOUR
RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD TO START
COUNTING YOUR CHICKENS BEFORE
THEY ARE HATCHED.

MARK 16:19 NLT

¹⁹When the Lord Jesus had finished talking with them, he was taken up into heaven and sat down in the place of honor at God's right hand.

PHILIPPIANS 2:9-11 NLT

- 9 Therefore, God elevated him to the place of highest honor and gave him the name above all other names,
- 10 that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth,
- 11 and every tongue declare that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

EPHESIANS 1:19-22 NLT

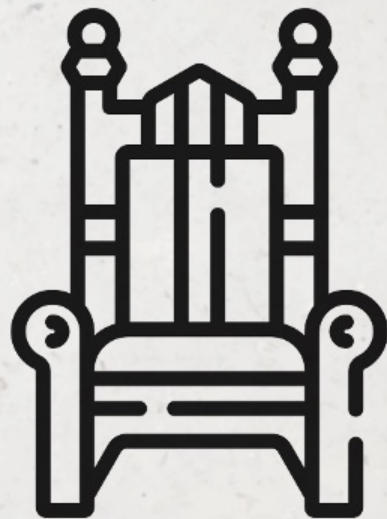
¹⁹I also pray that you will understand the incredible greatness of God's power for us who believe him. This is the same mighty power ²⁰that raised Christ from the dead and seated him in the place of honor at God's right hand in the heavenly realms. ²¹Now he is far above any ruler or authority or power or leader or anything else—not only in this world but also in the world to come. ²²God has put all things under the authority of Christ and has made him head over all things for the benefit of the church.

JOHN 14:19B NLT

Since I live, you also will live.

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WITH JESUS NOW ON
THE **THRONE** HE GIVES
HIS PEOPLE A COMMAND
AND A CONFIDENCE:



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WITH JESUS NOW ON
THE **THRONE** HE GIVES
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The **Command**



MARK 16:15 NLT

¹⁵And then he told them, “Go into all the world and preach the Good News to everyone.”

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WITH JESUS NOW ON
THE **THRONE** HE GIVES
HIS PEOPLE A COMMAND
AND A CONFIDENCE:

The **Confidence**

MARK 16:16 NLT

¹⁶Anyone who believes and is baptized will be saved. But anyone who refuses to believe will be condemned.



YOU CAN COUNT
ON JESUS!

1 JOHN 5:13 NLT

¹³I have written this to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, so that you may know you have eternal life.