

## IN CHRIST SHALL ALL BE MADE ALIVE

1 Corinthians 15:20–28

Key Verse: 15:22

1. How does Paul begin this next section (20)? Why are the words “in fact” important? What does he mean that Christ is “the firstfruits”?
2. How does Paul explain our resurrection (21–22)? What does it mean to be “in Christ” (Ro6:5; Gal2:20)? How are we made alive in Christ both now (Ro8:11; Eph2:5–6; Col2:12–13) and in the future (see verses 51–53)?
3. What else does Paul point out (23), and why does he emphasize “order”? What does “his coming” mean?
4. What will the Risen Christ ultimately do (24)? What are “every rule, authority and power,” and what can we learn here about Christ? What Scripture does Paul quote (25; Ps110:1), and how does this give us hope? What is the last enemy (26)?
5. What is the final outcome of the resurrection, what is repeated here, and why (25–28)?