

# Why Jesus' Resurrection Te Aranga is such a significant event for all Christians

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Unlike other religions, Christianity has a founder who overcomes death and promises that his followers will do the same. Every other religion was founded by men or prophets whose lives ended in their graves.

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As Christians, we know that God became a human person in Jesus, who died for our sins, and was resurrected on the third day after his death. Today he lives, and he sits at the right hand of God the Father in heaven.  
(Hebrews 10:12).

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The resurrection is the triumphant and glorious victory for every believer. Jesus Christ died, was buried, and rose on the third day according to the Scriptures and He is coming again when those who died in Christ will be raised up, and those who are alive at His coming will be changed and receive new, glorified bodies.  
This will be at the end of time.

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Because of the importance of the resurrection it is not only celebrated as an annual feast but Christians treat every Sunday as an 'Easter' day, which they celebrate in their community celebration of the Eucharist.  
Because Sunday was the day Jesus rose from the dead it is known as the Lord's Day - a day to give special thanks and honour to God.

