

**COME ALIVE THIS EASTER – 2010**  
**Living the Better Life**

*“In a little while the world will no longer see Me, but you’re going to see Me because I am alive and you’re about to come alive!”*  
John 14:19 (Mes)

Easter is all about coming alive.

*“He included everyone in His death so everyone could be included in His life, A FAR BETTER LIFE than people ever lived on their own.”*  
2 Corinthians 5:15 (Mes)

Beneath the image of “**The Good Life**” there are three dirty little secrets that nobody likes to talk about.

1. People feel - **exhausted**
2. Exhaustion always leads to – **Emptiness.**
3. Emptiness leads to - **Enslavement.**

Do you ever feel like any of these?  
Emptiness? Exhaustion? Feeling trapped?  
We’ll I’ve got good news for you today.  
There’s an antidote.  
It’s called “The Better Life.”

**What is the “Better Life” Jesus Offers?**

1. It’s a life filled with **meaning and purpose.**

The greatest tragedy in life is:

**going through your life without knowing your purpose.**

*“Christ gives meaning to your life.”* Colossians 3:4a (CEV)

God made you for **a purpose.**

*“Because Jesus was raised from the dead, we’ve been given a brand-new life and have everything to live for, including a future in heaven – and the future starts now!”* 1 Peter 1:3-4 (Mes)

God wants to give you **a brand new life.**

You were made by God to **have a relationship with Him.**

- God says, You weren’t made to live for yourself. You were made to live for Me.

*“He died so we would no longer live for ourselves but for Him who died for us and was raised to life for our sake.”*

*“I came so you can have real and eternal life, a better life than you ever dreamed of.”* John