

Session 3: The Renewal of All Things

In this session we will consider how Jesus' life, work, teaching, and resurrection tie together various strands from the Old Testament and teach us about God's ultimate plan for the renewal of all things.

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How did Jesus tie together the strands of the OT?

Teaching	Miracles	Resurrection
<p>Renewal of All Things:</p> <p>“Truly I tell you, at the renewal of all things, when the Son of Man sits on his glorious throne, you who have followed me will also sit on twelve thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel...” (Matt 19:27-30; cf. Luke 22:24-30)</p>	<p>Nature Miracles:</p> <p>Calming the Storm (Mark 4:35-41)</p> <p>Psalm 107:23-32 Amos 4:13</p>	<p>Seven Signs in John’s Gospel:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Water into wine (2:1-11) 2) Healing the Official’s Son (4:46-54) 3) Paralytic at the Pool (5:1-18) 4) Feeding the 5,000 (6:5-14) 5) Walking on Water (6:16-24) 6) Healing the Blind Man (9:1-7) 7) The Raising of Lazarus (11:1-45) <p>“It is finished” (John 19:30)</p> <p>‘On the first day of the week...’ (John 20:1)</p> <p>‘At the place where Jesus was crucified, there was a garden, and in the garden a new tomb, in which no one had ever been laid’ (John 19:41)</p>
<p>Resurrection:</p> <p>Peter rebuked Jesus (Mark 8:32); they didn’t understand and were too afraid to ask (Mark 9:32); they were extremely sad (Matthew 17:22)</p>	<p>Food Miracles:</p> <p>Wedding at Cana (John 2:1-11)</p> <p>Isaiah 25:6-8</p>	<p>The Olivet Discourse</p> <p>Matt 24:35; Mark 13:31; Luke 21:33</p> <p>Pass away = <i>parerchomai</i></p> <p>2 Cor 5:17</p>
<p>Kingdom of God:</p> <p>The in-breaking rule of God</p> <p>Parables about mountains, banquets, trees, punishment, fire, etc</p>	<p>Raising the Dead:</p> <p>Lazarus (John 11:17-27, 38-44)</p> <p>Hosea 6:2</p>	

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How do the New Testament writers think about God's plan of Salvation?

Scripture	How is the saving activity of God described?	What is the object or recipient of His salvation?
Acts 3:17-21 (esp. v21)		
Eph 1:7-10 (esp. v10)		
Col 1:16-20 (esp. v20)		
Rom 8:19-23 (esp. vv21, 23)		
2 Pet 3:10-13 (esp. vv10, 13)		
Summary		

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Expanding the Exodus

