



“I am the resurrection and the life.”

~ John 11:25

Dear Friends,

As we experience the present-day circumstances in “this world,” we may be tempted to believe that we have lost something—some measure of our freedom, our security, our health, our supply, or our social life. Perhaps we even feel that we have lost a state of higher consciousness that we thought we had attained, because we find ourselves reacting to the news, or feeling fear, or questioning the spiritual principles that we have trusted.

But it is the Easter season, a time when we can attune to the teaching of Jesus: “**I am the resurrection and the life.**” The mystical **I** of our being, the Christ, can resurrect us out of *any* tomb of material sense. As Joel says,

“**I** am the resurrection. If for any reason any part of your life has been destroyed, **I** in the midst of you will resurrect it, for **I** am the resurrection. Relax and let *My* presence rise in you and raise you up. For **I**, if **I** be lifted up in you, will raise you unto *Me*. **I** will lift you out of the tomb: the tomb of sick flesh, the tomb of misery, the tomb of loneliness. **I** in the midst of you, if **I** be raised up in you, if you recognize **I** in the midst of you, **I** will raise you up, and **I** will raise up your purse and your business. *My* presence goes before you; *My* presence walks beside you; *My* peace **I** give unto you: *My* peace, spiritual peace, Christ-peace.”

(~ *The Journey Back to the Father's House*, Chapter 4, “The Temple”)

John wrote: “*Jesus said to the people who believed in him, ‘You are truly my disciples if you remain faithful to my teachings. **And you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.**’*” (John 8:31-32) Any problem we face is an opportunity to gain our freedom by knowing, accepting, and realizing the truth—and then living it.

May the glorious spirit of Easter—the spirit of awakening, of rebirth, resurrection, and renewal—inspire you and fill your hearts to overflowing!

With our abiding love,
Liz and Marty