

RESURRECT

TIME TO RESURRECT YOUR SINGLENESS

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- Being married is not the pinnacle of being a Christ-follower; finding your redemptive purpose in Jesus is.
- There are two types of single people:

Vowed and dedicated celibates (Matthew 19:11-12, 1 Corinthians 6:18-20)

How Do We Resurrect Singleness?

1. Live out of the overflow of Jesus' love for you. (Ephesians 3:16-19)
2. Live out of the life-transforming power of God and become the best possible you. (2 Peter 1:3-9)
3. Live out Jesus' mission in Jesus's community called the Church. (2 Corinthians 5:18-20, 1 Corinthians 12:27)

Soul-tattoo: If you are single, pray this prayer: "Lord, bless me with the power to Your call to be a living sign of your love. Make my love for others reflect Your love for me: loyal, faithful, life giving, and unconditional. May I be present to others as You are present to me, so that the world can see Your presence through my tender love for others. Help me to stay close to the body of Christ and continue to nourish my love with Your love. In Jesus' name, amen." (Pete Scazzero)