# The 50 Days of Easter

What if You Only Have Two Options?

April 14, 2024

What if every morning you wake and you choose either to live life for yourself or to live for the sake of God and others?

What if there is no third option?

Recapitulation

## Acts 3v12-13a

When Peter saw it, he addressed the people, 'You Israelites, why do you wonder at this, or why do you stare at us, as though by our own power or piety we had made him walk? The God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, the God of our ancestors has glorified his *servant* Jesus...

Sunday + Garden = Hyperlinks to Genesis 1

#### Genesis 1v27-28

So God created humankind in his image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them.

God blessed them, and God said to them, 'Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth and subdue it; and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over every living thing that moves upon the earth.'

What if humans are spiritually, psychologically, relationally, emotionally, etc. etc. designed to live as servants?

### Mark 16v1-2

When the sabbath was over, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices, so that they might go and anoint him. And very early on the first day of the week, when the sun had risen, they went to the tomb.

What's the significance of the first day of the week? Why did it take place in a garden?

What is dominion?

#### Matthew 10v38-39

And whoever does not take up the cross and follow me is not worthy of me. Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it.

Command? Insight into what it means to be human?

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