



## THE WORD IS THE QUEEN OF THE WORLD (AUT. 449)

The sisters Martha and Mary sent this message to Jesus, "Lord, the one you love is sick." On hearing this Jesus said, "This illness will not end in death; rather it is for God's glory and the Son of God will be glorified through it." It is a fact that Jesus loved Martha and her sister and Lazarus; yet, after he heard of the illness of Lazarus, he stayed two days longer in the place where he was. Only then did he say to his disciples, "Let us go into Judea again." When Jesus came, he found that Lazarus had been in the tomb for four days. When Martha heard that Jesus was coming, she went to meet him while Mary remained sitting in the house. And she said to Jesus, "If you had been here, my brother would not have died. But I know that whatever you ask from God, God will give you." Jesus said, "Your brother will rise again." Martha replied, "I know that he will rise in the resurrection, at the last day." But Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection; whoever believes in me, though he die, shall live. Whoever is alive by believing in me will never die. Do you believe this?" Martha then answered, "Yes, Lord, I have come to believe that you are the Christ, the Son of God, he who is coming into the world." Then he asked, "Where have you laid him?" They answered, "Lord, come and see." And Jesus wept. The Jews said, "See how he loved him!" But some of them said, "If he could open the eyes of the blind man, could he not have kept this man from dying?" Jesus was deeply moved again and drew near to the tomb. It was a cave with a stone laid across it. Jesus ordered, "Take the stone away." Martha said to him, "Lord, by now he will smell, for this is the fourth day." Jesus replied, "Have I not told you that if you believe, you will see the glory of God?" So they removed the stone. Jesus lifted up his eyes and said, "Father, I thank you for you have heard me. I knew that you hear me always; but my prayer was for the sake of these people, that they may believe that you sent me." When Jesus had said this, he cried out in a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with linen strips and his face wrapped in a cloth. So Jesus said to them, "Untie him and let him go." Many of the Jews who had come with Mary believed in Jesus when they saw what he did.

**Jn 11: 3-7,17.20-27.34-45**

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Word of God is the primary  
of our spirituality  
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## REFLECTIONS TO FEED OUR RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD



Jesus sees doubt in the Lazarus' sisters. Jesus leads them to greater faith, when he answers that their brother will resurrect, but ... they think it will happen at the end of time... Jesus, changes their beliefs by revealing that he is already present "I AM, THE RESURRECTION AND LIFE"... Brothers and sisters, if we believe in Him, we will see the glory of God.

IT'S THE WORD OF GOD (AUT. 450)

## REFLECTIONS TO FEED OUR MISSION IN THE WORLD



The Lord speaks to us today with great joy, explaining where our hope leads us to; all who believe in him. His Project is not of death but life... "THE RISEN, WILL RISE US". Martha, publicly proclaim her faith. Thus we shall proclaim it firmly and without fear; the faith in the Risen, and the God of Jesus (Aut. 448-563-572)

IT IS THE WORD OF LIFE (AUT. 450)

## PRAYER FROM THE WORD

Thank you Jesus, because today you speak to us with words of life. I want to tell you that the Holy Spirit flows in us and we will continue to tell you YES, For the Faith you give us, we believe in You... Although our steps are slow for our age, jobs, illnesses... but we know that you love us, you are our strength, our Resurrection, and our Life. Amen.

