

SERMON TITLE:

*"Resurrection
from the Dead*

**TEXT(s):
Ezekiel 37:1-14**

**INTRODUCTORY
STATEMENT(S):**

**Ezekiel is one of
the
Major Prophets of
Ancient Israel**

**INTRODUCTORY
STATEMENT(S):**

**Major Prpht. Books (04):
Minor Prpht. Books
(12):
-> Isaiah, Jeremiah;
-> Ezekiel, Daniel;**

**Ezekiel's Personal
Profile:
Both a Priest &
Prophet**

PRIESTHOOD:

**Love - Discipline =
Enabling**

**PROPHETIC
MINISTRY:**

**Discipline - Love =
Abuse**

Ezekiel ministered during the darkest days of Judah's history:

the 70-year period of Babylonian captivity

Ezekiel's 48 chapters uses prophecies, parables, signs and symbols to dramatize GOD's message to the GOD's exiled people.

THREE KEY WORDS:

BONES

SPIRIT

LIFE

SERMONIC PNT. #1:

GOD calls us to "DRY" places!!!

SERMONIC PNT. #1:

Ezekiel 37:1:
"It was full of Bones..."

Ezekiel 37:2:
"They were very dry..."

Ezekiel 37:3:
"Can these Bones live?"

SERMONIC PNT. #1:

The BONES represents...

- * exiled people of GOD;**
- * enbondaged, beaten, lifeness, defeated, downtrodden, etc... people!**

SERMONIC PNT.

#1:

**Ezekiel 37:4:
"PROPHECY to these
BONES...Hear the
Word of the LORD."**

SERMONIC PNT.

#1:

**Ezekiel 37:4:
"What does it mean
for us to speak to
DRY...places &
people in our lives?!?"**

SERMONIC PNT.

#1:

**"GOD sometimes
calls us/you/me to
DRY places, people,
situations,
circumstances,
conditions!!!"**

SERMONIC PNT.

#1:

**"You've GOT TO
KEEP prophesying to
dead things, people,
situations,
circumstances, etc..."**

SERMONIC PNT.

#2:

**GOD's Revival
Process May Take
Time!**

SERMONIC PNT.

#2:

**Psalms 37:5-6:
"Surely I will cause
breath to enter into
you and you shall
live."**

SERMONIC PNT. #2:

**Ezekiel 37:7-8:
"So I
prophesied...there
was a noise...a
rattling...bones
came together..."**

SERMONIC PNT. #2:

**Psalms 37:12-13:
"Prophesied to the
FOUR WINDS (N-E-
S-W), breathe on
these slain, that
they may live!"**

**SERMONIC PNT.
#2:**

**WITHOUT the
HOLY SPIRIT there
is no LIFE!**

**SERMONIC PNT.
#3:**

**GOD can/will
Resurrect You from
Your Graves!**

**SERMONIC PNT.
#3:**

**Ezekiel 37:12-14:
"...Behold, O My
people...I will open
your graves and
cause you to come up
from your graves..."**

**SERMONIC PNT.
#3:**

**Ezekiel 37:12-14:
"THEN you shall know
that I AM THE LORD,
when I have opened your
graves...and brought you
up..."**

SERMONIC PNT. #3:

Ezekiel 37:12-14:

**“I will put My Spirit in
you, and you shall
live, and I will place
you in your own
land.”**