

'Lifted Up'

Reading:

John 20: 10-16

“Just as Moses lifted up the snake in the wilderness, so the Son of Man must be lifted up, that everyone who believes may have eternal life in him.””

John 3:14–15

“So Moses made a bronze snake and put it up on a pole. Then when anyone was bitten by a snake and looked at the bronze snake, they lived.”

Numbers 21:9

“For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.”

John 3:16

- On the Cross Jesus was - Lifted Up
- From the Tomb Jesus was - Raised Up
- On the Mount of Olives Jesus was Taken Up into Heaven!

‘Do not hold on to me, for I have not
yet ascended to the Father. Go instead
to my brothers and tell them, ‘I am
ascending to my Father and your
Father, to my God and your God.’ ”

John 20:17

In John the 'Lifting Up' is the Cross, the Tomb and the Throne!

1. Humility

“For those who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be [lifted up].”

Matthew 23:12

2. Service

“For who is greater, the one who is at the [top] table or the one who serves? Is it not the one who is at the table? But I am among you as one who serves.”

Luke 22:27

3. Praise

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“Then I heard what sounded like a great multitude, like the roar of rushing waters and like loud peals of thunder, shouting: “Hallelujah! For our Lord God Almighty reigns. Let us rejoice and be glad and give him glory!”

Revelation 19:6–7

