

RAISING THE DEAD

Jesus went with his disciples to the village of Nain. A funeral procession was coming out as He approached the village gate. The boy who had died was the only son of a widow and many mourners from the village were with her. When the Lord saw her, His heart overflowed with compassion. "Don't cry" He said. Then He walked over to the coffin and touched it, and the procession stopped. "Young man" He said, "get up". And the dead boy sat up and began to talk to those around him, and Jesus gave him back to his mother. Great fear swept the crowd, and they praised God saying a mighty prophet has risen among us and we have seen the hand of God at work today. The report of what Jesus had done that day spread all over Judea and even out across its borders.