

Are you afraid?

- Claustrophobia
- Acrophobia
- Xanthophobia
- Phobophobia
- Homilophobia
- Melissaphobia
- Kakorrhaphiophobia
- Enclosed space
- Heights
- Color yellow
- Fear
- Sermons
- Bees
- Failure

NO FEAR



DO NOT BE AFRAID!

Revelation 1:17-18

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Revelation 1:17-18a

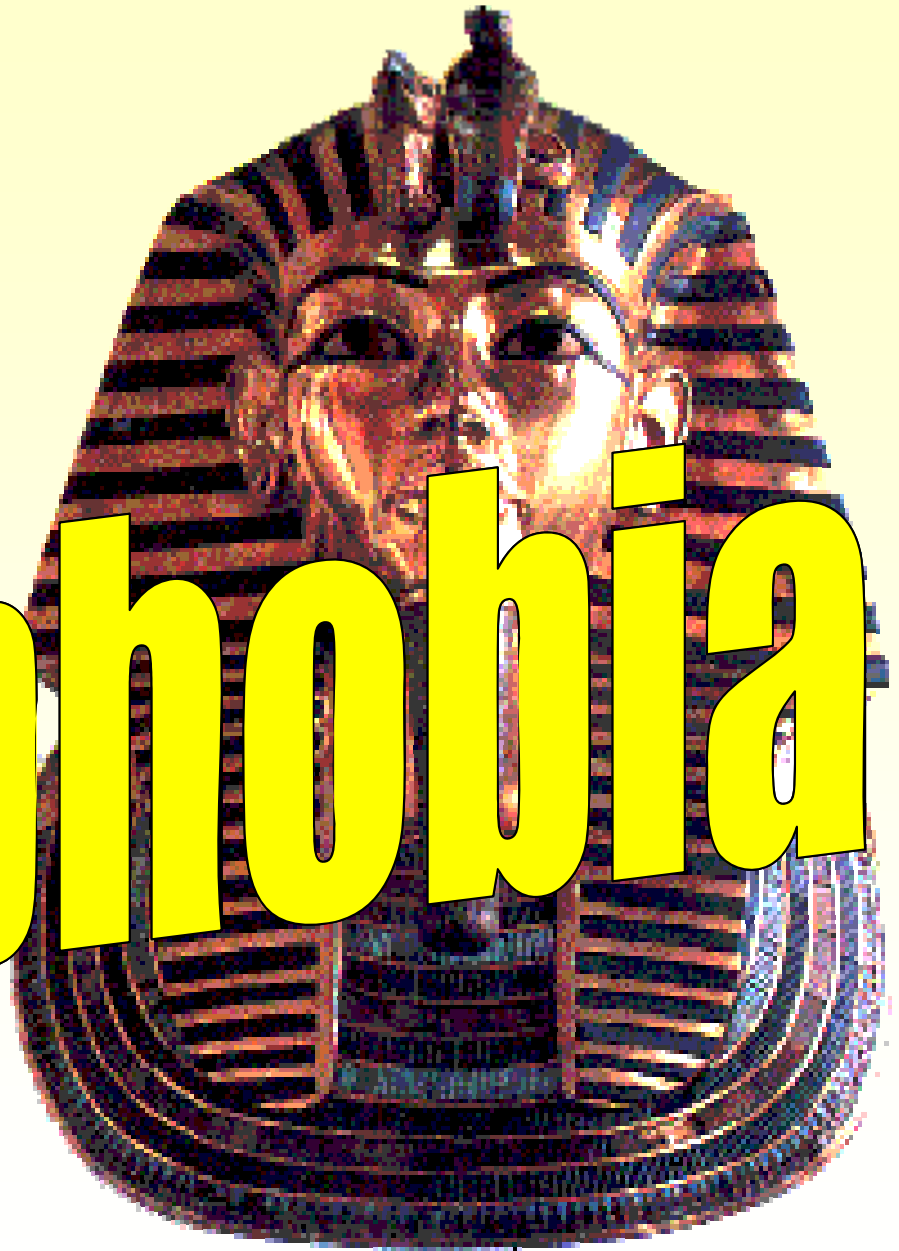
¹⁷ When I saw him, I fell at his feet as though dead. Then he placed his right hand on me and said: "Do not be afraid. I am the First and the Last. ¹⁸ I am the Living One; I was dead, and behold I am alive for ever and ever!



Gymnophobia

Exodus 8:1 *'This is what the Lord says: Let my people go, so that they may worship me*

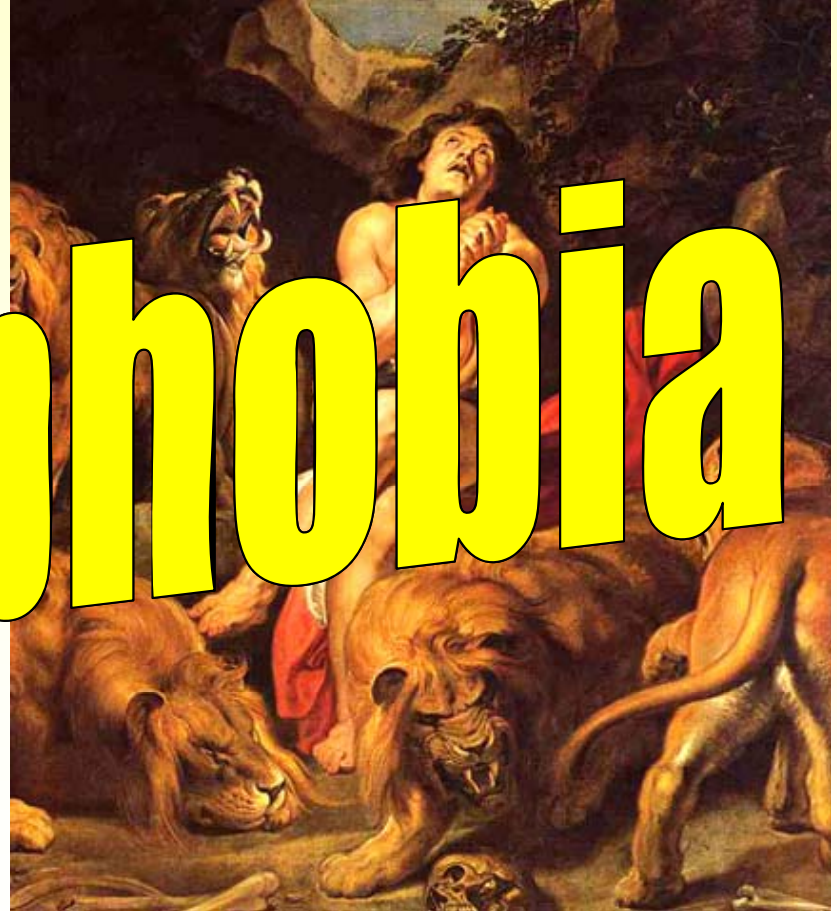
Monophobia



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Graphophobia

Mary, Daniel



Hagiophobia

I am the First and the Last

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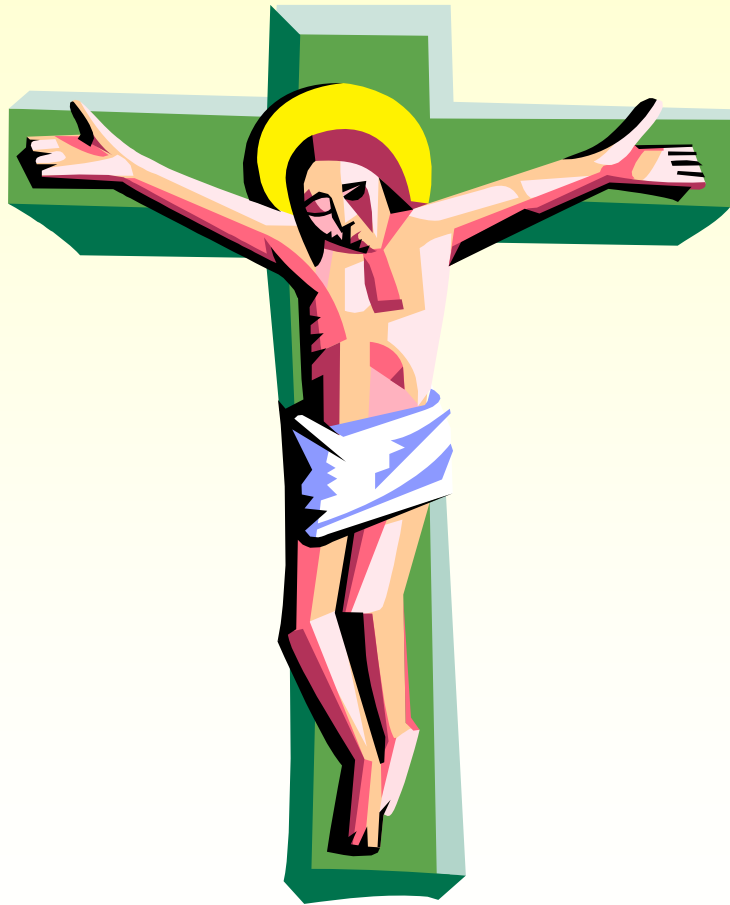


I am the Living One

- Psalm 42:2 *My soul thirsts for God, for the living God.*
When can I go and meet with God?



**I was dead, and behold I am alive
for ever and ever!**

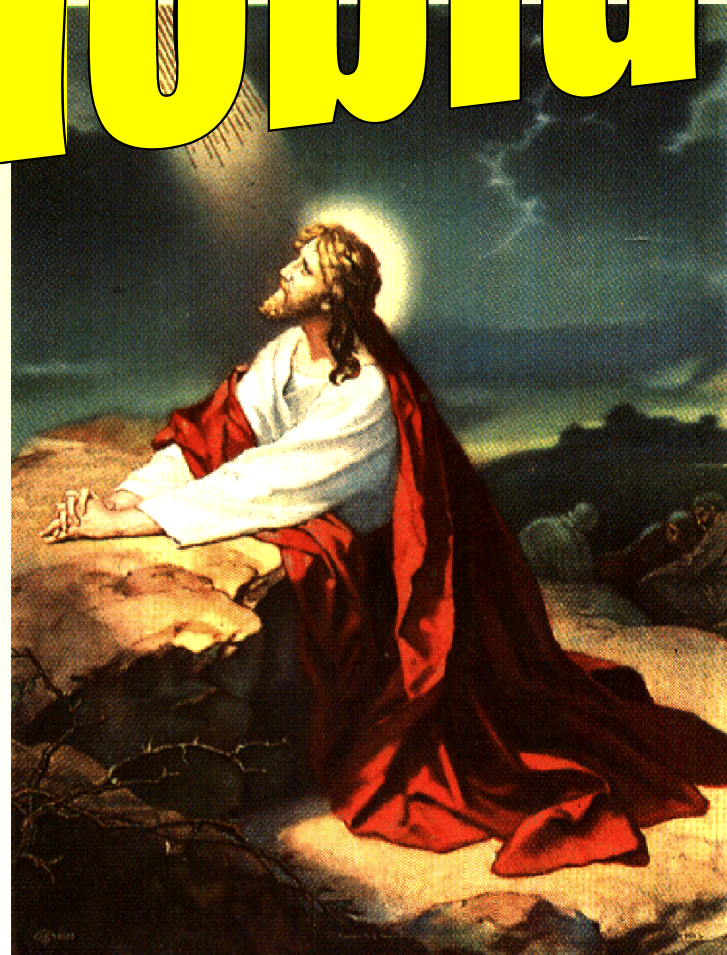


**1. Jesus who was dead is
alive.**

Of what are you afraid?

Aigophobia

- You don't have to be afraid, because Jesus is the living one!



Revelation 1:18

18 I am the Living One; I was dead, and behold I am alive for ever and ever! And I hold the keys of death and Hades.

"Been there... done that!"





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**And I hold the keys of death
and Hades.**



2. Jesus has the keys to death and hell.

John 20:25 *So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord!"*

John 20:23 *If you forgive anyone his sins, they are forgiven; if you do not forgive them, they are not forgiven."*

What is your greatest fear?

- Heaven is open because of what Jesus has done.
- He has given you the key. It is called faith in what he has done.



You won't have..

- Theophobia
- Peccatophobia
- Placophobia
- Thanatophobia
- Poinophobia
- Stygiophobia
- God
- Sin
- Tombstones
- Death
- Punishment
- Hell

REVELATION 1:7

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LOOK!
HE COMES
WITH THE
CLOUDS OF
HEAVEN. AND EVERYONE WILL SEE HIM...

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