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25 "Truly, truly, I say to you, an hour is coming, and is now here, when the dead will hear the voice of the Son of God, and those who hear will live. 26 For as the Father has life in himself, so he has granted the Son also to have life in himself. 27 And he has given him authority to execute judgment, because he is the Son of Man. 28 Do not marvel at this, for an hour is coming when all who are in the tombs will hear his voice 29 and come out, those who have done good to the resurrection of life, and those who have done evil to the resurrection of judgment.

The Authority of the Son.. Jn.5.19-29

How does 5:19 relate to 1:18? **5:19; Phil.2:5-7; Jn.8:28, 12:49**

What are some reasons given in Scripture for this? **Phil.2:7-8; Heb.4:14-16, 10:9**

What behavior for us is modeled by Jesus' submission to the Father? **Eph.5:22-6:9**

What specific work does the Father show the Son? **5:20-21, 11:25, 17:2**

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And what is the stated *goal* for this action by the Son? **5:22-23; Rev.5:8-14**

What does Jesus make clear about His authority? **5:24, 3:16-21,36, 20:31**

How can it be true that both '*an hour is coming*' and it's '*now here*'? Dead will live? **5:25-26**

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Jesus, The Word, eternal God, equal with Father, emptied Himself. Subject to Father.

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Jesus 'laid aside' His independent Deity, became a man to die, as our perfect example.

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Husband/wife, children/parents, slaves/masters. Not a matter of superiority. Submission

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The Father and the Son raise the dead and give them life, according to their own will.

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The answer is YES! Both spiritual and physical are referenced. For both saved and lost.

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The Father wants all to honor the Son = the Father! Gives Son all judgment, authority!

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Those who hear Him and believe Father sent Him have eternal life. From death to life!

How can it be true that both 'an hour is coming' and it's 'now here'? Dead will live? **5:25-26**

Both are true. An hour is coming (5:28-29) & is already here (5:24). He has Life in Him!

Why has the Father given the Son authority to execute judgment? 5:27; **Dan.7:13-14**

Because He is humanity's sinless, perfect Son. He is worthy to defend or judge all of us.

And how is this 'execute judgement' confirmed? **5:28-29; Rev.20:12**

The 'hour is coming' when all dead will rise at His voice. Final judgment, Life or death!