



## RESURRECTION ROLLS

### Ingredients:

- 1 can refrigerated crescent roll dough
- 8 large marshmallows
- Melted butter
- Cinnamon
- Sugar

### Instructions:

Give each child one triangle-shaped section of crescent roll. This represents the tomb. Each child takes one marshmallow, which represents the body of Christ. Dip the marshmallow in the butter and roll in the cinnamon and sugar mixture. This represents the oils and spices the body was anointed with upon burial. Lay the marshmallow on the dough and carefully wrap it around the marshmallow. Make sure all seams are pinched together well. (Otherwise, the marshmallow will “ooze” out of the seams.) Bake according to package directions. Cool. Break open the tomb, and the body of Christ is no longer there!

## Book of the Month

### FOR OLDER CHILDREN:

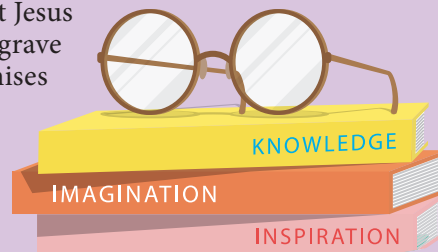
#### *The Very First Easter* by Paul Maier

Retell the historical events surrounding Jesus’ death and resurrection through Scripture and beautiful artwork. Ten-year-old Christopher wants to know the story behind the Easter story. Join him in discovering important details about this miraculous event that help him better understand the season’s celebration. Plus, Christopher finds his own special link to the very first Easter!

### FOR ALL CHILDREN:

#### *The Easter Surprise* by Claire Miller

Children love surprises, and the Bible story of Easter is full of them! Some of the surprises in the days that lead to Easter seem sad and scary, but the most wonderful surprise is that Jesus rose from the grave and now promises us eternal life through faith in Him.



## Words of Affirmation

*These are words that children desire to hear multiple times a day — words that lift them up instead of breaking them down.*

- “You have a big heart.”
- “I am happy when you are around.”

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