

Resurrection!

John (11:25) “I am the resurrection and the life; he who believes in me, though he dies, he shall live...”

Tammy	<i>(singing)</i> I am the resurrection and the life! He who believes in me shall never die! I am the...
Billy	Hey, what are you doing?
Tammyresurrection and the life! He who believes in me will live a new liiife!
Billy	Hey! Hey, can't you hear me? I asked you what you were doing!
Tammy	<i>(dances)</i> Singing! Singing the words of Jesus! John chapter eleven, verse twenty-five! Words of hope! Yeah! Words of power! Yeeeeehhhaaaaaa! <i>(strikes a pose right in his face)</i>
Billy	Oh. <i>(leaning back)</i> It seems a little unusual for a person to be dancing and singing like that in a public place.
Tammy	Is that what I'm supposed to be? USUAL? The same ol' same ol'? The “whatever everybody else is doing?” Is that what YOU want to be?
Billy	Uh, well...
Tammy	I am a child of the living God! I will praise Him! I will dance! I will make a joyful noise! Yeah! <i>(pose)</i>
Billy	Well. It was nice seeing you.
Tammy	Where are you going?
Billy	I don't know.
Tammy	Let me ask you something. Is there anything on earth that could make you dance and sing out in the open where everyone could see?
Billy	I don't know. Maybe. If the Giants win the SuperBowl, I might.
Tammy	And then what? The season is over. Your football players go home and spend their millions while you wait around for football season to start again.
Billy	Or if I won a million dollars. I might run around making some noise.
Tammy	And after you'd spent it all, then what?
Billy	Okay. So the things I like won't last forever. What's your point?
Tammy	You just made my point. The things you get excited about won't last forever. But the life that God came to share with us DOES last forever.
Billy	What is “resurrection” anyway?

Tammy	It means new, miraculous life. It means that a person who has actually died has come to life again. Like Lazarus. He was dead and Jesus called him out of the tomb. But Jesus also resurrected Himself on Easter Sunday. Some day we will all be resurrected; those of us who love God will rise to eternal life with Him in heaven! Resurrection means that God's power is greater than any other power in the universe!
Billy	This resurrection business intrigues me!
Tammy	Right on!
Billy	Let me ask you something.
Tammy	Yes?
Billy	Can you teach me that little dance thingy you were doing before?
Tammy	Sure! Let's go! First you gotta smile (<i>he does</i>), then you gotta move! (<i>she does a move, then he does it</i>) Then you gotta raise your voice in song, my brother! Woohooo!
Billy	Oh, yeah!!!!
Tammy & Billy	(<i>together or alternating parts</i>) I am the resurrection and the life, he who believes in me will never die! I am the resurrection and the life, he who believes in me will live a new life! (<i>they strike a pose together</i>) Yeah!
Billy	Oh, yeah. We bad.
Tammy	You got that right. Mmmhmm.

The End