

Text: Various
Topics: The Resurrection & Ascension of Christ
Series: The Jesus Who Came to Earth

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After the Cross?

I. Post Crucifixion (Luke 24)

Jesus died and was resurrected in a new body.

II. Primary Concerns (Romans 4:25; 1 Cor. 15:12-19; 1 John 3:2)

The resurrection of Christ assures us of the truthfulness of our justification, message, and our future bodies.

III. Present Condition (Luke 24; Hebrews)

After His death, and resurrection, Jesus ascended to the right hand of God, in heaven, where He is now.

Do I know Him as the living God?

Application Questions - *These questions are provided for your further study and application of the subject of today's message. Thoughtfully writing out answers to these questions will help drive home the point. They are designed to be discussed in your home, with other believers, and in a Life Group for even more benefit.*

1. What are 3 things you've experienced that define your life? Explain.
2. Read Luke 23:33-24:43. How do we know Jesus actually, physically, died?

Who had a hard time believing Jesus resurrected in a new body? How were people convinced that Jesus was resurrected?

How will people today be convinced Jesus resurrected to life? How can you be a part of that convincing?

3. Read Romans 4:25. What did Christ's crucifixion show? What did His resurrection show?
4. In 1 Corinthians 15:12-19 Paul points out the ramifications if there is no resurrection. Turn Paul's reasoning into positive statements. Because there is a resurrection from the dead...
5. Read 1 Corinthians 15:42; Philippians 3:21; and 1 John 2:2. What does the resurrection of Christ tell us we can expect?

Complete this statement: It's important to know that Jesus rose from the dead because...
6. What does the ascension of Christ mean? (Luke 24:50-51; Acts 1:9)
7. Where is Jesus now? (Hebrews 1:3; 8:1; 10:12; 12:2)
8. How and why should knowing and believing the resurrection and ascension of Christ make us different than those who practice other religions?