

Text: Luke 24:1-12; 36-53
Topics: Jesus' Resurrection, God's Word
Series: King of Kings

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Making Sense of the Cross

I. The Expectation (1-11)

Jesus' followers did not expect Him to be alive because they did not remember His words.

II. The Confirmation (36-43)

Jesus confirmed His words by showing that He was alive in His resurrection body.

III. The Instruction (44-53)

Jesus connected His death and resurrection to forgiveness of sin in God's Word and charged His followers to tell everyone!

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. Read Luke 24:1-11. What did the women see at the tomb of Jesus and what was their response? (verses 1-5)

What was the apostles' response to the report from the women? (v. 11)

What was the question, the statement, and the instruction the angel gave the women? (v. 5-7)

What's one thing Jesus said that gives you the most hope in times of fear or discouragement? What helps you to remember it, or causes you to forget it?

2. How are Jesus' disciples described in Luke 24:36-43? What proofs does Jesus give them that He is alive in a resurrected body?

Do you need proof to believe that Jesus is alive? What helps you believe?

3. Read Luke 24:44-49. Jesus connected what happened and what He had told His followers to Scripture. What purpose did He give to His death and resurrection? (v. 46-47) Do you believe it?

What charge and promise did Jesus give His followers in verses 48-49?

If you understand the significance of Jesus' death and resurrection, it is, in part, through generations of Jesus' followers carrying out His charge. How can this encourage/excite you to tell others about Jesus?

4. What did Jesus' followers see in Luke 24:50-53 and how did they respond?

Does the resurrection of Jesus give you great joy? Explain.