

Luke 24:13-35 –The Resurrection Walk.

1. (13-16) Jesus walks...

These were simple and half-anonymous followers of Jesus. As they talked, they spoke of the things regarding the arrest and crucifixion of Jesus.

Jesus came along side these disciples, and walked with them all the way disguised.

2. (17-27) Jesus revives our hope...

Jesus opened the conversation by asking them what they had talked about. Looks like Jesus had walked silently with them for a while, just listening as they carried on the conversation.

These disciples had their hopes crushed; they didn't understand the necessity of the Cross.

Job 7:6 - *“My days are swifter than a weaver's shuttle, and are spent without hope.*

Job 14:7-12 - *“For there is hope for a tree, if it is cut down, that it will sprout again, and that its tender shoots will not cease. Though its root may grow old in the earth, and its stump may die in the ground, yet at the scent of water it will bud and bring forth branches like a plant, but man dies and is laid away; indeed he breathes his last and where is he? As water disappears from the sea, and a river becomes parched and dries up, so man lies down and does not rise. Till the heavens are no more, they will not awake nor be roused from their sleep.*

He told them that the Messiah was: the Passover Lamb, the Sin offering, the Burnt Offering, the Trespass Offering, the Scape Goat...the Savior described in **Isaiah 53 and 61**, the Princely Messiah of Daniel who would establish a kingdom that would never end...

Jesus showed them that their true hope was fulfilled in Him and His resurrection.

Psalms 31:24 - *Be of good courage, and He shall strengthen your heart, all you who hope in the LORD.*

Psalms 39:7 - *“And now, Lord, what do I wait for? My hope is in You.*

Jeremiah 29:11 - *For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, says the LORD, thoughts of peace and not of evil, to give you a future and a hope.*

Romans 5:5 - Now hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured out in our hearts by the Holy Spirit who was given to us.

1 Corinthians 15:16-22 - For if the dead do not rise, then Christ is not risen. And if Christ is not risen, your faith is futile; you are still in your sins! Then also those who have fallen asleep in Christ have perished. If in this life only we have hope in Christ, we are of all men the most pitiable. But now Christ is risen from the dead, and has become the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep. For since by man came death, by Man also came the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ all shall be made alive.

3. (28-35) Jesus reveals Himself...

“Jesus acted as if He might continue on farther, but did not want to force His company on these disciples. **But they constrained Him** shows that even though they didn’t know this was Jesus in their midst, they knew they wanted to spend as much time as they could with this man.”

The resurrected Jesus reveals Himself to those seeking (like the women) and hiding (like the disciples).

Daniel 2:47 - The king answered Daniel, and said, “Truly your God is the God of gods, the Lord of kings, and a revealer of secrets, since you could reveal this secret.”

Luke 24:36-40 –

John 21:1 - After these things Jesus showed Himself again to the disciples at the Sea of Tiberias, and in this way He showed Himself...

John 11:25 - Jesus said to her, “I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in Me, though he may die, he shall live.

Acts 1:1-3 - during forty days and speaking of the things...

“Jesus may be right in front of you, walking with you and sitting down with you at every meal – and your eyes could be restrained from seeing Him. We therefore should pray that God would open our eyes to see Jesus as He is, as being with us all the time.”

“I take it as characteristic of the Lord that in the glory of His resurrection life He gave Himself with such fullness of disclosure to these unknown and undistinguished men...He still reveals Himself to lowly hearts.”