

LESSON 68

MARK 16:9-14

REVIEW:

Write the correct words on the line with each number:

- 1. The women came to Jesus' tomb
 - at night
 - at noon
 - in early morning.
- 2. The women brought
 - perfume
 - flowers
 - sweet spices.
- 3. Their problem was
 - to find the grave
 - how to get into the grave
 - the soldiers on guard at the tomb.
- 4. The young man sitting in the tomb was
 - an angel
 - one of the guards
 - one of the disciples.
- 5. The young man told the women
 - bad news
 - good news
 - to go back home.
- 6. The young man told the women that Jesus was alive. They would see Jesus in
 - Judaea
 - Samaria
 - Galilee.

READ MARK 16:9-14

PEOPLE WHO SAW JESUS

Mary

- In verse 9 we are told that it was the first day of the week. You will remember that this was our Sunday. A most wonderful thing happened on that day. It was the day that Jesus rose from the dead.
 Who was the first person to see Jesus after He came alive?
 (verse 9)
- 2. What miracle had Jesus done for this woman?
- John's Gospel tells us that she was by the tomb crying. She had loved Jesus very much. Why was she crying?
 . (John 20:13)

Sometimes we are like Mary. We are crying when we should be full of joy. Jesus had promised the disciples that He would rise from the dead on the third day and this was the third day. God has given us many promises in His Bible. When we believe them, we will be filled with joy instead of sadness.

 Jesus did not want Mary Magdalene to cry. He asked her some questions. READ John 20:15. What two questions did Jesus ask Mary?

1)	Why	?
2)	Whom	?

5. This man who was talking to Mary Magdalene did not tell her who He was. He simple called her by name. When this man spoke her name, she suddenly knew Jesus was talking to her. Now instead of being in tears, Mary was happy. This is what Jesus loves to do for those who love Him and believe Him. What had He told them in John 15:11?

Mary ran and told the disciples that Jesus was alive. Were they happy? (Mark 16:11)
 Why?

The two on the road.

1. What two people saw Jesus next? (verse 12)

READ this beautiful story about the two who walked with Jesus as they went down the road to their home. The story is in Luke 24:13-32. When they knew that it was Jesus who had walked with them, they rushed back to Jerusalem to tell the other disciples. Did the disciples believe them?



The disciples

 Jesus had sent the women to tell the disciples that He had risen from the dead just as He said He would. But the disciples went on being sad instead of happy. Then Jesus sent the two he walked with on the road. Still they were sad. Why were they still sad? Unbelief always makes people sad.



- At last Jesus came to those faithless disciples.
 What were they doing when Jesus appeared to them? (verse 14)
- In verse 14, Jesus upbraided the disciples. This means He was not pleased with His disciples. Because of their and of .

Is Jesus pleased with us when we do not believe all that He has told us in His Word?

FAITH

God has given us many verses in His Word about believing what He says. Let us look up some of these verses about believing:

1) MATTHEW 21:22

"And all things whatsoever ye shall ask in prayer,

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4				2)	MARK	9:23						
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1			3)	LUKE 8	3:49,50							
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						He answe	red him saying	, Fear not	,			
						and			."			
	4)	JOHN	1:12									
"But as many as received Him, to them gave He power to become												
					them that				.,,			
	5)	JOHN	3:15									
			"That whose	bever		,	should	k	out have			
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	6)	JOHN	3:36									
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HOW CAN WE KNOW FOR SURE THAT JESUS REALLY CAME TO LIFE AFTER HIS ENEMIES PUT HIM TO DEATH?

We studied in the last lesson a number of things which prove that Jesus came to life again. These are:

- 1. **The tomb was empty**. (Mark 16:4)
- The (enemies of Jesus) soldiers said Jesus had risen. (Matthew 28:11-15)
- 3. The angels said Jesus had risen from the dead. (Mark 16:5-6)
- 4. Jesus was seen by many people.

All these people saw the Lord Jesus after He rose from the dead. On the lines above the references tell who saw the Lord Jesus alive from the dead before He went back to heaven.

Who looked up and saw the Lord Jesus after He had gone back to heaven? 1.

(Mark 16:9) 2. (Matthew 28:1-10) 3. (Luke 24:34) 4. (Mark 16:12) 5. (Mark 16:14) 6. (John 20:16) 7. a. b. d. C. f. e. (John 21:1-2) 8. (1 Corinthians 15:6) 9. a. b. (1 Corinthians 15:7) 10. (Mark 16:19; Luke 24:50-52) 1. (Acts 7:55,56,59) 2. (1 Corinthians 15:8) 3.

(Revelation 1:9,12,13,18)

How important is it for us to believe that Jesus rose from the dead? (Romans 10:9)

And (1 Corinthians 15:17)

"And if Christ be not raised, ye are

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