

He is Risen!
Lesson #13
Luke 24:1-12

The crucifixion of Jesus may have been carried out by the Romans, but no one took his life, Jesus gave it freely. All that happened took place just as Jesus had taught and to fulfill Scripture.

1. How did Luke end his account of Jesus' death on that Friday afternoon? (Luke 23:55 & 56)

Sunday Morning - Luke 24:1-12

2. The Sabbath begins at sunset (dusk) on Friday and ends at sunset on Saturday. When the first light of day appeared on Sunday morning (the first day of the week), who does Luke say were the first to arrive at Jesus' tomb? (Luke 24:1)
3. What was the conversation they had while on the way to the tomb? (Mark 16:2 & 3)
4. Describe the scene when they arrived according to Luke 24:
 - verse 2

 - verse 3

 - verse 4

 - verse 5a
5. What were these terrified women asked? (Luke 24:5b)
6. Then, the angels (Matthew 28:2) delivered the most wonderful message ever sent to mankind. What was that good news? (Lk. 24:6 & 7)

7. Verse 8 says, *"Then they remembered his word."* Luke finally tells us the identity of three in the group. Who were they? (Luke 24:10a)

8. Why do you think these three were mentioned? (Luke 8:1-3)

9. After hearing the good news, whom did they tell first? (Luke 24:9 & 10b)

10. What was the first reaction to this good news? (Luke 24:11)

11. According to Luke, Peter (the chief disciple) was the first to check out their claim. How does Luke describe Peter's reaction? (Luke 24:12)

12. Keep in mind that Luke was not an "eyewitness" to these events. How did Luke say that he got his information? (Luke 1:1-3)

13. However, there is an eyewitness account in the book of John, who called himself, *"the other disciple."* Look at the Apostle John's description of those first moments in John 20:1-9. What additional insight does he give about Peter? (John 20:3-7)

14. What does John say about his own reaction? (John 20:8 & 9)

15. According to John, *"Then the disciples went back to their homes."* To whom did Jesus appear first? (Mark 16:9)

