

The Two Treatises

Lesson 24

The Resurrection & Ascension

Luke 24



Introduction

The events of Lk. 23-24 are the “culmination” of the entire Bible story. What occurs in this chapter is *the* dream God had envisioned long ago for our redemption (cp. Gal. 4:4; 2 Tim. 1:9; Rom. 1:4). Imagine the “roller coaster of emotions” Jesus’ followers must have experienced on that Sunday morning dawn so long ago...*despair* at going to the tomb; *concern* about access to the body; *puzzlement* at seeing the stone rolled away; and *sudden joy* when they finally saw their resurrected Savior!

The Resurrection (24:1-12)

- 1) What day is it? (v. 1a) Who is described? (v. 1b; cp. v. 10; 23:56; Mk. 16:1) What do they find at Jesus’ tomb? (vv. 2-3) What else happened? (vv. 4-7)
- 2) What did these women do? (vv. 8-9) How did the 11 apostles react? (v. 11)
- 3) How did Peter react? (v. 12; cp. Jn. 20:2-10)

Appearance On The Road To Emmaus (24:13-35)

- 4) Who is described in v. 13? (cp. v. 18a) What were they discussing? (v. 14) What happened during their conversation? (vv. 15-16)
- 5) What did Jesus ask them? (v. 17) How did they respond? (vv. 18b-24)

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- 6) How did Jesus reply to this? (vv. 25-27)

- 7) What happened when they arrived in Emmaus? (vv. 28-29) What events are recorded in vv. 30-31? What impact did this have on these 2 disciples? (v. 32) What did they do? (vv. 33-35)

Appearance In Jerusalem (24:36-49)

- 8) What happened while these 2 disciples related their experience? (v. 36) How did the apostles react? (v. 37) How did Jesus calm them? (vv. 38-43)

- 9) Besides proving He was there in the flesh, what else did Jesus want to prove to the disciples? (vv. 44-46) How did Jesus connect what He just said to the responsibilities of His apostles? (vv. 47-49)

- 10) Thought question: how is v. 49 a verse that connects *The Two Treatises*?

The Ascension (24:50-53)

- 11) Where did Jesus and the 11 apostles go? (v. 50a; cp. Acts 1:12) What did Jesus do? (v. 50b)

- 12) While this was taking place, what happened? (v. 51; cp. Acts 1:9; Mk. 16:19)

- 13) What did the 11 apostles do? (vv. 52-53; cp. v. 49; Acts 1:4-5, 8)