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He Is Risen

Chapter Summary

Before dawn, the women come with spices, the earth shakes, angels declare, “He is not here,” and an empty tomb invites them to “come and see.” The guards stagger, a stone sits moved, and folded linens whisper order not theft. Fear and joy run together as the first witnesses carry news the world has never heard.

By midday the cover story is purchased, but heaven is already writing the true one. Mary meets the Gardener and hears her name; hearts burn on the Emmaus road as Scripture opens; then, behind locked doors, the risen Jesus stands and speaks peace. A week later Thomas touches wounds and worships—doubt becomes confession, and witnesses are born.

Main Truth: The risen King makes witnesses.

Jesus’ resurrection turns fear into courage, questions into burning hearts, and private grief into public proclamation. He meets people where they are—at a tomb, on a road, in a locked room—and opens eyes by Scripture, presence, and peace. The same Lord sends us: not with perfect certainty first, but with His voice, scars, and Spirit shaping bold, ordinary witness.

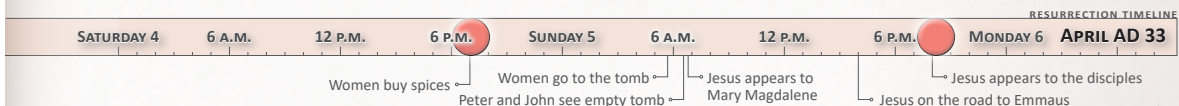
Week 28 Recap

- 1 What was something new you learned last week?
- 2 What stood out the most from last week’s study?
- 3 Did you do anything as a result of what you have learned?

Key Scripture

Luke 24:6–7

“He is not here, but has risen... the Son of Man must be delivered into the hands of sinful men and be crucified and on the third day rise.”



Day 1 Truth

Empty tomb, living word.

Day 1 Scripture

Matthew 28:6

"He is not here, for he has risen, as he said."

Day 1 Prayer

Risen Lord, move me from staring at stones to trusting Your word; send me to tell what I have seen of Your faithfulness.

Day 1 – Stone Rolled, Hearts Stirred

Chapter 29:1–13

1. What details (earthquake, angel, folded linens) challenge the "theft" theory?
2. How does "come and see... go quickly and tell" outline gospel rhythm?
3. Where do Scripture promises (third-day rising) surface in this scene?
4. What step moves you from anxious looking to obedient going today?

Day 2 Truth

Truth outlives spin.

Day 2 Scripture

Proverbs 12:19

"Truthful lips endure forever, but a lying tongue is but for a moment."

Day 2 Prayer

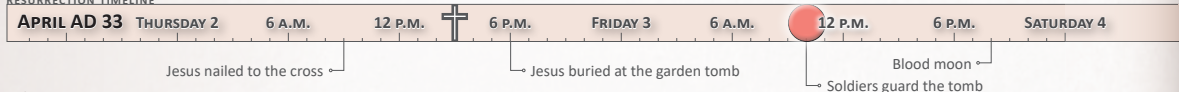
God of truth, keep my heart clean and my speech straight; make me brave when honesty costs and steadfast when rumors swirl.

Day 2 – A Purchased Lie

Chapter 29:14–18

5. What does the bribed report reveal about power protecting itself?
6. How does truth still advance even when opposed by spin?
7. Where have you seen God turn enemies' plans into confirmations?
8. What practice will help you prize integrity over convenience this week?

RESURRECTION TIMELINE





The Jesus Bible Study

Day 3 – “Mary.” “Rabbuni.”

Chapter 29:19–30

9. What changes when Jesus calls Mary by name?
10. Why does He redirect from clinging to “go to my brothers”?
11. How do “my Father and your Father” and “my God and your God” deepen adoption?
12. Who needs you to carry a simple, personal witness today?

Day 3 Truth

Known by name, sent in love.

Day 3 Scripture

John 20:16–17

“Jesus said to her, ‘Mary’...
‘Go to my brothers...’”

Day 3 Prayer

*Shepherd King, speak my name
again; loosen my grip on
yesterday and send me to my
brothers and sisters with hope.*

Day 4 – The Emmaus Fire

Chapter 29:30–38

13. What makes hearts burn—information, presence, or both?
14. How does Jesus read “Moses, Prophets, and Psalms” as one story?
15. Where have you missed Him beside you because expectations blinded you?
16. What habit will keep you at the table where your eyes open again?

Day 4 Truth

Scripture ignites recognition.

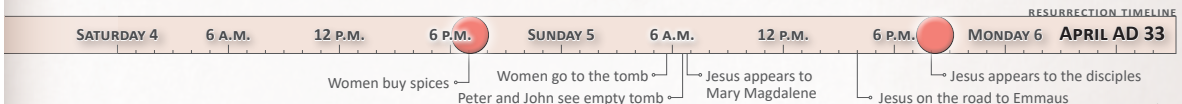
Day 4 Scripture

Luke 24:32

“Did not our hearts burn
within us... while he opened to
us the Scriptures?”

Day 4 Prayer

*Word made flesh, open my mind;
set my heart aflame so I
recognise You in the text and on
the road.*



Day 5 Truth*Peace, proof, and purpose.***Day 5 Scripture**

Luke 24:39

*"See my hands and my feet, that it is I myself."***Day 5 Prayer***Jesus, breathe Your peace into my fears; let Your wounds steady my faith and Your commission shape my week.***Day 5 – Peace in a Locked Room**

Chapter 29:39–46

17. Why does the risen Jesus show wounds and eat food?
18. How do peace, proof, and Scripture open the disciples' minds and mouths?
19. Where is fear locking your doors, and what word from Jesus unlocks them?
20. Who are the first people you're called to tell, starting "in Jerusalem" for you?

Day 6 Truth*Blessed are those who believe.***Day 6 Scripture**

John 20:29

*"Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed."***Day 6 Prayer***Lord and God, meet my honest doubts with mercy; form in me a resilient trust that becomes gentle, confident witness.***Day 6 – From Doubt to "My Lord and My God"**

Chapter 29:47–53

21. What does Thomas get right—and wrong—about believing?
22. How do Jesus' scars become a mercy for skeptics?
23. Where is Jesus inviting you to trust without seeing yet?
24. If our church lived resurrection confidence, what would change first?

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