

On the Road to Emmaus- Luke 24:13-35

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I. The disheartened disciples withdraw to Emmaus.

A. The disciples discuss the events of the Resurrection. (vv. 13-14)

B. Jesus joins their Discussion. (vv. 15-16)

C. The disciples explain their dismay. (Vv. 17-24)

1. The disciples lost faith when God didn't do what they expected.

"Until your soul has a thirst for Christ as the bread of life and the living water, you will use Christ for what your soul thirsts after." -John Piper

2. The disciples couldn't fathom a God who allows suffering. (2 Tim. 2:12; Rom. 8:17)

"Sometimes Christ calms the storm. And sometimes he lets the storm rage and calms his child." -Matt Smethurst

II. Jesus rebukes and Reveals Himself to the Disciples. (vv. 25-31)

A. Jesus criticizes them for their unbelief. (vv. 25-26)

B. Jesus explains the Old Testament foreshadowing of Himself. (v. 27)

C. The disciples invite Jesus to stay with them. (vv. 28-30)

D. Jesus reveals Himself and disappears. (vv. 31)

III. The Transformation of the disciples. (vv. 32-35)

A. Transformation of their sight-- perception. (v. 31)

B. Transformation of their speech-- comprehension. (v. 32)

C. Transformation of their stand for Christ-- action. (v. 33-35)

"Teach us, good Lord, to serve thee as thou deservest; to give and not count the cost; to fight and not to heed the wounds; to toil and not to ask for rest; to labour and not to ask for any reward save knowing that we do thy will. Through Jesus Christ our Lord."

-Ignatius Loyola