The Heart of the Matter

12. Where is the place where Jesus surprised you recently?

13. How well do you think you can explain the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ, and the way a person can have a relationship with Him?

14. What is the closest you have come to "throwing in the towel" spiritually? What helped you the most to hold onto your faith?

15. What helps you recognize that Jesus is with you when you are down? How would you describe your relationship with Christ right now?

Praises and Prayer Requests:



Life Group Study Guide

The Glory in the Resurrection Luke 24:13-35 For the Week of April 9, 2023

Getting Started

1. What insight, principle, or observation from this weekend's message did you find to be the most helpful, eye-opening, or troubling?

2. If you were laid off from work today or your job was terminated, where would you go to get yourself together?

3. When was a time where you didn't really know who you were talking to? What was the outcome?



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Digging Deeper

4. What do you think caused these two disciples to leave town? Fear? Disillusionment? Overload? Loneliness? Despair?

8. In verse 29 why did the two disciples urge Jesus to stay with them that evening?

5. This event took place 3 days after the crucifixion. Why didn't they recognize Jesus?

9. What opened the eyes of these two disciples? Why did the two disciples want to return to Jerusalem?

6. In verses 19-24, what are the two disciples talking about as they walk? What was their tone of voice? What hopes have been dashed? What plans might they be making?

10.What has happened to the other disciples in Jerusalem that has caused them to change their minds from verse 11 about Jesus's resurrection? Why was there a special appearance to Simon Peter?

7. From your knowledge of Old Testament prophecy, what passages might Jesus have discussed with them in verses 25-27? Why did Jesus do a roundabout Bible study rather than just reveal his identity immediately and directly?

11. What is the most meaningful dynamic of this passage for you?