

Sermon Title: A Conversation with the Resurrected Jesus on the Road

Sermon Text: Luke 24:13-25

Sermon Purpose: To call the hearer to a reality of the necessity of Holy Spirit illumination for true faith to become convictions.

Sermon Proposition: There are 4 scenes provided in Jesus conversation with His disciples on the Emmaus Road.

- I. The first scene: The Disciples did not all agree about the resurrection. Vv.13-14**
- II. The second scene: The ignorance of human intelligence when viewing divine situations. Vv.15-27**
- III. The third scene: The necessity of divine illumination in order for beliefs to become convictions. Vv.28-32**
- IV. The fourth scene: The truth that burns in the heart and soul must be shared with others. Vv.33-35**

- I. The first scene: The Disciples did not all agree about the resurrection. Vv.13-14**

One of the two disciples traveling from Jerusalem to Emmaus the Sunday after the resurrection; one was named Cleopas (**v.18**). He was most likely the husband of one of the women at the cross watching Jesus. (**John 19:25**) They very likely had heard about the reports from the women, who had visited the tomb and Peter's experience at the empty tomb of Jesus (**Luke 24:19-24**) before leaving Jerusalem.

1 Corinthians 15:3-8

- II. The second scene: The ignorance of human intelligence when viewing divine situations. Vv.15-27**

The two men were disagreeing (Gksuzeteo; "to argue, question") about what happened implies there was not agreement among the disciples of Jesus about what happened.

A. Reciting the facts does not equal belief with conviction. Vv.19-20

B. Knowledge of the facts does not equal belief with conviction. Vv.21-22

- III. The third scene: The necessity of divine illumination in order for beliefs to become convictions. Vv.28-32**

A. Divine illumination must accompany all the facts in order for belief to become convictions. Vv.28-31

B. Divine illumination will always burn the truth of God's Word into the soul of the hearer. V.32

During the meal, Jesus blessed the meal and broke the bread. The two disciples recognized Jesus at this point, yet Jesus disappeared. Their first thought was to remember the things He had taught them as they traveled along the road to Emmaus. Their hearts and souls were set on fire, and they had to go share with others.

- IV. The fourth scene: The truth that burns in the heart and soul must be shared with others. Vv.33-35**

v.36-49

1 Corinthians 15:12-19