





8. Finding Hope


Luke chapter 24 verses 13 to 19 and 27 to 35

That same day two of **Jesus'** followers were going  to a town named **EMMAUS**, about seven miles from **Jerusalem**. They were talking about everything that had happened. While they were talking and discussing, **Jesus** himself came near and began walking  with them, but they were kept from recognizing him. Then he said, "What are these things you are talking about while you walk?" 



The two followers stopped, looking very sad. The one named Cleopas answered, "Are you the only visitor in **Jerusalem** who does not know what just happened  there?"


Jesus said to them, "What are you talking about?"

They said, "About **Jesus** of **Nazareth**" 

Jesus began to explain everything that had been written about himself in the Scriptures. 

They came near the town of **EMMAUS**, and **Jesus** acted as if he were going farther. But they begged him, "Stay with us, because it is late; it is almost night." So he went in to stay with them.

When **Jesus** was at the table with them, he took some bread,  gave thanks, divided it, and gave it to them. And then, they were allowed to recognise **Jesus**. But when they saw who he was, he disappeared. They said to each other, "It felt like a fire burning in us when **Jesus** talked to us on the road and explained the Scriptures  to us."

So the two followers got up at once and went back to **Jerusalem**.  There they found the eleven apostles and others gathered. They were saying, "The **LORD** really has risen from the dead! He showed himself to Simon."

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I think Jesus' friends must have been feeling pretty hopeless. What a surprise it must have been to realise he was alive. Remember when I felt hopeless about making new friends? Then Jack turned up. I've been thinking about those early days, and I've realised Jesus was the friend who was there all the time. I didn't need to feel hopeless. People all over the world today find hope from knowing Jesus.

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LORD
KING OF KINGS
HOPE
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Extras

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