



COMMUNITY GROUP STUDY GUIDE

For the week of March 31, 2024

My Story

1. How do you describe your job to a three-year-old?

Quick Review

Looking back at your notes from this week's teaching, was there anything you heard for the first time or something that caught your attention, challenged or confused you?

Digging Deeper

Read Luke 23:32-43

1. Sunday we talked about 5 lines of evidence for the resurrection. Which one is most powerful to you and why?

The Empty Tomb / Female Eyewitness Accounts / James, the brother of Jesus, believes / 500+ eyewitnesses / The actions of the disciples

2. Read 1 Corinthians 15:12-23.

1 Corinthians 15:12–23 (CSB)

12 Now if Christ is proclaimed as raised from the dead, how can some of you say, "There is no resurrection of the dead"? 13 If there is no resurrection of the dead, then not even Christ has been raised; 14 and if Christ has not been raised, then our proclamation is in vain, and so is your faith. 15 Moreover, we are found to be false witnesses about God, because we have testified wrongly about God that he raised up Christ—whom he did not raise up, if in fact the dead are not raised. 16 For if the dead are not raised, not even Christ has been raised. 17 And if Christ has not been raised, your faith is worthless; you are still in your sins. 18 Those, then, who have fallen asleep in Christ have also perished. 19 If we have put our hope in Christ for this life only, we should be pitied more than anyone. 20 But as it is, Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep. 21 For since death came through a man, the resurrection of the dead also comes through a man. 22 For just as in Adam all die, so also in Christ all will be made alive. 23 But each in his own order: Christ, the first fruits; afterward, at his coming, those who belong to Christ.

- What do v22-23 say the future hold for those who belong to Christ?
- Why isn't the resurrection of the dead talked about more in church today?
- Why does Paul say our faith is worthless if Christ is not raised?
- What evidence do believers have that causes to believe in the resurrection of the dead?
- What hope do these verses of 1 Corinthians 15 give you in your own life?
- Who do you know who needs the hope of Christ? How can you share that hope with them?

Prayer Requests

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