

Jesus Should Be No Stranger: Lessons from the Emmaus Road

(Luke 24:13-35)

<p>¹³ Now behold, two of them were traveling that same day to a village called Emmaus, which was seven miles from Jerusalem. ¹⁴ And they talked together of all these things which had happened.</p>	<p>1. Two Men Were Walking</p> <p>a. <i>On Resurrection Day</i></p> <p>b. <i>Into a village named Emmaus</i></p> <p>c. <i>Conversing about recent events</i></p>
<p>¹⁵ So it was, while they conversed and reasoned, that Jesus Himself drew near and went with them. ¹⁶ But their eyes were restrained, so that they did not know Him.</p>	<p>2. Jesus Joins the Two Men</p> <p>a. <i>Their activity</i></p> <p>b. <i>His walking along</i></p> <p>c. <i>Their awareness</i></p>
<p>¹⁷ And He said to them, "What kind of conversation is this that you have with one another as you walk and are sad?" ¹⁸ Then the one whose name was Cleopas answered and said to Him, "Are You the only stranger in Jerusalem, and have You not known the things which happened there in these days?"</p>	<p>3. Jesus Poses Question #1</p> <p>a. <i>Question #1</i></p> <p>b. <i>They Stop</i></p> <p>c. <i>Their Answer</i></p>
<p>¹⁹ And He said to them, "What things?" So they said to Him, "The things concerning Jesus of Nazareth, who was a Prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people,²⁰ and how the chief priests and our rulers delivered Him to be condemned to death, and crucified Him.</p>	<p>4. Jesus Poses Question #2</p> <p>a. <i>They review Jesus</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>They cite Jesus' past</i> • <i>They cite Jesus' trial</i> • <i>They cite Jesus' death</i>
<p>²¹ "But we were hoping that it was He who was going to redeem Israel. Indeed, besides all this, today is the third day since these things happened. ²² "Yes, and certain women of our company, who arrived at the tomb early, astonished us. ²³ "When they did not find His body, they came saying that they had also seen a vision of angels who said He was alive. ²⁴ "And certain of those who were with us went to the tomb and found it just as the women had said; but Him they did not see."</p>	<p>b. <i>They review their broken hope</i></p> <p>c. <i>They review the number of days</i></p> <p>d. <i>They review the reports</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Of the women</i> • <i>Of Peter & John</i>
<p>²⁵ Then He said to them, "O foolish ones, and slow of heart to believe in all that the prophets have spoken! ²⁶ "Ought not the Christ to have suffered these things and to enter into His glory?"</p>	<p>5. Jesus Responds to Them</p> <p>a. <i>His rebuke</i></p> <p>b. <i>His reason</i></p> <p>c. <i>His summary</i></p>
<p>L1: God intends us to _____ the Old Testament prophets.</p> <p>L2: The Old Testament prophets clearly indicate Jesus' _____.</p>	

<p>²⁷ And beginning at Moses and all the Prophets, He expounded to them in all the Scriptures the things concerning Himself.</p>	<p>6. Jesus Explains the OT</p> <p>a. <i>From Moses</i></p> <p>b. <i>From all the prophets</i></p> <p>c. <i>He interpreted to them</i></p> <p>d. <i>The writings</i></p> <p>e. <i>The Subject</i></p>
<p>L3: The entire Old Testament is meant to be _____ and studied.</p> <p>L4: The Bible requires explanation and _____.</p> <p>L5: The entire Old Testament relates to or points to _____ in some way.</p>	
<p>²⁸ Then they drew near to the village where they were going, and He indicated that He would have gone farther. ²⁹ But they constrained Him, saying, "Abide with us, for it is toward evening, and the day is far spent." And He went in to stay with them.</p>	<p>7. They End Their Journey</p> <p>a. <i>Near the village</i></p> <p>b. <i>Jesus made to continue</i></p> <p>c. <i>They urge Him to stay</i></p> <p>d. <i>Jesus remains with them</i></p>
<p>³⁰ Now it came to pass, as He sat at the table with them, that He took bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to them. ³¹ Then their eyes were opened and they knew Him; and He vanished from their sight.</p>	<p>8. The Men Recognize Jesus</p> <p>a. <i>They recline to eat</i></p> <p>b. <i>Jesus takes the bread</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>He blesses the bread</i> • <i>He breaks the bread</i> • <i>He distributes the bread</i> <p>c. <i>Their eyes were opened</i></p> <p>d. <i>Jesus disappears</i></p>
<p>³² And they said to one another, "Did not our heart burn within us while He talked with us on the road, and while He opened the Scriptures to us?"</p>	<p>9. The Men Review</p> <p>a. <i>Their feeling</i></p> <p>b. <i>His speaking</i></p> <p>c. <i>His teaching</i></p>
<p>³³ So they rose up that very hour and returned to Jerusalem, and found the eleven and those who were with them gathered together,</p>	<p>10. The Men Depart</p> <p>a. <i>Return to Jerusalem</i></p> <p>b. <i>Found the 11+</i></p>
<p>³⁴ saying, "The Lord is risen indeed, and has appeared to Simon!"</p>	<p>11. The 11 Share Their News</p> <p>a. <i>Jesus has been raised</i></p> <p>b. <i>He appeared to Peter</i></p>
<p>³⁵ And they told about the things that had happened on the road, and how He was known to them in the breaking of bread.</p>	<p>12. The Two Share Their Experiences</p> <p>a. <i>Jesus' teaching</i></p> <p>b. <i>Jesus' bread-breaking</i></p>
<p>L6: Though slow to believe, Jesus' disciples _____ His resurrection.</p>	