



STUDY NOTES – APRIL 21, 2019

Sermon Series: “*Hope Rising*”

Pastor Kris preaches from the *English Standard Version (ESV)*.

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Luke 24

1. Hope rises out of disappointment. (Vs. 17-21)

Luke 24:17–21 (ESV) — **17** And he said to them, “What is this conversation that you are holding with each other as you walk?” And they stood still, looking sad. **18** Then one of them, named Cleopas, answered him, “Are you the only visitor to Jerusalem who does not know the things that have happened there in these days?” **19** And he said to them, “What things?” And they said to him, “Concerning Jesus of Nazareth, a man who was a prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people, **20** and how our chief priests and rulers delivered him up to be condemned to death, and crucified him. **21** But we had hoped that he was the one to redeem Israel. Yes, and besides all this, it is now the third day since these things happened.

- Life lesson: Allow God to use your disappointment as a catalyst for a new perspective.

2. Hope rises out of confusion. (Vs. 22-24)

Luke 24:22–24 (ESV) — **22** Moreover, some women of our company amazed us. They were at the tomb early in the morning, **23** and when they did not find his body, they came back saying that they had even seen a vision of angels, who said that he was alive. **24** Some 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.”

- Life lesson: Ask God to clear away your confusion.

3. Hope rises through the Word of God. (Vs. 25-27, 32-35)

Luke 24:25–27 (ESV) — **25** And he said to them, “O foolish ones, and slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have spoken! **26** Was it not necessary that the Christ should suffer these things and enter into his glory?” **27** And beginning with Moses and all the Prophets, he interpreted to them in all the Scriptures the things concerning himself.

Luke 24:32–35 (ESV) — **32** They said to each other, “Did not our hearts burn within us while he talked to us on the road, while he opened to us the Scriptures?” **33** And they rose that same hour and returned to Jerusalem. And they found the eleven and those who were with them gathered together, **34** saying, “The Lord has risen indeed, and

has appeared to Simon!” **35** Then they told what had happened on the road, and how he was known to them in the breaking of the bread.

- Life lesson: understand that the Bible answers all the key questions of life.

S.A.L.T. Group questions

- Have someone read Sunday’s passage: Luke 24:17-35
 - What truths stand out to you?
- 1. Share a time where you were disappointed.
 - Did you later discover that God was working in the midst of your disappointment?
 - What did he teach you?
- 2. Why is confusion so frustrating?
 - What are some ways that the world attempts to remove confusion?
 - What are some ways that God removes confusion?
- 3. What are some questions you’ve had that you found the answers in the Bible?
 - What questions do you have now that you have not yet found the answers in the Bible?
 - What are some ways that you can share the Bible’s answers with unbelieving friends and family?

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Prayer for salvation

“Lord Jesus, I need You. Thank You for dying on the cross for my sins. I open the door of my life and receive You as my Savior and Lord. Thank You for forgiving my sins and giving me eternal life. Take control of the throne of my life. Make me the kind of person You want me to be.”

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