

LEARNING WITH LUKE 24:44-49 "TIME TO PROCLAIM" P. 1052 ESV PEW BIBLE

Luke 24:44-49 - Then He said to them, "These are My words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about Me in the Law of Moses and the Prophets and the Psalms must be fulfilled." Then He opened their minds to understand the Scriptures, and said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead, and that repentance for the forgiveness of sins should be proclaimed in His name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things. And behold, I am sending the promise of My Father upon you. But stay in the city until you are clothed with power from on high."

The risen Christ expounded the Scriptures to the disciples so that they would base their understanding of the resurrection squarely on the Word of God, and not on their own experience. -RK Hughes

1- JESUS' WORDS - "spoken to you"

Luke 24:44 - My words
Luke 24:25-27, 32, 35 - scriptures
1Peter 1:10-11 - Spirit of Christ

All of the Hebrew Bible bears witness to Jesus. -Leon Morris

2- THE SCRIPTURES - "opened minds"

Luke 24:45 - the word of Christ
Luke 5:35, 9:21-22, 43-45, 12:50,
13:31-33, 17:25, 18:31-34 - foretold

Holy Scriptures are illumined by the Holy Spirit. -RK Hughes

3- IT IS WRITTEN - "the Scriptures"

Luke 24:46-47 - Old Testament
1Corinthians 15:1-7 - accordance
Ex 12, Isa 53, Ps 16, 22, John 5:39-40, 2Cor 1:20

Apostolic preaching of the gospel was always framed by the rich background of Old Testament exposition, as the messengers were empowered by the Holy Spirit who was pleased to do His work of regeneration. -RK Hughes

4- REPENTANCE - "for forgiveness"

Luke 24:47 - proclaimed
John 20:19-23, 29, 30-31 - believe
Acts 2:38, 3:19, 5:31, 8:22, 11:18, 17:30, 20:21, 26:20
Rom 2:4, 2Cor 7:10, 2Tim 2:25, Heb 6:1,6, 2Pet 3:9 - repent
Lk 5:32, 10:13, 11:32, 13:3,5, 15:7,10, 16:30, Mt 3:2, 4:17, 11:20, Mk 1:15, 6:12

In the gospel proclamation, those who repent and believe in Jesus will find forgiveness of sins, while those who reject the message will fail to do so and will retain their guilt. -AJ Kostenberger

5- TO ALL PEOPLES - "you are My witnesses"

Luke 24:48-49 - clothed with power
Matthew 28:16-20 - make disciples
Mark 16:14-18 - proclaim the gospel
Joel 2:23-32, Isa 32:15, 44:3,8 - power
Col 1:6,23, 1Peter 1:8-12 - preached to you

True disciples of Christ must testify to the truth of our Master's gospel, the graciousness of His heart, the excellence of His commands, the enormous danger & wickedness of the ways of the world, whether or not we are believed. -JC Ryle

6- WITH POWER - "from on high"

Luke 24:48-49 - Holy Spirit
Luke 1:14-17, 3:15-18 - power
Acts 1:4-8, 2:1-11, 16-21, 37-41, 2Cor 3:12-18, 1Thess 1:2-10

The Holy Spirit continues to bless His people with understanding of His Word & power to be His witnesses. -RC Sproul

DAILY BIBLE READING ENGAGE~WORD~CHURCH~COMMUNITY~WORLD

- 5-08 **Luke 24:13-35** - opened to us
- 5-09 **Luke 24:44-49** - be proclaimed
- 5-10 **Luke 9:18-27** - Son of Man
- 5-11 **John 5:36-47** - bear witness
- 5-12 **1Peter 1:1-13** - Spirit of Christ
- 5-13 **1Thess 5:2-10** - with power
- 5-14 **Matt 28:16-20** - all authority

The Spirit of God works the Word of God so the people of God become like the Son of God

♦ How will I be **transformed**, by God's truth, in the Spirit's power, as I trust & obey?

<p>Eleven Appearances of the Risen Christ - over 40 days</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mary Magdalene - Mark 16:9-11, John 20:11-18 - women returning from the tomb - Matt 28:9,10 - to Simon Peter - Luke 24:34, 1Corinthians 15:5 - two Emmaus disciples - Mark 16:12-13, Luke 24:13-35 - the apostles in Jerusalem - Luke 24: 36-43, John 20:19 - 11 apostles, w.Thomas - Mk 16:14, Jn 20:26-29, 1Cor15:5 - to seven at the Sea of Galilee - John 21:1-25 - to the 11 on a mountain in Galilee - Matt 28:16-20 - more than 500 at once - 1Corinthians 15:6 - to James - 1Corinthians 15:7 at His ascension - the apostles on Olivet - Lk 24:51, Acts 1:3-11, 1Cor15:7 ^
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