Doubt Becomes Faith

John 20:24-29 / 21 April 2019 / Easter 2019: Life and Power in John

**The Unbelievable Truth (24-25)**

* Failure to believe the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ word

*1 Timothy 3:15; 1 Thessalonians 2:13*

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*John 2:19-22; Matthew 12:39-40, 16:21, 27:62-64*

**The Undeniable Truth (26-28)**

* The risen Lord’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*Luke 24:31, 51*

* The risen Lord’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*Luke 7:13; Hebrews 2:17, 4:15*

* The risen Lord’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*Revelation 3:5, 11, 21*

* The risen Lord’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*Hebrews 1:6; Matthew 14:33, 28:9, 17*

**The Undefeatable Truth (29)**

* Faith believes without \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*2 Corinthians 4:18, 5:7; Romans 8:24; Hebrews 11:1*

* Faith believes with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*Acts 17:17, 23; 1 Peter 3:15*

* + Christianity started in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*Acts 2:14, 4:16, 5:28*

* + Christianity started with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*Matthew 28:11-15; John 20:1-10*

* + Christianity started with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*Acts 12:2; John 21:18-19*

**God’s Word for Us Today**

Jesus calls us to believe his resurrection and worship him as Lord and God.

**A Sample Prayer of Faith**

God, I realize that I have betrayed you by my words and actions and thoughts, by the wrong things I have done and by the right things I have failed to do. I have not loved you with my whole heart. I have not loved my neighbor as myself. I have sinned against you and deserve only the penalty your law requires: eternal death in your holy wrath. I believe that Jesus died to save his people, taking their wrath upon himself on the cross. My only hope for eternal life is in him. I believe that he has done everything to save his people. There is nothing I can do to earn it. You call me to believe. I believe. Jesus is my Lord and my God, raised from the dead because his finished work was enough. I want to know You as Father. I want to spend the rest of my days learning from Jesus how to truly live. Please forgive me, and receive me in His name. Amen.