

“Why am I not excited about the resurrection of Jesus?”
(Luke 24:13-35)

Introduction:

Is the resurrection of Jesus exciting?

→ It is, and it should be exciting! But some people are not excited. Why?

Passage: Road to Emmaus (Luke 24:13-25)

- Emmaus: village about 7 miles (11 kilometers) from Jerusalem
- After Jesus was resurrected, two men were walking to Emmaus, and they were sad.
- But they eventually got really excited!

1. We cannot get truly excited if we accept God on our terms.

The two men wanted Jesus to set Israel free.

→ But they wanted Jesus to set Israel free on their terms! (v.19-21)

→ Am I coming to Jesus on my terms, or on His terms today?

2. We can get truly excited when we accept God on His terms.

What made the two men on the road so excited?

What did Jesus talk about?

→ Jesus talked about what the Bible says about Him! (v.27, 32)

What does the Bible say to us about the Easter event?

- Jesus really died for our sins!
- Jesus really rose again!

3. We can get truly excited, especially when we encounter resurrected Jesus.

→ Have you encounter resurrected Jesus?