

**“LONG LIVE THE KING: JUST AS HE TOLD YOU!”**

**Mark 16:1-8**

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**I. Jesus told them He would rise again. Did the disciples believe Him?**  
(vv. 1-6)

*“When the Sabbath was past ... bought spices, so they might go anoint Him.”*

*“Who will roll away the stone for us...?”*

*“they saw that the stone have been rolled back- it was very large.”*

*“Don’t be alarmed. ... He has risen; He is not here.”*

**Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ from the dead, just as He told you!**

**Romans 1:4**

**1 Corinthians 15:14-15**

*“For the lively assurance of our reconciliation with God arises from Christ having come from hell as the conqueror of death, in order to show that he had the power of a new life at his disposal.”*

-John Calvin

*“History can declare only that Jesus’ body disappeared, but this baffling fact fails to communicate the gospel. The event of Jesus’ resurrection is open to understanding only through a word of revelation received in faith.”*

-William Lane

**II. Did Jesus tell them anything else? (vv. 7-8)**

*“But go, tell his disciples and Peter”*

*“he is going before you to Galilee. ... just as he told you.”*

**Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ fallen disciples, just as He told you!**

**Romans 4:23-25**

**1 Corinthians 5:1-2**

**2 Corinthians 2:5-11**

**Galatians 6:1-2**

*“The failure of the women, like the failure of the disciples earlier, serves as a positive challenge to the readers to respond with faith- and implicit call to discipleship.”* -Mark Strauss

*“The memory of having fallen short in the past can hang like a black cloud over one’s present purposes and in effect program one to fail again.”* -J.I. Packer

**III. What will you do with this? (vv. 8)**

*“fled from the tomb, for trembling and astonishment had seized them.”*

*“just as He told you”*

*“my grace is sufficient for you”.*

**Trust Jesus will \_\_\_\_\_ just as He told you!**

**Lamentations 3:22-25**

**John 14:1-3**

**2 Corinthians 1:19-20; 12:7-10**

**James 5:13-16**

*“We will not know the power of grace until we feel the power of the testing. We must be tried, to realize the glory of being preserved.”* -John Owen

*“We need to be aware of our limitations and to let this awareness work in us humilily and self-distrust, and a realization of our helplessness on our own.”*

-J.I. Packer

**BIG IDEA: Jesus is \_\_\_\_\_ to His \_\_\_\_\_, period.**

**Digging Deeper:**

1. Why do you believe/not believe in the resurrection of Jesus?
2. How has your life changed because you believe in the resurrection of Jesus?
3. When are you tempted to run from instead of to Jesus?
4. Have you struggled with sinners being restored? When?
5. What sin, sickness or suffering do you need to trust Jesus with as He told you?