## Study 19 - Luke 23:50-24:53

## Read 23:50-24:12

- 1. What do we know about Joseph? Why are his actions remarkable?
- 2. Muslims teach that the Jewish authorities mistakenly thought they had killed Jesus, but they actually failed. How would you answer this claim from 23:50-56?
- 3. List all the reasons Luke gives us in this section to assure us that the resurrection really happened.
- 4. Why is it important that Jesus rose from the dead (two reasons are hinted at here).

## Read 24:13-53

- 5. As Jesus meets up with his followers, what further proof does he give them that he really has risen from the dead?
- 6. Why are the two men on the road to Emmaus downcast? What were their expectations of Jesus? Were they wrong?

7.	Why do you think they were unable to recognise Jesus?
8.	Jesus gives another reason for them feeling the way they do – what is it (v25)? How are we sometimes affected by the same problem?
9.	What is Jesus' approach to explaining what has happened? How does God expects us to find assurance and hope in a similar way?
10.	What are the big milestones on the roadmap of God's salvation plans, according to Jesus (see v26 & v44-49)?
11.	How does God equip us for the part we play in this plan? Why is it necessary that he does?
12.	If Jesus' death and resurrection was unexpected, his ascension was even more unexpected. Why was it necessary that he leave?
13.	As you reflect back over the gospel of Luke, what parts have impacted you the most? How has God grown you through his word?
14.	How has your love for the Lord Jesus Christ increased as you've spent time in this book?