

**Title:** Death Defeated

**Subtitle:** The Resurrection Message

**Text:** Luke 24:44-49

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**Subject Matter:** Evangelism. Resurrection. The Gospel.

1. Keep \_\_\_\_\_ (vv.44-45)

2. Don't \_\_\_\_\_ (vv.46-47)

3. Trust \_\_\_\_\_ (vv.48-49)

## Luke 24

**44** 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." **45** Then he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures, **46** and said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead, **47** and that repentance for the forgiveness of sins should be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. **48** You are witnesses of these things. **49** 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."

## APPLICATION QUESTIONS

1. Read **Isaiah 55:10-11** and **Jeremiah 23:28-29**. How do these passages speak to the importance of making sure we are faithful to relay God's words and not our own – especially in evangelism?
2. Read **2 Corinthians 5:18-20** and **1 Thessalonians 2:13**. How should the analogy of being an “ambassador” help motivate us to remain faithful in relaying an accurate gospel to our generation?
3. Read **2 Corinthians 5:21**. How does Christ's cross keep information about “sin” central in relaying the message of salvation? Why are Christians so averse to talking about the problem of sin?
4. Read **1 Thessalonians 1:4-5** and **Romans 1:16**. Why is being mindful of the Spirit's work to convict and transform lives so important in evangelism?