

Mark 16:1-11

“The Empty Tomb that Fills our Hearts with Hope”

How will you respond to the Empty Tomb?

1. V1-6 The Details of the Empty Tomb

- i. ***Eyewitness Testimony confirms that:***
Jesus died and was buried for three days. The stone was rolled away by angels, the tomb was empty, the linen cloths remained, the angels proclaimed that He was Alive and he appeared to over five hundred people.
- ii. ***When we are in despair and seasons of Hopelessness may we go back to the “details of the empty tomb” (Jesus is Alive Forevermore)***

2. V7-11 The Demands of the Empty Tomb

- I. The Empty Tomb Requires a Response (The women believed and shared with others but some of the disciples doubted demanded more evidence)
- II. **Without the empty tomb our hope, faith and lives are in vain, and we are still in our sins** (1 Cor. 15:14-20)
- III. God’s Promises are confirmed in the Empty Tomb (We need to REMEMBER and Trust God’s Promises)

3. What does Christ Resurrection and Ascension Mean for Me?

- i. *God’s **Promises** are True, **Jesus** is who He says He is, You are **Justified and Forgiven**, You have **Power** to live a **Holy life** and You have a **Future Resurrection** alongside other believers.*