

TO HELP US STUDY

1. What town were the two disciples going to? _____
2. What were they doing while they walked down the road? _____

3. Who came to walk with them? _____
4. Did they recognize him? _____ Why? _____
5. When Jesus asked them what they were talking about, who answered him? _____
6. How many days had it been since Jesus' death? _____
7. According to Cleopas, what had happened earlier that same morning? _____

8. What did Jesus explain to them as they walked along? _____

9. When did the men recognize Jesus? _____

10. Where did Jesus go then? _____ Where did the men go? _____

11. Did the eleven disciples believe what these two men told them? _____

TO HELP US REMEMBER: *Young ones*—Luke 24:26, "Did not the Christ have to suffer these things?"

Older ones—Luke 24:25-26

TO CHALLENGE TEEN THOUGHT

Jesus explained the teachings of Moses and the prophets about himself. What did the Old Testament writers have to say about Jesus' death and his resurrection? List at least eight Old Testament verses on this subject and briefly summarize their teaching.

TIPS FOR TEACHING PARENTS

In the Arizona highlands the survivor of a plane crash set out for help. In dense forests and falling snow he walked for three days before he finally collapsed—only 200 yards from the wrecked airplane. He had walked in a circle.

Our teaching is sometimes like this. We expend zealous, valiant efforts and yet seem to accomplish little. Our progress or accomplishments in home study seem so slight that they are frustrating. Why is it this way? One major cause may be our lack of a definite, clear-cut goal in our teaching. If the downed flier had fixed on one point and walked toward it, he would have gone somewhere. So we must know where we are going if our teaching is to take us anywhere.

Each lesson's aim must be set before teaching begins. For example, this lesson is calculated to teach our children to believe, just as the early disciples learned to believe in our Lord's resurrection. Behind all the lessons, however, is a more basic goal—to develop the character of Christ in every member of our families. If our study does not bring us toward this goal, then our time and efforts are largely wasted, aren't they?

FOR ADULT STUDY: Isa 53; 49:6; Ps 16:8-11; 110:1-2; Ezek 34:23; Jn 1:29; 19:31; Acts 13:27.