



## Seeing the Savior

John 20:15-18, 20, 26-27; 29, Romans 10:9-17

### Questions Worth Asking

The disciples were distraught when they didn't see Jesus in the tomb. The empty tomb was so devastating that the initial interaction with Jesus wasn't enough to open their eyes to the miracle of the moment. Mary didn't recognize the risen Redeemer until he called her name. The disciples didn't see the risen Redeemer until he showed them his wounds. Their understanding of what happened on Sunday morning had changed when their eyes were opened. They went from devastated to delighted that the tomb was empty. Seeing the Savior helped them to understand the Scripture. It put into view what Jesus had been telling them about his death and resurrection all along. Jesus says that we too would be able to see him and respond rightly to the empty tomb by hearing his word. This understanding of the finished work of the cross and the resurrection of our Redeemer would change our countenance and help us to come out of hiding.

1. What was it that helped your eyes to be opened so that you could see the Savior and respond rightly to him?

2. What is it that causes you to be blind to seeing Jesus standing right before your eyes?

### Steps Worth Taking

Here are some **suggested steps** that will help you keep Christ before your eyes...

1. **Read and meditate on [John 16-20](#).**
2. Start or remain consistent with a plan to read through the Bible in a year (this doesn't have to be a calendar year, so you can start today).
3. Keep a journal where you can capture (at least weekly) what the Lord is speaking and doing in your life.