



Emmaus – recognised on the road

AT A GLANCE



Bible

Luke 24:13–35



Topic

Jesus meets us on the way



Takeaway

Discovering resurrection in everyday life



8 minutes



Object: a loaf of bread



Preparation: 5 min



indoors or outdoors



Make it personal: In two sentences, share something you have experienced yourself on the topic "Jesus meets us on the way". Real stories stick best.



How the devotion works

1 min

Opening

Ask: Have you ever recognised someone only at second glance?

2 min

Bible text

Read Luke 24:13–35. Two disappointed disciples walk to Emmaus. A stranger walks with them and explains the Scriptures. When he breaks the bread they recognise him: it is Jesus.

3 min

Thought

The disciples are blind with disappointment. Jesus still walks with them, listens and stays patient. Resurrection often shows itself not spectacularly but on the way, in conversation, over a meal. "Were not our hearts burning within us?"

2 min

Conversation

Where have you sensed that God was walking with you without noticing it at first?



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Prayer to read aloud

Risen Jesus, walk with me on my way, even when I do not recognise you at once. Break the bread for me and open my eyes. Amen.

To think further

- What has disappointed you recently – and who walked with you?

For leaders

- Never put young people on the spot: ask open questions, nobody has to answer.
- Let one of the young people read the Bible text aloud.
- Encourage them to say the prayer themselves – the written prayer gives confidence.

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