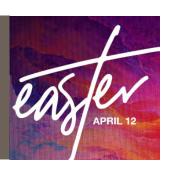


My Basket of Eggs
John 19-20
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| NOTES | GROUP DISCUSSION 1. Open with prayer. (2-5 min) 2. Share your story What are you missing the most in regard to the ways we usually celebrate Easter? (7-10 min) 3. Read John 19-20. 4. Discuss these questions with your group. (20-45 min) |
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| | So they took Jesus, and he went out, bearing his own cross, to the place called The Place of a Skull, which in Aramaic is called Golgotha. There they crucified him, and with him two others, one on either side, and Jesus between them. (John 19:16-18) |
| | What emotional reaction do you have when you hear about the painful crucifixion of Jesus? What are those feelings signaling to you? |
| | Then the other disciple, who had reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; for as yet they did not understand the Scripture, that he must rise from the dead. (John 20:7-8) |
| | What are some of the explanations about what happened here? What do you believe? Why do you believe that? |
| | Having said this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing, but she did not know that it was Jesus. (vs. 14) |
| | In what ways could people be looking right at Jesus, and not knowing it's Him? What would have to happen for someone's eyes to be "opened"? |
| | Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of the disciples, which are not written in this book; but these are written so that you may believe that |

Looking back at your notes from this week's message, was there anything you heard for the first time, stuck with you, challenged or confused you?

What is the one important thing you will take away from this weekend's message or our life group discussion? Is there any challenge, difficulty or praise that you would like to share with the group for prayer?

response to his challenge?

PLAN OF ACTION

life in his name. (vs. 30-31)

If you haven't already, settle the issue of Christ's resurrection in your heart. Did it happen, or not? If it did happen, how should you respond? Take the next step in your spiritual journey this week.

Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have

What is John's express purpose in writing this Gospel? What is your

