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GOD

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*Lesson 25*

*The Road to Emmaus*

## Today's Story:

This story takes place on the very same day that Jesus rose from the dead. It was the first Easter Morning and two of Jesus' disciples were walking to a town called Emmaus. Jesus joined them on their journey BUT they did not recognize that it was Jesus! He walked and talked to them and told them all the places in the Scriptures that pointed to him as the Promised and Forever King, their Messiah. Jesus showed them that he was promised by God since the beginning of time. He reminded them of God's promise in Genesis to send someone to crush the head of the evil one. He showed them how God saved his people through the blood of the lamb at Passover, and that it pointed to Jesus as the lamb to take away the sins of the people. There were many more stories from Moses and the prophets that were fulfilled in Jesus, stories of the promised king's miracles and sufferings. The disciples' hearts were warmed as they listened to all of the Scriptures being opened to them by the person with whom they were walking. It wasn't until later that evening that the disciples recognized that it was Jesus who was with them all that time. Their eyes were opened. Many times the Old Testament Scriptures told of God's love and victory over sin and death and God's plan to set up a new kingdom with his promised Son as the Forever King. That day his disciples understood the Scriptures and now we can understand too. When we read and believe our Bible, our faith and life with God is strengthened!

## Bible Memory Verse:

*"These things are written that you might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God."* (John 20:31a – NIV)

## My Art Response:

