

JESUS' APPEARANCES AFTER HIS RESURRECTION

Matthew 28:19-20 See also *Mark 16:7; Luke 23:46; John 20:10;*
1 Corinthians 15:5

The truth of Christianity rests heavily on the Resurrection. If Jesus rose from the grave, who saw him? How trustworthy were the witnesses? Those who claimed to have seen the risen Jesus went on to turn the world upside down. Most of them also died for being followers of Christ. People rarely die for halfhearted belief. These are the people who saw Jesus risen from the grave.

1. Mary Magdalene Mark 16:9-11; John 20:10-18
2. The other women at the tomb Matthew 28:8-10
3. Peter in Jerusalem Luke 24:34; 1 Corinthians 15:5
4. The two travelers on the road Mark 16:12-13; Luke 24:13-35
5. Ten disciples behind closed doors Mark 16:14; Luke 24:36-43; John 20:19-25
6. All eleven disciples (including Thomas) . . . John 20:26-31; 1 Corinthians 15:5
7. Seven disciples while fishing on the Sea
of Galilee John 21:1-14
8. Eleven disciples on a mountain in Galilee. . Matthew 28:16-20; Mark 16:15-18
9. A crowd of 500 1 Corinthians 15:6
10. Jesus' brother James 1 Corinthians 15:7
11. Those who watched Jesus ascend
into heaven Mark 16:19-20; Luke 24:44-49; Acts 1:3-8