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# RE- FLECTING GOD

**11/11/13 - Glory To God!**

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Luke 24:36-49

After Jesus rose from the dead and appeared to the disciples, they had a difficult time believing He was who He claimed to be. Despite seeing the physical evidence of His scarred hands and feet, they still wrestled with unbelief.

When faced with challenging trials we have two options: to cower and travel down the unproductive road of fear or to walk forward, believing that our risen King is fully in control of our lives. God is the same God today that He was at the time of His resurrection. Our circumstances do not change His character. Even our sinful failure will not change His character.

Instead of being discouraged by the trials that often surface, we should feel honored that God cares enough about our personal growth to allow situations that stretch us. This gives us an opportunity to declare an even greater need for Him, which is also an opportunity for God to glorify himself in our lives.

The most honoring thing we can do is to take God at His word and believe that His resurrection power is still at work in and around us!

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