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## **DAD BIBLE JOKE:**

Who was the greatest comedian in the Bible? Samson. He brought the house down.

## **BIBLE VERSES REFERENCED DURING SERMON:**

Luke 24:I-I2

Isaiah 52:14

John I:14

John 6:36

Philippians 2:6

2 Corinthians 8:9

Matthew 28:I-I5

Mark 16:1-13

John 20:I-31

Ezekiel 24:16

Ezekiel 24:II

Luke 19:10

Titus 3:5

2 Corinthians 5:21

Romans 5:1

Ephesians I:5

I John 3:1

## **BIBLE STUDY:**

Read Luke 24: I-I2, Matthew 28:I-I5, Mark I6:I-I3, John 20:I-3I

The Four Gospels tell the story of Jesus. Each Gospel shares different details of the story of Jesus Christ. What do the four Gospels have in common with each other? What aspect of the life of Jesus Christ are uniquely revealed by the each Gospel? Why is it so important that Jesus Christ rose from the dead?

## **PERSONAL REFLECTION:**

Pastor Rick said, "Of all the religions in all the world only I religion focuses on the God who left heaven, not the God who sent His representative, not the God who sent a prophet, the God who Himself left heaven and came to this earth for me. That is Jesus."

Additionally, Jesus Christ did all the work for you. All other religions require you to do the work. Christ alone left everything He had at the right hand of God and lived a life of poverty and hardship on this earth, died a horrible death and rose victoriously again...all for you and I



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· Pastor Rick asked two questions, "What would be so big that Jesus would give up something bigger than our minds can comprehend? What would be worth it?" How would you answer those questions?

Why did Jesus leave heaven?

- · Romans 3:23, how many people have sinned?
- · Romans 6:23, what is the cost of sin?
- · Romans 5:8, who paid the cost for our sin?
- · Read 2 Corinthians 5:2I. Imagine if someone asked you to give up their person you loved the most with all of your heart on this earth, for the most vile person to have ever lived. Would you do it?

That is what God did for us. He sent His beloved son, Jesus Christ, for all of us to include the most disgusting people you can think of.

- · Why would Jesus want us in His family?·
- Why did Pastor Rick say, "The greatest thing Jesus did for me was to let me know this isn't my home."?
- · Have you ever realized that Jesus Christ came to this earth for you? How does this shape your life? What does this change in you?