

# Luke 24.13-49

## walking ..



You've probably done **lots** of walking over the last year!

Here's probably the most well-known walker during the time of the pandemic ...

Do you know His name?

**Captain (Sir)**

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And do you know how much money he raised for the NHS?  
Draw a circle round the right answer below –

*(Answer at the bottom of the page)*

1. £32,795
2. £327,950
3. £3,279,500
4. £32,795,000
5. £327,950,000

He closed his fundraising page at midnight once he'd reached 100 years old!



**Try drawing a picture of him!**

If you click on this [link](#) there's a video which shows you how to draw this picture of him. ?

Here's the link in full –

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BZphBDU8MKQ>



# today's passage ...

.. is about some people who went for a walk – and it completely changed their lives for ever!

Read

## Luke 24.13-18

<sup>13</sup> Now that same day two of them were going to a village called Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem. <sup>14</sup> They were talking with each other about everything that had happened. <sup>15</sup> As they talked and discussed these things with each other, Jesus himself came up and walked along with them; <sup>16</sup> but they were kept from recognizing him.

<sup>17</sup> He asked them, "What are you discussing together as you walk along?"

They stood still, their faces downcast. <sup>18</sup> One of them, named Cleopas, asked him, "Are you the only one visiting Jerusalem who does not know the things that have happened there in these days?"

Here's how their story starts

## Fact-file

Try filling in the answers below

The name of the place to which they were going

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How many miles was this from the city?

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How many of them were there?

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The name of the city from which they had come

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The name of one of the people

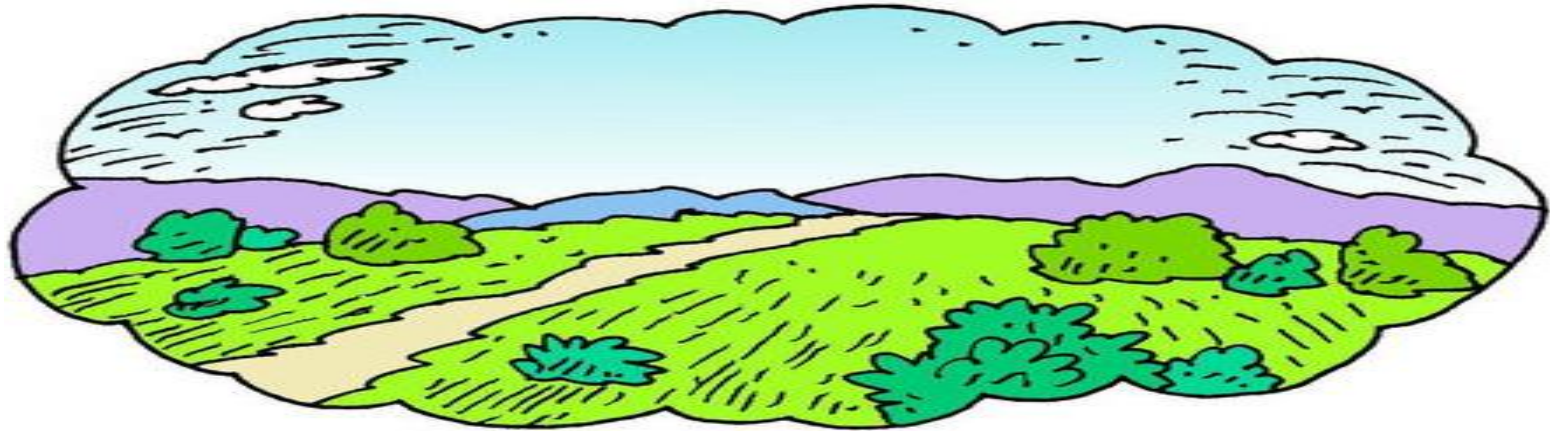
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The person who joined them on the walk

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What were their faces like

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### **a bit sad ...**

You can tell from their faces that the friends of Jesus were a bit sad.



They loved Jesus. He was the best friend they'd ever had.

They were sad because their friend was dead.

### **a bit confused ...**

They were heading back home towards the end of the day.



It had been a confusing few days, and they had lots of questions.

They were glad to be able to chat with each other.



### **a bit of company ...**

Jesus joined them on the walk!

They certainly weren't expecting Him to join them, and they didn't realise it was Him!

Jesus asked them why they were sad. And so they started telling Him everything.

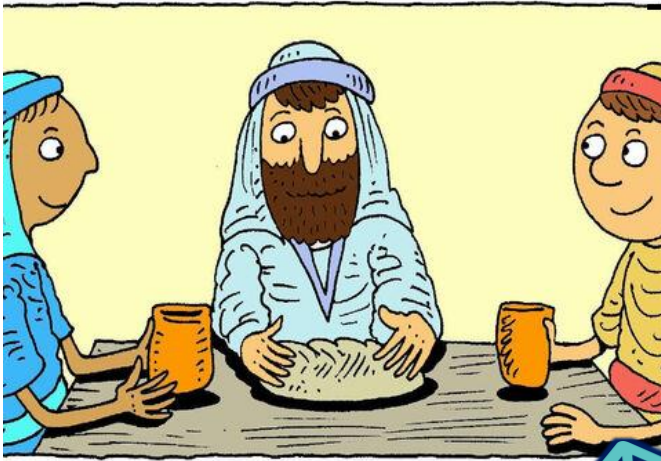
### **a bit better!**

Jesus listened to them: then He explained how the Bible had spoken about Him.

He said that everything which had happened to Him was part of God's plan.

And that plan included Jesus being raised to life!





## a bit of food ...

They invited Jesus to stay with them when they reached their house.

Remember – they still hadn't realised it was Jesus, raised from the dead and alive, who was with them!

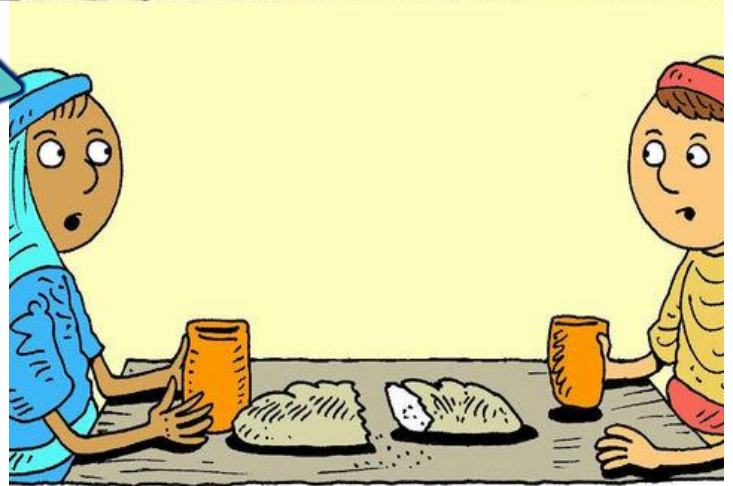
Jesus came in and they had some food.

## He's alive!!

When Jesus took the bread, thanked God for it, and then broke it – they suddenly realised it was Jesus! They'd seen Him do that before! Wow!

Just as suddenly He was no longer there! He just disappeared!

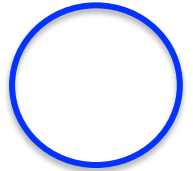
*(Spot the differences between the 2 pictures!)*



## a bit exciting ...

They got up and ran all the way back to the other disciples

**How many miles was that?**



They were very excited!

They told Jesus' friends that He was alive! Some of them had seen Jesus too!



# it got even better! ...



**SURPRISE!**

The disciples' walk kept on bringing them surprises!

It started as a walk in one direction:  
it ended as a run in the opposite direction!



It started with the **2** of them:  
it ended with **3** of them!



It started with their being confused and sad:  
It ended with them being happy and excited!

It started as a chat:  
it ended as a party!



It started with them thinking Jesus was dead:  
it ended with them knowing He's **risen and alive!**



Read

**Luke**

**24.36-44**

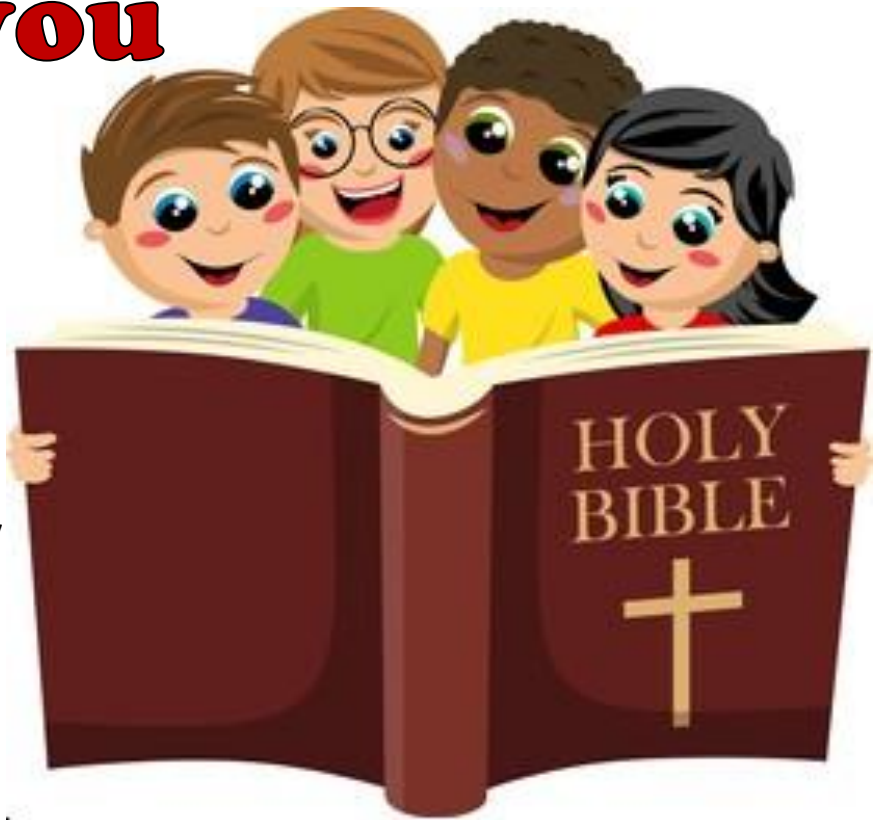
<sup>36</sup>While they were still talking about this, Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, "Peace be with you."

<sup>37</sup>They were startled and frightened, thinking they saw a ghost. <sup>38</sup>He said to them, "Why are you troubled, and why do doubts rise in your minds? <sup>39</sup>Look at my hands and my feet. It is I myself! Touch me and see; a ghost does not have flesh and bones, as you see I have."

<sup>40</sup>When he had said this, he showed them his hands and feet. <sup>41</sup>And while they still did not believe it because of joy and amazement, he asked them, "Do you have anything here to eat?" <sup>42</sup>They gave him a piece of broiled fish, <sup>43</sup>and he took it and ate it in their presence.

<sup>44</sup>He said to them, "This is what I told you while I was still with you: Everything must be fulfilled that is written about me in the Law of Moses, the Prophets and the Psalms."

# what can you learn from the story?



## Jesus loves being with you!

Wherever you are and whatever you may be doing, Jesus likes to share everything with you.

Expect Him to be there with you always!



## You can speak to Jesus about everything!

As Jesus asked the disciples what was troubling them, so He loves to have you tell Him all your worries and fears.

You can speak to Him about absolutely anything!

## Jesus wants you to get to know Him better!

It takes time getting to know anyone. And it's no different with Jesus. The disciples only slowly came to realise Jesus is risen.

And they discovered it just got better and better all the time!



## Tell other people about Jesus!

The disciples didn't keep the good news that Jesus is alive to themselves!

And when they went and passed on the news to others, they knew even more clearly that Jesus is alive!

You go and do the same! Tell someone!



# A prayer

Think about what you've been learning today.  
Now try praying this prayer (or making up your own prayer!)

That must have been the best walk ever those disciples had, Jesus!

I love the way You choose to be with such ordinary people, even when they're just out for a walk! I'm glad that You want to be with me, whatever it is that I'm doing each day!

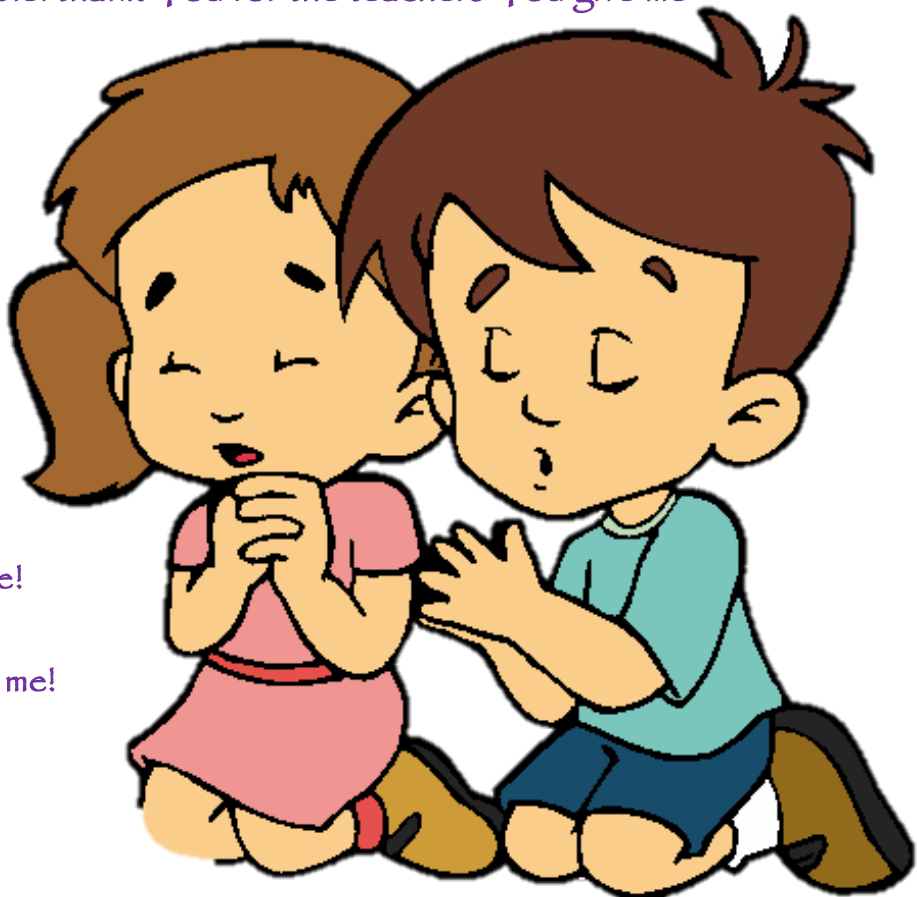
Thank You, Jesus, that You listen carefully always when I tell you about the things which worry me, or frighten me, or puzzle me.

And thank You, too, that You help me to understand things better as I learn about You in the Bible: thank You for the teachers You give me who explain things in the Bible about You!

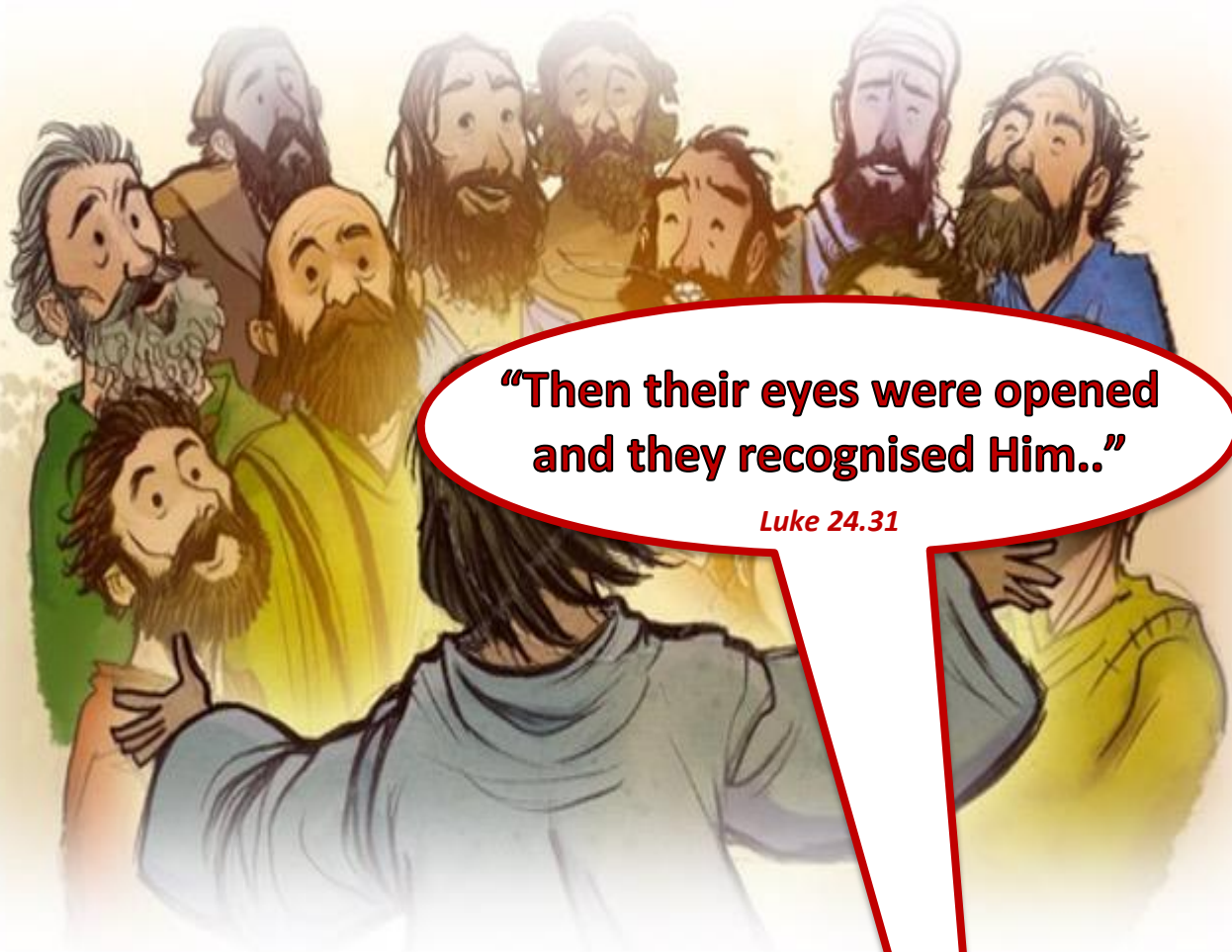
Please help me every day to remember that You are right there with me!

And please help me, too, to be discovering more and more that You are alive!

Thank You that You love me!

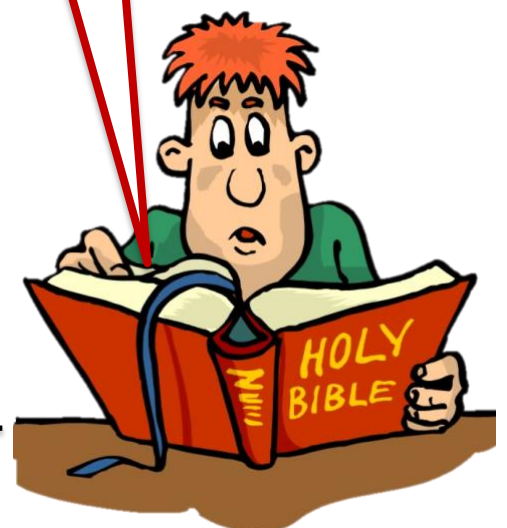


# Today's verse for you to try and remember!



**“Then their eyes were opened  
and they recognised Him..”**

*Luke 24.31*



# A WORDSEARCH

## ON THE ROAD TO EMMAUS Word Search



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ALIVE	EYES	STAYED
ANGELS	JERUSALEM	TABLE
BLESSED	JESUS	TALKING
BREAD	LORD	THIRD DAY
CHRIST	MILES	TOMB
CLEOPAS	MISSING	TWO
CONVERSATION	OPENED	UNRECOGNIZED
CRUCIFIED	PROPHET	VANISHED
DEATH	RECOGNIZED	VILLAGE
DISCIPLES	RISEN	WALKING
EMMAUS	ROAD	

# .. another puzzle!

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## The Road to Emmaus

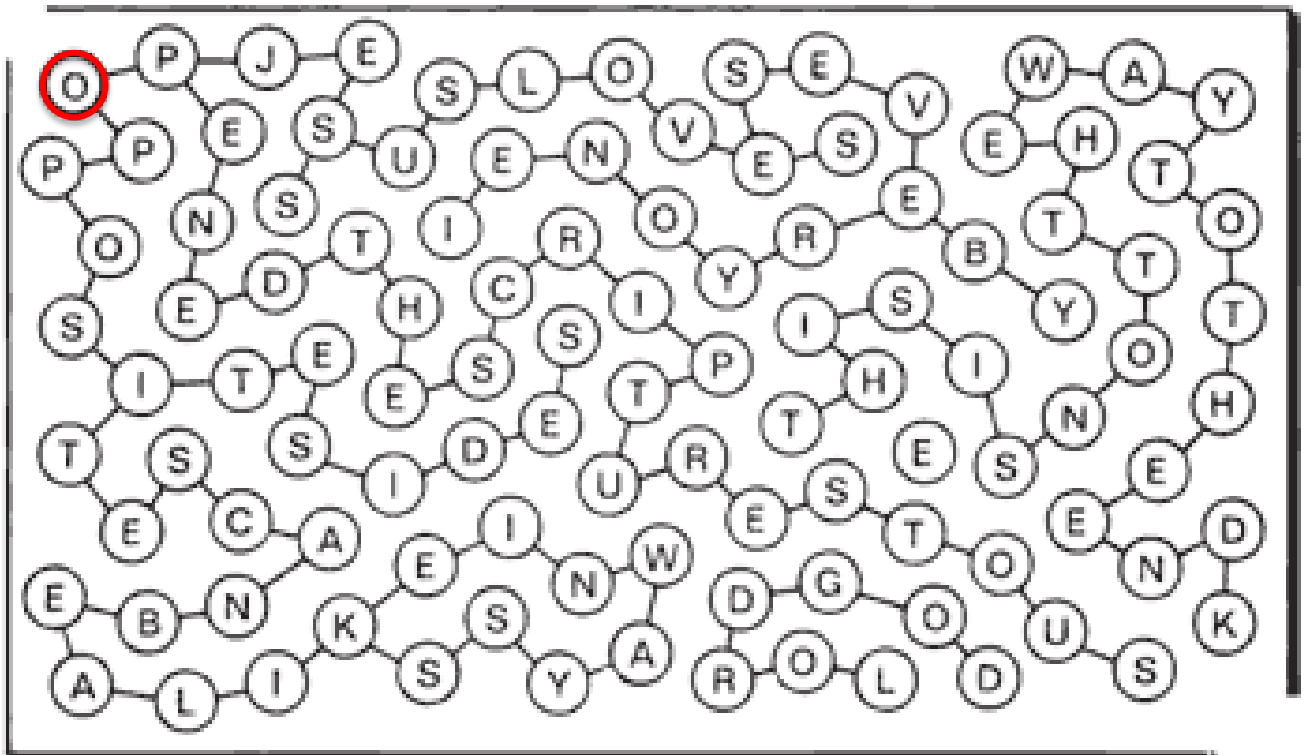
—Luke 24



# On the Road to Emmaus

Cleopas and a companion were walking along the road to Emmaus when Jesus joined them. They didn't recognise Him until He revealed Himself after the evening meal. Then He disappeared. What was their comment afterwards?

The path of circles below will lead you to the answer. Follow the correct path to the end and write down all the letters in the spaces provided



**“Were not our hearts burning within us while He talked with us on the road and**

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(Luke 24:32)

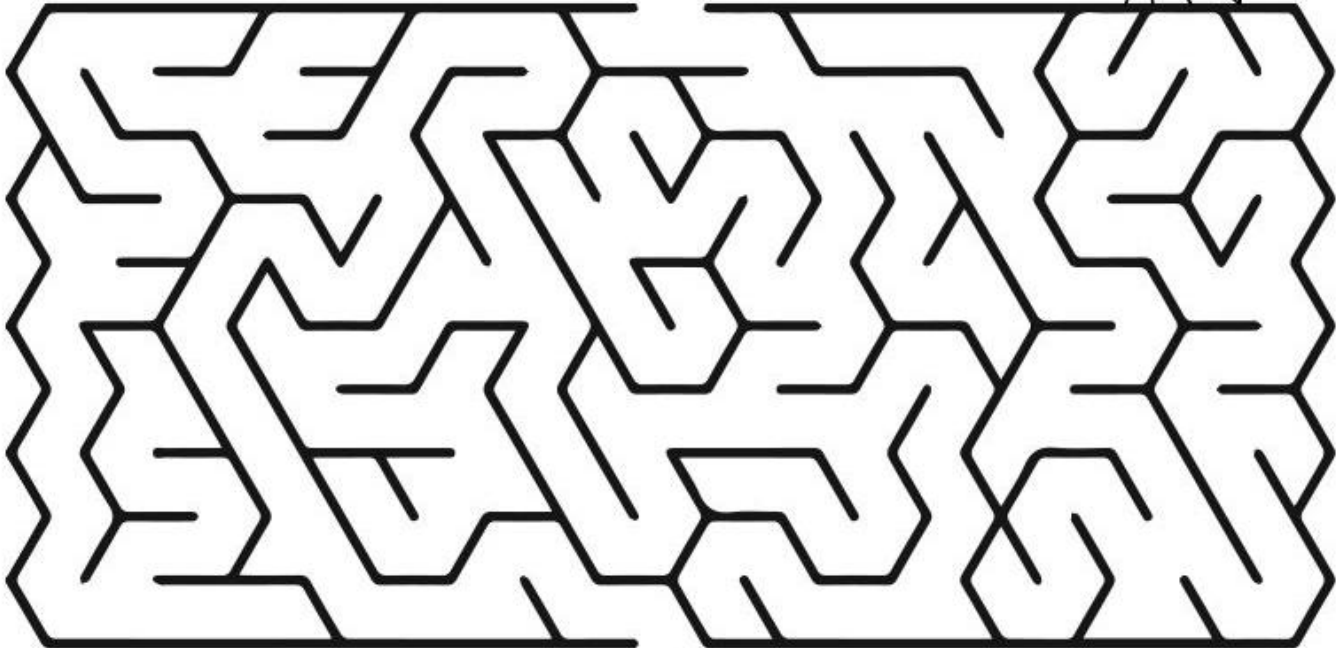
# Try this puzzle now

## THE ROAD TO EMMAUS

Lead Jesus to his disciples who are traveling.



START



END

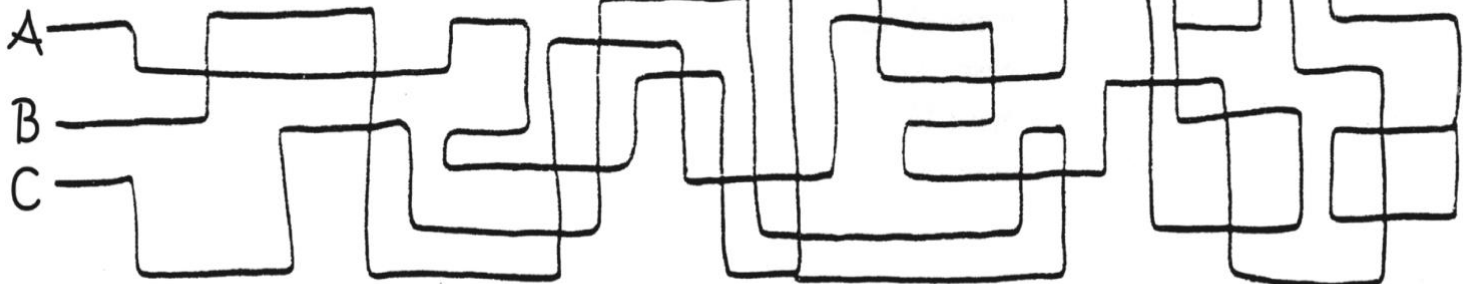
Can you work out which way  
should follow to get back to the city of



the disciples  
Jerusalem?

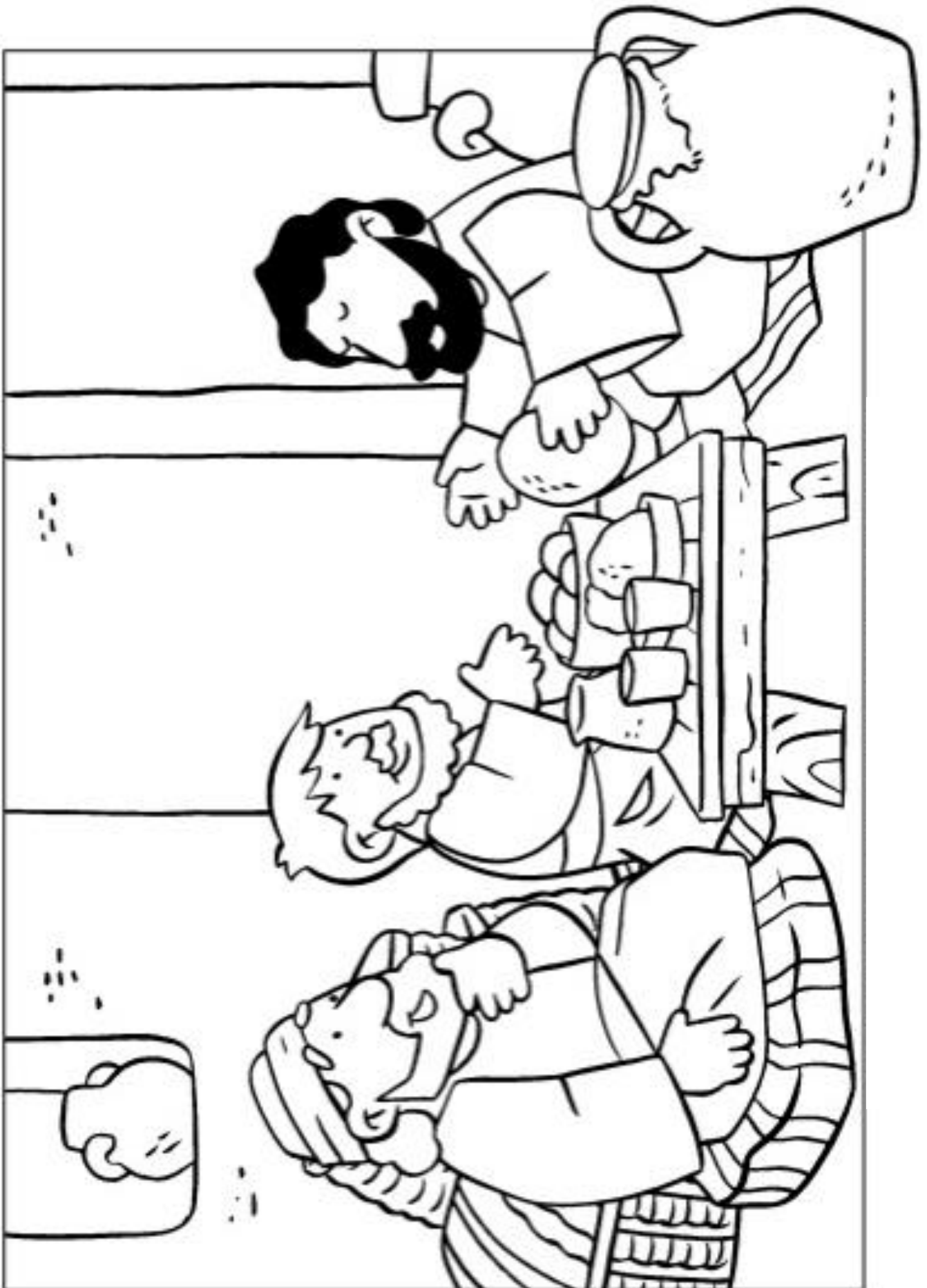


A B or C?



# For you to COLOUR IN

*Try colouring in the pictures on this page and the next*



.. spot the difference too!

