

The Women of Easter – Week 3

‘Truly I tell you, wherever the gospel is preached throughout the world what she has done will also be told, in memory of her’. Mark 14:9 (*In Jewish customs memorials were very important. Her service serves as an act of historical remembrance. Here service is forever established as a memorial for Jesus’ crucifixion as the Passover Lamb*).

We learn Mary understood what was happening and BELIEVED. Which caused her to act. Belief and action must go together to those who follow Jesus.

While many hoped to catch a glimpse of Jesus, Mary wanted to KNOW him. So many people in our culture want a glimpse of Jesus. They don’t want to change their lives to adjust to what the Holy Spirit tells us. They want a glimpse. There’s no studying, or spending time ‘at His feet’, or worshipping Him...they want a glimpse. Do we want a glimpse or to KNOW Him.

Mary dared to believe every word Jesus said. Our culture certainly does not, similar to Mary’s. Even the disciples did not understand what Jesus was telling them, but Mary did. Do we believe every word...of the written word? All the promises of God? All the prophecies of the Bible?

We can believe! Unlike our sister Mary, we have an eyewitness account from the Bible.

How are we preparing for His coming? Who are we telling? What are we leaving behind as our ‘eyewitness’ to our faith for those who are coming after us?