

WELCOME

to the

Champaign Alliance Church

We are glad that you could join us today!

**To prepare our hearts and minds for the message,
today's text will be: **LUKE 24:33-53****

“CHANGE”

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**How and when
does change takes place
in a persons life?**

I. The Process of Change

Three things that will cause a person to change:

1. We change when we **HURT** enough
2. We change when we **LEARN** enough
3. We change when we **RECEIVE** enough

II. The Elements of Change in the Disciples Lives (vs. 36-53)

A. These people are **HURTING**
(vs. 33-37)

They are startled

They are frightened

They are troubled

They are consumed with doubt

B. The Master OPENED their minds
(vs. 38-47)

1. To the fact that He truly was there (vs. 39-43)

Personal pronouns of verse 39:

“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.”

2. To the truths of scripture about Himself (vs. 44-47)

C. They begin to RECEIVE from the Lord (vs. 48-53)

1. They received POWER (vs. 49)

2. They were BLESSED by Jesus (vs. 51)

3. They were filled with ***GREAT JOY*** (vs. 52)

What changed these people, in their pain, knowledge and fullness?

The Truth of the **RESURRECTION !!**

III. There Are Still Three Kinds of People Being Changed Today

- A. People who **HURT** enough to **SEEK** it

- B. People that **LEARN** enough that they **WANT** it

- C. People that **RECEIVE** enough that they are **ABLE** to do it

CONCLUSION