

INTRODUCTION

- * FOCUSING ON THE CHRIST ... *The Shadow of Christ ... The Life of Christ*
- * Two weeks ago, we considered the climax of Christ's payment for our sins – His Resurrection!
- * As a part of that message, we saw how Christ came back and appeared to various of His disciples over a period of 40 days
- * Today, we consider His Ascension into heaven

INSTRUCTION

I. THE D _____ OF CHRIST (Acts 1: 6-8)

A. Negative (cf. *Matthew 24: 42-46; I Thess 5:1-5*)

1. IT IS NOT FOR YOU TO _____
2. IT IS FOR YOU TO _____

B. Positive – *A two-fold promise*

1. YOU SHALL _____
2. YOU SHALL _____
 - a. The M _____
 - 1) *S* _____ ally (cf. Luke 24:48; Acts 1:22; 2:32; 3:15; 5:32; 10:39, 41; 13:31)
 - 2) *T* _____ ally (cf. Acts 22:15; 22:20, 6:13, 7:58; Matt 18:16; II Cor 13: 1; I Timothy 5:19; Matt 26:65)
 - 3) *A* _____ ally (cf. Romans 10:9)
 - b. The M _____ (Luke 24:46-47)
 - c. The M _____ (Acts 1:8)

II. THE D _____ OF CHRIST (Acts 1: 9-11)

A. The A _____ ion of Christ

B. The R _____ ion of the Disciples

1. THEY WERE FILLED WITH WO _____ (v. 9-11)
2. THEY WERE FILLED WITH WO _____ (cf. Lk 24:52)

C. The A _____ ion of the Angels

1. THEY ASSURED THE DISCIPLES OF CHRIST'S DE _____ N
2. THEY ASSURED THE DISCIPLES OF CHRIST'S RE _____ N

INTROSPECTION

- * HOW FAITHFULLY ARE YOU SERVING THE LORD? ARE YOU A FAITHFUL WITNESS?
- * ARE YOU FILLED WITH WONDER AND WORSHIP
AT THE REDEMPTIVE POWER AND WORK OF CHRIST?
- * ARE YOU FILLED WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT AND POWER?