

# LUKE'S GOSPEL

INVESTIGATING THE MAN WHO IS GOD

WHO IS JESUS?



# Jesus Loves Women



**Luke 8:1-2** (ESV)

<sup>1</sup> Soon afterward he went on through cities and villages, proclaiming and bringing the good news of the kingdom of God. And the twelve were with him,  
<sup>2</sup> and also some women who had been healed of evil spirits and infirmities: Mary, called Magdalene, from whom seven demons had gone out,

**Luke 8:3** (ESV)

<sup>3</sup> and Joanna, the wife of Chuza, Herod's household manager, and Susanna, and many others, who provided for them out of their means.



**The Kingdom  
is the rule and  
reign of God**



# Two 'dimensions' of the Kingdom

Already

Not Yet



**What's the  
big deal?**



**John 4:27a** (ESV)

**27** Just then his disciples came. They were astonished that he was speaking with a woman...



**Counter-culturally, women  
played a very significant  
role in receiving from  
Jesus, responding to Jesus,  
and contributing for Jesus.**

**When Christianity is  
rightly understood and  
applied, the plight of  
women improves.**



**Luke 24:1-4** (ESV)

<sup>1</sup> But on the first day of the week, at early dawn, they went to the tomb, taking the spices they had prepared. <sup>2</sup> And they found the stone rolled away from the tomb, <sup>3</sup> but when they went in they did not find the body of the Lord Jesus. <sup>4</sup> While they were perplexed about this, behold, two men stood by them in dazzling apparel.



**Luke 24:5-7** (ESV)

<sup>5</sup> And as they were frightened and bowed their faces to the ground, the men said to them, “Why do you seek the living among the dead? <sup>6</sup> He is not here, but has risen. Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee, <sup>7</sup> that the Son of Man must be delivered into the hands of sinful men and be crucified and on the third day rise.”

**Luke 24:8-10** (ESV)

<sup>8</sup> And they remembered his words, <sup>9</sup> and returning from the tomb they told all these things to the eleven and to all the rest.

<sup>10</sup> Now it was Mary Magdalene and Joanna and Mary the mother of James and the other women with them who told these things to the apostles,



**Luke 24:11-12** (ESV)

<sup>11</sup> but these words seemed to them an idle tale, and they did not believe them.

<sup>12</sup> But Peter rose and ran to the tomb; stooping and looking in, he saw the linen cloths by themselves; and he went home marveling at what had happened.



**Jesus is the resident  
expert on how to  
treat women**



**Men, we need  
to treat women  
like Jesus did!**



# **Love Like Jesus**

**Physically**

**Mentally**

**Emotionally**

**Spiritually**

**Sexually**



**Job 31:1** (NLT)

<sup>1</sup> I made a covenant with my eyes not to  
look with lust at a young woman.



**1 Timothy 5:1-2** (ESV)

<sup>1</sup> Do not rebuke an older man but encourage him as you would a father, younger men as brothers, <sup>2</sup> older women as mothers, younger women as sisters, in all purity.



**1 Peter 3:7** (NLT)

<sup>7</sup> In the same way, you husbands must give honor to your wives. Treat your wife with understanding as you live together. She may be weaker than you are, but she is your equal partner in God's gift of new life. Treat her as you should so your prayers will not be hindered.



**Galatians 3:28-29** (ESV)

<sup>28</sup> There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is no male and female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus. <sup>29</sup> And if you are Christ's, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to promise.

