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"On the evening of that first day of the week, when the disciples were together, with the doors locked for fear of the Jewish leaders, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you!' ²⁰ After he said this, he showed them his hands and side. The disciples were overjoyed when they saw the Lord." John 20:19-20 (NIV)

Matthew 16:9-11; 28:1-10; John 20:11-18; Luke 24:13-35; I Corinthians 15:5

"Now Thomas (also known as Didymus), one of the Twelve, was not with the disciples when Jesus came. ²⁵ So the other disciples told him, 'We have seen the Lord!' But he said to them, 'Unless I see the nail marks in his hands and put my finger where the nails were, and put my hand into his side, I will not believe.'" John 20:24-25 (NIV)

"A week later his disciples were in the house again, and Thomas was with them. Though the doors were locked, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you!' ²⁷ Then he said to Thomas, 'Put your finger here; see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it into my side. Stop doubting and believe.'" John 20:26-27 (NIV)

"Thomas said to him, 'My Lord and my God!" John 20:28 (NIV)

John 1:1, 14; 6:35; 8:58; Philippians 2:5-8

"Then Jesus told him, 'Because you have seen me, you have believed; blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed." John 20:29 (NIV)

Compelling Evidence for the Resurrection of Jesus:

John 3:16; I John 4:8-12, 16-19

Acts 4:1-21; 5:40-41; 12:1-11

Matthew 12:46; 13:55,56; Mark 3:20-21; John 7:2-5; I Corinthians 15:7

"And if Christ has not been raised, our preaching is useless and so is your faith." I Corinthians 15:14 (NIV)

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