

Belief of Hope

Luke 1:11-55 - Adam Bowers

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. How do you think you would react if later tonight, an angel appeared right in front of you?
2. Mary and Zechariah had very similar experiences but with some key differences. Do you recall the similarities and differences? (Zechariah: Luke 1:11-20, Mary: Luke 1:26-38)
3. What can we learn from the differences between Zechariah's response and Mary's response? How might this impact our interaction with God today?
4. Read Luke 1:39-40, and 56. Why do you think Mary quickly travelled to see Elizabeth and stayed there for three months?
5. Who do you have in your life who you can lean in confusing or challenging circumstances?
6. Have you ever experienced times of doubting in God or doubting his faithfulness? What helped you through those times?
7. The biggest difficulties in times of doubting can be all of the questions for which we don't have answers. Why do you think God does not quickly answer all of our questions and resolve our doubts for us?
8. Have you ever experienced spiritual growth because you went through a confusing time of questioning?
9. What was your biggest takeaway from the message this week and how do you plan to respond to it?