

## Family Discipleship Resource

Mar 30-Apr 5  
(Acts 2:22-36)



### **G** – Gather for Prayer

Father,

*With out you, I am lost and dead in my sin. Thank you for being a Savior who defeated both sin and the grave!*

*In Jesus' Name, Amen*

### **R** – Read the Text (Acts 2:22-36)

<sup>22</sup> “Men of Israel, listen to these words: Jesus the Nazarene, a man attested to you by God with miracles and wonders and signs which God performed through Him in your midst, just as you yourselves know— <sup>23</sup> this Man, delivered over by the predetermined plan and foreknowledge of God, you nailed to a cross by the hands of godless men and put Him to death. <sup>24</sup> But God raised Him up again, putting an end to the agony of death, since it was impossible for Him to be held in its power. <sup>25</sup> For David says of Him,

*‘I saw the Lord always in my presence;  
For He is at my right hand, so that I will not be shaken.  
<sup>26</sup> ‘Therefore my heart was glad and my tongue exulted;  
Moreover my flesh also will live in hope;  
<sup>27</sup> Because You will not abandon my soul to Hades,  
Nor allow Your Holy One to undergo decay.  
<sup>28</sup> ‘You have made known to me the ways of life;  
You will make me full of gladness with Your presence.’*

<sup>29</sup> “Brethren, I may confidently say to you regarding the patriarch David that he both died and was buried, and his tomb is with us to this day. <sup>30</sup> And so, because he was a prophet and knew that God had sworn to him with an oath to seat one of his descendants on his throne, <sup>31</sup> he looked ahead and spoke of the resurrection of the Christ, that He was neither abandoned to Hades, nor did His flesh suffer decay. <sup>32</sup> This Jesus God raised up again, to which we are all witnesses. <sup>33</sup> Therefore having been exalted to the right hand of God, and having received from the Father the promise of the Holy Spirit, He has poured forth this which you both see and hear. <sup>34</sup> For it was not David who ascended into heaven, but he himself says:

*‘The Lord said to my Lord,  
“Sit at My right hand,  
<sup>35</sup> Until I make Your enemies a footstool for Your feet.”’*

<sup>36</sup> Therefore let all the house of Israel know for certain that God has made Him both Lord and Christ—this Jesus whom you crucified.”

### **O** – Observe what God has said

***How were David and Jesus alike? Different?***

***How did Jesus provide salvation from sin and death?***

### **W** – Work on Application

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Have you, have I really come to terms with the fact that your sin, my sin, the sin of this world took Jesus coming to this earth as God made flesh, living a perfect life, and subjecting himself to die on a cross to pay for? I'm convinced that many don't respect just how awful the problem of sin is and until we do, until we make ourselves confront the reality of our sin and the implications thereof, how can we grasp the grace that is waiting to be poured out upon us by a risen Savior? Some people think they are all right. That they've already got a hero or are playing the part of protagonist themselves. However, there is but one hero and he died for all sin and, in part, because of our sin.

***What would the world have us believe about how good we are? Why might this be dangerous?***

***Who do you now needs to know that they need Jesus?***

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Family Weekly Memory Verse: *"But God raised Him up again, putting an end to the agony of death, since it was impossible for Him to be held in its power." -Acts 2:24*