

Name _____

The Resurrection Narratives

Circle the Resurrection narrative your group has been assigned:

Matthew 28:1–15

Mark 16:1–8

Luke 24:1–12

John 20:1–18

Read your assigned Resurrection narrative two times, and then wait for further instructions from your teacher.

In your “expert group,” work together to discuss and answer these questions:

1. Which disciples go to the tomb?
2. What happens when they arrive? What do they find (or not find) there?
3. Who tells them that Jesus has been raised? What exactly does this person say? Write the verses here.
4. How do the disciples react to this news? How do they feel? What do they do next?
5. What is one other interesting detail in this story, other than what you have written in your answers to questions 1–4?



Wait for further instructions from your teacher before continuing.

6. List at least three elements that all four Resurrection narratives have in common.

7. What is one way the Resurrection narrative you read is unlike the other three?

8. What might the common elements of the four Resurrection narratives help us to understand?

9. What might the unique elements of the four Resurrection narratives help us to understand?

