



Episode 22: Scriptures Fulfilled

Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path."

{ Psalm 119:105 }

NEW INTERNATIONAL VERSION

One of the things that struck me about yesterday's reading and today's Gospel reading as we journey through this octave is that, in both encounters our Lord could have used all sorts of eloquence and arguments to help the disciples to understand what had happened but he chooses to explain the Scriptures. He goes to God's Word to show them how God's promise has been revealed. It gives them faith and confidence as they start to understand that this text they've known all their lives was being fulfilled in their very midst.

The Lord tried to tell them before, but they didn't really understand, but now as the resurrection brings it all to fulfillment, the penny starts to drop. Here in the UK, we're still journeying in the Year of the Word. We've been derailed a little bit because of the lockdown, but it's still the Year of the Word and there's a significant message for us in that our Lord Himself delves into the word to help us understand and believe the promises of God.

May we all hear God's word of reassurance and comfort in these days and may His word indeed be a light unto our feet and a light unto our path.

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet
And a light unto my path

When I feel afraid, think I've lost my way
Still You're there right beside me
Nothing will I fear as long as you are near
Please be near me to the end

I will not forget your love for me
And yet my heart forever is wandering
Jesus be my guide, hold me to Your side
And I will love You to the end

Nothing will I fear as long as you are near
Please be near me to the end
And a light unto my path
You're the light unto my path

Thy Word

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