





# They Came To Anoint His Body



Three women they were . . . three whose lives had been changed by His power. They came to His tomb . . . because *they knew He was dead!* In tender and sorrowing homage they would anoint His body . . . the last possible act of loving reverence.

"Be not affrighted!" From holy lips the words fell. "Ye seek Jesus of Nazareth, which was crucified. He is risen! He is not here . . . behold the place where they laid Him."

They looked upon an empty tomb. And then, slowly, the truth . . . the promise His own lips had spoken . . . slowly it became real to them.

They had come in sorrow to anoint His body . . . they went forth in wonder, daring to believe . . . *knowing Christ lives!*

Over the centuries the troubled, the lost, the sorrowing have come to His Church as the weeping women came to His tomb . . . hoping to find comfort in reverent homage to one who died. And men and women have gone forth rejoicing, believing . . . *knowing Christ lives!*

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“He is not here: for he is risen...”

THE FIRST EASTER — THIS ACCOUNT IS WRITTEN IN THE FIRST EIGHT VERSES OF THE TWENTY-EIGHTH CHAPTER OF THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO ST. MATTHEW

In the end of the sabbath, as it began to dawn toward the first day of the week, came Mary Magdalene and the other Mary to see the sepulchre.

And, behold, there was a great earthquake: for the angel of the Lord descended from heaven, and rolled back the stone from the door, and sat upon it.

His countenance was like lightning, and his raiment white as snow:

And for fear of him the keepers did shake, and became as dead men.

And the angel answered and said unto the women, Fear not ye: for I know that ye seek Jesus, which was crucified.

He is not here: for he is risen, as he said. Come, see the place where the Lord lay.

And go quickly, and tell his disciples that he is risen from the dead; and, behold, he goeth before you into Galilee; there shall ye see him: lo, I have told you.

And they departed quickly from the sepulchre with fear and great joy; and did run to bring his disciples word.



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Fulfillment Of Months Of  
Waiting And Hoping

Those who kept faith during the separations and hardships of war: those who have been spared the loss of loved ones: those who at last are again able to be with their families—derive a very special meaning from this Easter season. Perhaps they, more than any others among us can fully interpret the words spoken in His name during Easter services, and can best gather the significance of Christ risen. Everything has been done by your Church to make Easter observance intensely interesting, enjoyable and inspiring to those of all ages, and from all walks of life.

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