

ACTS

Jesus still matters

SERMON OUTLINE

Sunday November 10th, 2019

Jesus Still Matters - The Four People In The Story of God **Pastor David Cooke - Acts 28**

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(Acts 1:8)

The Four People In The Story of God

i) The One Who _____

ii) The One Who _____
Acts 2:41

iii) The One Who _____

iv) The One Who Hasn't _____
Romans 10:14–15
2 Peter 3:9



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Who Are You In The Story?

a) The One Who Has Not _____?

Accept, Believe, Commit, Restore

b) The One Who Has Not _____?

Psalm 86:15

c) The One Who Has _____?

What is your next step?

i) Get into community

ii) Get into scripture

iii) Get into generosity

iv) Get into prayer

v) Get into serving

Start to proclaim.

d) The One Who _____?

Romans 1:16–17

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Acts 28:23–31

Answers: Proclaims, Believes, Doesn't Believe, Heard, Heard, Believed, Believed, Proclaims



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LIFE GROUP STUDY GUIDE

We meet in Life Groups to:

- **Connect with God and each other**
- **Connect the Bible to life**
- **Connect with the community through serving together**

OUR VISION

Our Bold, Daring, Audacious Dream and Prayer: *By 2028 Cold Springs Church will raise up 10,000 local, national and international leaders who live and lead out of the overflow of a Jesus-trusting life resulting in restored and strengthened families. (Check out our Vision Wall in the lobby)*

ICE BREAKER : What is your all-time favorite costume and what makes it so?

PRAYER: Our desire is that you give 10% of your time to God in prayer. Take time to pray together in your group.

THIS WEEK: “The Four People In The Story of God” Acts 28

In Acts, the Bible captures the story of how a crucified Jesus challenged a hostile and disinterested culture with a message of hope, grace and love that continues to transform lives today. The Book of Acts. Jesus still matters. Jesus still transforms. Jesus still challenges culture. Jesus still saves.

1. Looking back at your notes from this week’s teaching, what particularly caught your attention, encouraged, challenged or confused you?
2. What makes the above response important to you?
3. After hearing this weekend’s message, what helped you see more of Jesus and his cross, or moved you to love him more?

TAKING IT HOME

Throughout the Acts sermon series, we have seen that what qualifies us to be used by God in the world is to be a disciple of Jesus. At Cold Springs Church we describe a disciple of Jesus as, “someone who follows Jesus in an ever-deepening relationship of love.”



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4. Of the four People in God's Story, which one are you right now?

5. If you are a person who believes, what moved you from unbelief to belief? If you are a person who doesn't believe, what keeps you from believing?

6. What would it take for you to become more of a person who proclaims the Story of God to others?

7. Who is a person you care about that doesn't know the Story of God? Share the names and pray for them in your group.

ON MISSION

Acts shows what it means to be part of Jesus' mission to the world. The apostles set the example of what it means to be fully devoted to Christ and enveloped by the Holy Spirit.

At Cold Springs Church we talk about being "on mission." Jesus was sent by his Father on a mission. And so are we. We are "on mission with Jesus" when we integrate our changed hearts (through Jesus) into our everyday lives – bringing God's Kingdom to earth as it is in heaven.

In order to receive the power of God, one does not need a religious formula, but rather a relationship with a person... Jesus.

Join in our ***Restoring & Strengthening Prayer*** (on our lobby wall):

"Jesus, today I pray you would help me to see things the way you see them. I pray I would feel about people the way you feel about them. I pray for the courage to say "Yes" to the adventure you invite me to live with you today. I pray for the strength to go the extra mile. Forgive me and forgive your people where we have failed to trust and love each other. And I pray for your Kingdom to come, for your will to be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Please start with me. Amen.



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