Cayucos Community Church Sermon Notes: 4-16-2017, Pastor Dale James

Engage Joy, pt 5Resurrection Joy

Testimony and grace

Resurrection Joy = $\underline{\text{Hope}}$ in Grief

Mary Magdalene in Garden - (Jn 20:11-18)

Understanding Mary's grief

Hope lives

The resurrection brings hope & joy into the pain & darkness of loss, separation. & injustice.

Resurrection Joy = Restoration

Peter at beach (Jn 21:15-19)

Peter goes fishing

Conversation after breakfast

Denier is restored

From crying to **caring**

The resurrection brings restoration to those who have failed or faltered.

God is not **done** with those that return to Him.

Resurrection Joy = $\underline{\text{doubt}}$ overcome

Thomas in upper room (Jn 20:25-29)

Missing the moment

Soaking in the unbelief marinade

From proof to response

Whatcha gonna do when doubt comes for you?

The mind-blowing doubt-buster!

Problem of indifference

Take it Home - YOUR RESPONSE