

**Foodie-How Do We Move People From Sad To Celebratory?  
Luke 24**

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Jesus teaches us how to take people from sad to celebratory:

**Intentional (vv. 15-29)**

Even when we don't know what to do let's acknowledge others' pain.

Let 'em talk. Be an asker before being an answerer.

Being intentional will keep you on assignment when others are dismissive of you.

Learn to empathize, not argue, with those who don't understand resurrection power.

**Influential (vv. 30-35)**

Make sure when we sit with people we don't sin with people.

Our influence will not merely come by our attending church but from being the church in hurting people's world.

**Informational (vv. 36-49)**

One can be influential but have nothing meaningful to say.

People need proof for their pain.

**Inspirational (vv. 50-53)**

Jesus' sovereignty that was hidden amidst His humility transformed sad people to celebratory people.

Sad people need comfort food-not for their tasting but for their transformation.

Homework-His use of food should motivate us to show a hurting, sad world that:

He's risen. (vv. 30 & 31)

He's real. (vv. 41 & 42)