

## ONE CONVERSATION

**Parents:** As Easter approaches, find time to talk with your son or daughter about the resurrection and what this means for us as believers. If you are unsure if your son or daughter knows Christ, take this season to talk with him or her about the crucifixion and resurrection, and how it changes everything. Pray that God would open your son or daughter's eyes to the truth of the gospel. Read through the Central Truth and Personal Challenge section below, then discuss Luke 24:1-12 with your student. Imagine how the women bringing spices to the grave would have felt to find Jesus missing and raised from the dead! As Christians, this gives us hope and reason to rejoice. Challenge your student to think of other world or religious leaders, and to name one who is not in the grave, but who rose again. Only our God has power over sin and death! If your daughter or son already knows Christ as Savior, encourage him or her to examine their walk and to confess any sin in their life. Also think about ways you can share Jesus with others during this Easter season, and encourage your student to share the good news of the resurrection with others as well.

## CENTRAL TRUTH

*Jesus rose again from the dead, securing our salvation.*

## PERSONAL CHALLENGE

- › **Dwell:** Two women who were followers of Jesus thought that they were bringing spices to the grave containing Jesus' dead body. Instead, they encountered two angels who told them that prophesy had been fulfilled and Jesus had been raised! Jesus' resurrection secures our salvation. His sacrifice is the ultimate atoning sacrifice for our sins. God's holiness is maintained because He provided a way for sinners, and His resurrection proves His victory. Believe this and share Jesus with confidence!
- › **Memorize:** Acts 2:32
- › **Pray:** Praise Jesus who rose again from the dead. Call upon the name of the Lord and be saved (Joel 2:32; Acts 2:21; Rom. 10:13). Declare with your mouth that Jesus is Lord, meaning that He is in charge and your sin has to go. Believe with all of your heart in the resurrection of Jesus from the dead (Rom. 10:9). Confess your sin and commit to God that you will strive to remain repentant from sin. Thank God for salvation and for providing the way for us to spend eternity with Him!