

Why Did JESUS Fold the Napkin?

The Gospel of John (20:7) tells us that the napkin, which was placed over the face of Jesus, was not just thrown aside like the grave clothes.

John 20: ⁷And the napkin, that was about his head, not lying with the linen clothes, but wrapped (folded) together in a place by itself.

Was that important? Absolutely! Is it really significant? Yes!

The folded napkin had to do with the Master and Servant, and every Jewish boy knew this tradition. When the servant set the dinner table for the master, he made sure that it was exactly the way the master wanted it.

The table was furnished perfectly, and then the servant would wait, just out of sight, until the master had finished eating, and the servant would not dare touch that table, until the master was finished..

Now if the master were done eating, he would rise from the table, wipe his fingers, his mouth, and clean his beard, and would wad up that napkin and toss it onto the table. The servant would then know to clear the table.. For in those days, the wadded napkin meant, "I'm finished."

But if the master got up from the table, and folded his napkin, and laid it beside his plate, the servant would not dare touch the table, because.....

The folded napkin meant, "**I'm coming back!**"



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April 20, 2014

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John 20

¹The first *day* of the week cometh Mary Magdalene early, when it was yet dark, unto the sepulchre, and seeth the stone taken away from the sepulchre. ²Then she runneth, and cometh to Simon Peter, and to the other disciple, whom Jesus loved, and saith unto them, They have taken away the Lord out of the sepulchre, and we know not where they have laid him. ³Peter therefore went forth, and that other disciple, and came to the sepulchre. ⁴So they ran both together: and the other disciple did outrun Peter, and came first to the sepulchre. ⁵And he stooping down, *and looking in*, saw the linen clothes lying; yet went he not in. ⁶Then cometh Simon Peter following him, and went into the sepulchre, and seeth the linen clothes lie, ⁷And the napkin, that was about his head, not lying with the linen clothes, but wrapped together in a place by itself.

April 20, 2014

Easter Sunday

Sunrise Worship Service ~ 6:00 am

Breakfast afterward for everyone in the Fellowship Hall.



Opening prayer with the pastor ~ 9:30 am

Bible Study / Sunday School ~ 9:45 am

Morning Worship Service ~ 11:00 am

Welcome, Announcements

Worship in Prayer

Call to Worship

“Hallelujah! Praise the Lamb” (choir 110)

Invocation

Crown Him with Many Crowns #52

He Lives #438

Because He Lives #448

Worship with Tithes and Offerings

Special Music

“Easter Medley” (choir 365/366)

God’s Message

Pastor Mike McVay

Response



Evening Worship Service ~ 6:00 pm

Worship in Music and Prayer

#119 The First Lord’s Day

#118 Low in the Grave He Lay

#117 Alleluia! Alleluia!

Welcome / Announcements / Prayer

Message from the Bible

Response

Vacation Bible School



Dates: June 8-12 Time: 6:00pm – 8:30pm

Family Night: Friday, June 13th at 6:00pm



Weekly Schedule of Opportunities for Praise, Worship & Service

Sun-Sat	Visitation Every Day,	Any Time
Wednesday	Good News Club	2:30 – 4:00 pm
Wednesday	Prayer and Bible Study	6:30 pm
Friday	Recreation Outreach	6:00 pm
1 st Sunday	Brotherhood Breakfast	7:00 am
Wed > 1 st Sunday	Business Meeting	7:15 pm
April 24	Church Council	6:30 pm
3 rd Thursday	Group Bible Study & Fellowship	6:00 pm
3 rd Thursday	Care Givers Support Group	2:00 pm
Mon-Sat	Church Cleanup – signup in the Foyer	Any Time

Announcements



Collection will be

April 13 ~ May 4

Mark your envelopes–checks
for Annie Armstrong (at the bottom)

Pastor Appreciation Day

May 4th ~ Let’s Make Plans

Spring Association Meeting

April 21st at 6:30 ~ Goodhope Baptist Church ~ everyone invited

Thursday 24th

Church Council

6:30 pm

Benefits for Katlyn Free ~ Heart Transplant

and David Flynn ~ Autism companion

Designated Donations at morning offering

Bible Study

But Now ... Victory

1 Corinthians 15:20-28

Next week

Hope Found

Matthew 8:1-13



WE would LOVE to see YOU in Sunday Bible Study 9:45 am