

**JESUS IS ALIVE !**

**2 JESUS APPEARS  
TO MARY**



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Have you ever been so sad and disappointed that you thought that nothing would ever be the same again?

And even when others tried to tell you some good news, you just couldn't believe it?

Well, you are not the only one. One of Jesus' closest friends, Mary, also felt like that.

Jesus died, but His grave was empty. Her friends said that the man they saw is an angel. But Mary was so confused that she didn't know what to think anymore.

She stayed behind at Jesus' grave after the others left. She just couldn't stop crying.

But as she looked into the cave again, she saw two bright angels sitting at the empty grave. She didn't realize that they were angels.



"Woman, why are you crying?" they asked her.

"They have taken my Lord away and I don't know where they have put His body." she said in a soft voice.

She didn't even know that she was talking to angels!  
She turned around and started crying all over again.

When she looked up, she saw a man standing in front of her.  
It was Jesus but she didn't recognize Him.



"Woman, why are you crying?"

"Who are you looking for?"

He asked her with His very kind voice.

She thought it was the gardener who takes care  
of that place, so she asked:

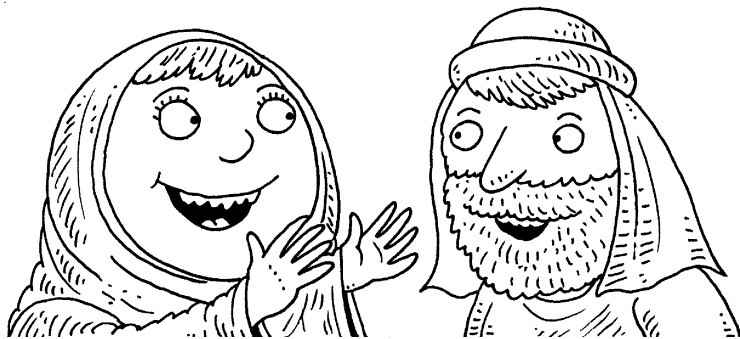
"What did you do with my Lord?"



Then Jesus said to her : "Mary!"

She knew straight away that it was Jesus because nobody says her name in  
the way which Jesus did.

"My Lord!" Mary shouted. She reached out her hands to touch Him.



But Jesus asked her not to touch Him yet,  
because He first wanted to go to our Father in heaven.

Jesus could now go to heaven and back to earth very easily now  
because He has a heavenly body.

"First you must go and tell all our friends that I am going  
to My Father in heaven. He is your Father too!"

Mary stopped crying straight away. Her heart was not hurting anymore.

She was SO happy that Jesus was really alive!  
Jesus' love for her made everything right.



She quickly went to tell all their friends. She was singing all the way home.

She was so excited to tell them that she saw Jesus.

So let's find out more about these wonderful things in the next story.

**You can also read this story in the Bible in John 20**

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR PRINTING :

It is in A5 format

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To print as a pamphlet :

On A4 paper, print 2 pages per sheet  
(you might have to set your printer options accordingly).

Print on both sides of the paper using the following  
format :

1<sup>st</sup> sheet of A4 paper print pages 4 & 1  
on the flip side print pages 2 & 3

Fold in half to form a pamphlet.

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