



John 20:19

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I. Jesus appeared unto the disciples. John 20:19

A. At evening on the first day of the week. John 20:19

B. The disciples were assembled. John 10:19

1. How long had they been there?

- a. Had they been there for days mourning the death of Jesus?
Mark 16:10-11**
- b. They were there early that morning when Mary told them
someone took the body of Jesus. John 20:1-2**
- c. They were still there that morning when the other women
told them Jesus was alive. Luke 24:9-11**
- d. They stayed there until the two from Emmaus returned, that
evening, saying they saw Jesus. Luke 24:33-35**

C. Why were the disciples there together?

1. They were mourning the death of Jesus. Mark 16:10-11

2. In fear of the Jews. John 5:18, John 7:11-13

- a. This was just 3 days after the conflict in the Garden of
Gethsemane. John 18:7-8, Matthew 26:56**
- b. The Jews wanted Jesus dead and those who follow him.**

4. To talk about what had happen that day. Luke 24:19-24

D. The doors were shut. John 20:19

- 1. Not the door was shut, but the doors were shut. John 20:19**
- 2. The room was completely secure. Why?**
 - a. They thought it was to protect them from the Jews.**
 - b. It was to reveal the resurrected body of Jesus.**

E. Then came Jesus and stood in the midst. John 20:19

- 1. For Jesus to walk in, he would have had to knock and someone would have asked, who is there? and would have had to open the door for him. Everybody in the room would have known that Jesus was coming in and they would have gathered around the door to see Him.**
- 2. The door was never opened. Jesus stood in the midst (middle) of them. Luke 24:36-45**
 - a. Revealing that his resurrected body was not limited in any way.**

F. “Peace be unto you.” John 20:19

- 1. Peace by the cross. Colossians 1:19-20**
- 2. He is our peace. Ephesians 2:14-17**
- 3. Peace not like the world. John 14:27**
- 4. Peace in overcoming the world. John 16:33**