



Where Is God When You Need Him? (Luke 24:36-49)

Introduction: *The discussion in our 7:00am Tuesday Men's group...*

- I. AFTER JESUS' CRUCIFIXION, HIS DISCIPLES WERE ASKING:
WHERE IS GOD...?
 - A. Jesus came to where they were & ate fish with them (Lk.24:36-43)
 - B. He also took a walk with some disciples on their way to Emmaus (Lk. 24:14-15)
 - C. Can you see the pattern: God is with His people!

- II. WHERE IS GOD TODAY?
 - A. Jesus tells us: "... *with you always, to the end of the age.*" (Mtt.28:20)
 - B. This is the doctrine of God's *OMNIPRESENCE*
 - C. Note what He tells us in – Jeremiah 23:24; Genesis 3:9; Psalm 139:7-8; 1 Kings 8:27

- III. GOD IS *IMMANUEL*: THE "WITH US GOD"
 - A. Note Isaiah 7:14 & Matthew 1:23
 - B. St. Paul tells us more amazing things about the **omnipresent** Jesus/Immanuel (Colossians 1:15-17)
 - C. The doctrine of God's **omnipresence** is not just for us to understand, it is ours to trust
(*"move 18 inches from our head to our heart"*)

Conclusion: A poem about our Lord's **omnipresence**:
[We read together on the screen]