



**Big Idea** Believers can be witnesses of the Lord when they hear the voice of the Lord calling on their names.

**John 20:11-18** <sup>11</sup> Mary was standing outside the tomb crying, and as she wept, she stooped and looked in. <sup>12</sup> She saw two white-robed angels sitting at the head and foot of the place where the body of Jesus had been lying. <sup>13</sup> "Why are you crying?" the angels asked her. "Because they have taken away my Lord," she replied, "and I don't know where they have put him." <sup>14</sup> She glanced over her shoulder and saw someone standing behind her. It was Jesus, but she didn't recognize him. <sup>15</sup> "Why are you crying?" Jesus asked her. "Who are you looking for?" She thought he was the gardener. "Sir," she said, "if you have taken him away, tell me where you have put him, and I will go and get him." <sup>16</sup> "Mary!" Jesus said. She turned toward him and exclaimed, "Teacher!" <sup>17</sup> "Don't cling to me," Jesus said, "for I haven't yet ascended to the Father. But go find my brothers and tell them that I am ascending to my Father and your Father, my God and your God." <sup>18</sup> Mary Magdalene found the disciples and told them, "I have seen the Lord!" Then she gave them his message.



### Three Key Questions

1. What is a key word in this passage?
2. What is a key verse in this passage?
3. What is a key tone of voice of this passage?



### Text-based Questions

1. Why is Mary Magdalene crying? (20:11)
2. Who did Mary Magdalene mistake Jesus for? (20:15)
3. What did Mary Magdalene do after meeting Jesus? (20:18)



### Three Christ-centered Questions

1. Who is Christ in this passage? (1 Corinthians 15:3-4)
2. Who is Christ to you?
3. Who are we in Christ?



### Spirit-led Application