



## Resources

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## Luke 1:1-4

1 Inasmuch as many have undertaken to compile a narrative of the things that have been accomplished among us, 2 just as those who from the beginning were eyewitnesses and ministers of the word have delivered them to us, 3 it seemed good to me also, having followed all things closely for some time past, to write an orderly account for you, most excellent Theophilus, 4 that you may have certainty concerning the things you have been taught.

## Life Group Leader Notes:

- What makes the Bible so important to our faith? Why is it important that we know God's Word and trust it?
- Pastor Scott told us that Luke 19:10 is the suggested theme verse for the book: "For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost." Jesus says this after he tells the parables of the lost things. Remembering what we learned about Luke last week, why would this verse be fitting?
- Luke refers to the work of the Holy Spirit more than the other gospel writers. When was the last time you considered this person of the Trinity? Look at the below list. Consider the effects of a gospel account without the Holy Spirit. Why must we be mindful and remember His work in our daily lives?
  - John the Baptist would be filled with the Spirit from his mother's womb.
  - Both Elizabeth and Zachariah are said to be filled with the Spirit.
  - At her prophesied conception, Mary is told the Spirit would come upon her.
  - The Spirit revealed to Simeon who Jesus was.
  - John said Jesus would baptize with Spirit and with fire.
  - The Spirit came upon Jesus when He was baptized.
  - The Spirit led Jesus to the wilderness to be tempted by Satan.
  - After the temptation, Jesus returned to Galilee filled with the Spirit.
  - When He preached in Nazareth, Jesus said the Spirit was upon Him.
  - Blasphemy of the Holy Spirit is considered the unforgiveable sin.
  - Jesus told His followers the Father would give the Spirit to those who ask Him.
  - After the resurrection, Jesus promised the coming of the Holy Spirit.
- What are you most looking forward to as we study Luke's Gospel account? How can we find joy in knowing Jesus this week and show that joy to those around us?

