

THE MAN WHO MISSED THE SUNDAY EVENING MEETING
(Jno.20:19-29)

1. What Thomas Missed.

1. Fellowship with brethren, who could have encouraged him.
2. He missed seeing with his own eyes the risen Lord.
3. He missed hearing wonderful words, "peace be unto you."
4. Missed having his mind opened that he might understand the scriptures.(Lu.24:44-45)
5. He missed the experience, "He breathed on them, and said unto them, Receive Ye the Holy Ghost."
6. He missed the commission.(Lu.24:47)
7. Thomas lived in unbelief and maybe jeopardy for a whole week because he was not present Sunday evening.

2. Reasons We Should Attend Every Service.

1. Jesus is there.
2. Christians hunger and thirst after righteousness.
3. To grow in grace and knowledge.
4. Your children and grandchildren are watching you and they follow your example.
5. So your influence will count for Christ.
6. To avoid causing a brother to stumble.
7. To associate with the best people in the world.
8. Find strength to endure temptation.
9. That the world may know you have been with Jesus.
10. Lest I profess to know God but in works deny him.
11. To be zealous of good works.
12. To seek first the kingdom.

"Therefore be ye also ready: for in such an hour as ye think not the Son of man cometh." (Mt.24:44)

Suppose the church was assembled, and Jesus came, and we were not present!!!