

Cleopas

# READ

- You might like to read Luke 24: 13-45 [here](#)
- Cleopas means ‘glory to the Father’
- Cleopas was walking to Emmaus
  - He heard Jesus explain all that had happened
  - He recognised Jesus in the breaking of the bread
  - He and his companion rushed back to Jerusalem to share the good news
- As you read about Cleopas, what do you notice?



The Road to Emmaus  
Janet Brooks Gerloff



# REFLECT

- You might like to read the story once more and pause at a word or phrase that strikes you.
- Meditate over this word or phrase with God until you come to a point of stillness.
- What do you sense God's invitation to you might be and how do you want to respond?
- As you finish your time of prayer you might like to thank God for the life of Cleopas and what God has to teach you through it.
- You might like to close your time of prayer by praying the Lord's Prayer.





- At some point this week you might like to pray practically with the narrative of Cleopas.
- You could do this through collage, poetry, bible art journalling, or another creative approach.
- You could take a prayer walk and talk with Jesus as Cleopas did.



CLEOPAS

Glory to the Father

Indeed - Glory.

Every time someone called my name  
I was reminded - Glory to the Father.  
Glory to the Father!

The Glory the heavens declare.  
Glory like a devouring fire.  
The Glory that is God's alone.  
The Glory which filled the tabernacle.

On that road on that third day  
we encountered the radiance of God's Glory.  
We realised that not only had the glory of the Lord risen -  
but that one day it would fill the earth.

And so we cry glory

'Glory to God  
Source of all being  
Eternal Word and Holy Spirit  
As it was is now and ever shall be  
World without end  
Amen'