

**SEEING AND BELIEVING
JOHN 20:24-31**

INTRODUCTION:

Thomas, also called Didymus which means twin, was one of the twelve Apostles of Jesus. He is known as “Doubting Thomas” because he doubted Jesus’ Resurrection when first told of it by the other ten Apostles (Judas died before Christ’s Resurrection). Later, Thomas confessed his faith upon seeing Jesus’ crucifixion wounds.

- I. **The Absence of Thomas** (v. 24)
- II. **The Doubtfulness of Thomas** (v. 25)
- III. **Christ Appears to Thomas** (vv. 26-27)
- IV. **The Strong Confession of Thomas** (v. 28)
- V. **A Great Lesson for Mankind** (v. 29)
- VI. **The Signs of Christ** (v. 30)
“Sign” – miracle, mark, token, indication
- VII. **The Purpose of this Gospel** (v. 31)

CONCLUSION:

- A. **When we Believe in Christ, we are accepting His payment for our sins.**
- B. **Do you Believe in Christ? Have you accepted Him as your Lord and Savior? If so, the Blessings of Heaven await you.**
- C. **If not, declare today as the day of Salvation – Tomorrow is not guaranteed.**
- D. **Romans Road to Salvation (Rom 3:10, 23; 5:8; 10:9, 13)**

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“the word of our God shall stand for ever” (Isa 40:8).

*Blessed Are
those who Believe
WITHOUT
Seeing
John 20:29*