



**Psalm 132:11,
Acts 2:30**
***A Funny Thing Happened on
the Way to Pentecost***

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① Peter is preaching the Gospel in Acts 2, but at the same time preaching a dire warning. There is not just the good news, but there's bad news — they had rejected and crucified their own king → • **ACTS 2:36** "Therefore let all Israel be assured of this: God has made this Jesus, whom you crucified, both Lord and Christ"; as was shown us in • **PSALM 118:22** "The stone the builders rejected has become the capstone."

• How do you address — in your conversations and in your relationships — the bad news related to the Gospels good news? What does that sound like?

② • **MATTHEW 12:38-40** ³⁸ Then some of the Pharisees and teachers of the law said to him, "Teacher, we want to see a miraculous sign from you." ³⁹ He answered, "A wicked and adulterous generation asks for a miraculous sign! But none will be given it except the sign of the prophet Jonah. ⁴⁰ For as Jonah was three days and three nights in the belly of a huge fish, so the Son of Man will be three days and three nights in the heart of the earth. (The resurrection was the promised sign of Jonah.)

• The crowd in Acts 2 is being given another chance, like Jonah. After rejecting the capstone, they were getting another chance to reexamine their decision...

① What chances have you been given to reexamine situations, decisions, life?

② What chances have you been given to reexamine in the essential decisions in your faith? (Repent, Believe, Follow Him)

③ What chance have you been given to reexamine your non-essential decisions/issues/beliefs in your faith? (Certain beliefs or ways of following Jesus)