

**April 4, 2021** Easter Sunday **Mark 16: 1-8 (vv. 5-6)** When the sabbath was over, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices, so that they might go and anoint him. 2 And very early on the first day of the week, when the sun had risen, they went to the tomb. 3 They had been saying to one another, "Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance to the tomb?" 4 When they looked up, they saw that the stone, which was very large, had already been rolled back. **5 As they entered the tomb, they saw a young man, dressed in a white robe, sitting on the right side; and they were alarmed. 6 But he said to them, "Do not be alarmed; you are looking for Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has been raised; he is not here. Look, there is the place they laid him. 7 But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him, just as he told you." 8** So they went out and fled from the tomb, for terror and amazement had seized them; and they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid.[a]

### **Writer 1 Jim**

looking for desolation / finding emptiness / resurrection  
across the street / planted by a long-gone neighbor / azaleas  
screen porch dinner / four vaccinated seniors / Red's take-out

### **Writer 2 Jane**

The Moment arrives / to always follow Jesus / He has gone ahead  
alarmed, shocked, frightened / even though The Plan foretold / Easter's premiere  
Sear's toy selection / childhood anticipation / now seed catalog

### **Writer 3 Anne**

Early in the morning / Seek His surprises / Then dress for your day  
One step at a time / He's already there / Awaiting proclamation  
There's light at the end / of every tunnel / Hope for redemption

### **Writer 4 Pam**

An angel appears / again to bring good news, fear not! / Alleluia he is risen!  
Easter morning Joys / celebrate for he has risen / hallelujah! Amen!  
Birthday party / unicorns and Minnie Mouse / Great grand turns three

### **Writer 5 Elizabeth**

Invisible / Jesus is gone / color of Faith  
Jesus is / busy / God's right hand man  
my row of kale / eaten by a marauder / it will return

### **Writer 6 Carolyn**

Jesus raised from the dead / What does resurrection mean? / We remember you  
Via de Cristo / A lasting group of friendship / Thank you God for that  
You can spell me / Forward, backward, upside down / NOON is my name

### **Writer 7 Wen**

Do not be alarmed! / The Lord knows when we're in need / He will amaze us!  
When we stray from God / Open your heart to the Lord / He will send His peace!

