

How did Jesus help prepare for the Kingdom?

Acts 1:1-8

He provided proofs, v.1-3

He was shown after
His resurrection

He showed
Himself alive

What proofs?

He met the
Mary's – Mt. 28:9

The road to
Emmaus –
Lk. 24:13, 30

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What proofs? (contd)

The Commission
– Mt. 28:16ff

Sea of Tiberius–
Jn. 21:1, 12

Presented to
apostles –
Lk. 24:36, 43

The 500 –
I Cor. 15:6

These proofs established a foundation for the saints, one that could not be destroyed–Acts 10:41

How did Jesus help prepare for the Kingdom?

Acts 1:1-8

He gave direction, v.4-8

The Commission
– Mt. 28:16ff

Promise of the
Spirit – Jn. 16:13

Stay in Jerusalem–
Lk. 24:46ff;
Acts 1:4

Order of spread –
Acts 1:2-5; 8:1,4;
13,15,18

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It is at hand? –
Mt. 4:17

The means of
entering? –
Jn. 3:5

More parables? –
Mt. 13:11

The rule of God?
– Mt. 4:23

Seeking it first? –
Mt. 6:33

Not of this world?
– Jn. 18:36

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Will you restore
the kingdom?
Physical

The rule of God?
– Mt. 4:23

Mk. 9:1; Mt.
16:19; Acts 2
Spiritual

The saints and apostles would know everything
they needed to know to be able to serve God

How does what Jesus did help prepare us for the Kingdom?

The proofs established a foundation for the saints

→ These same proofs provide us with hope and faith – Jn. 20:30, 31

Jesus was in complete control of how His Gospel and kingdom would be preached

→ We can rest assured He still is—1 Cor. 15:24-28

The saints and apostles would know what they needed to know concerning the kingdom

→ We can know what this kingdom is about through their example – Phil. 3:15-21