



## Discussion Guide for “To Serve Man” Strangers in a Strange Land Week 1

Easter celebrates Jesus' resurrection, his victory over death, and our invitation to new life. But in a world where there's no such thing as a free lunch, how can we trust that God really wants best for us? A classic Twilight Zone episode and a Ke\$ha song help us see exactly why the resurrection proves God is good and worthy of our trust!

Scriptures for Further Reading

[Jeremiah 31:1-6](#)

[Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24](#)

[John 20:1-18](#)

[Acts 10:34-43](#)

[Colossians 3:1-4](#)

Passage for Sacred Reading:

A sacred reading is a method of reading Scripture that invites God to speak to us through the text. If you have never done a sacred reading, [here is a simple step-by-step guide](#). This week's passage is [Acts 10:34-43](#).

Questions for Discussion

1. Share a time when you've felt “chewed up” by some aspect of our culture.
2. What does the phrase “no such thing as a free lunch” say about how our world works?
3. Do you struggle to believe God is as good as the Scriptures claim? Discuss.
4. How does Jesus' crucifixion prove he's not like the rest of our world? How does his resurrection validate his teachings and example?
5. What does it look like for you to participate in the Heavenly reality of Colossians 3 this week?