



## Day 29 | Share Your Story

In today's One Percent Prayer, Pete invites you to share your faith story with another person.

In today's reading, we see two disciples who, when they come to know who Jesus is in the breaking of the bread, are so moved that they turn around and walk 7 miles back to Jerusalem, to the place of concern and worry that they have just left, in order to announce to others what they have experienced. We see in scripture and the lives of the Saints, many stories of how when someone has encountered the Lord, their immediate response is that they have to tell someone what just happened. They can't hold it in, but they need to share this encounter and love with someone else.

When we have a great experience, we share the story with others--if we see a great movie or find a great new restaurant or a cool place to explore, it's natural to tell others about our experience. When someone else shares their experience with us, we feel their excitement and consider whether we might try that same thing. When we tell others about how we have experienced Jesus' love and presence in our day to day lives, it can encourage them to seek him and receive the love he's longing to give them. You have the opportunity today to not just receive the Lord's love, but be able to radiate that love to those around you. To share his love not only with our actions, but also with our words.

We invite you to ask the Lord who is at least one person with whom you can share the story of your encounter with Jesus? Perhaps someone in your family, a friend, or someone else in your life?

Ask the Lord to give you the opportunity and the courage to share your story with this person today. Then, start a conversation with this person and share your story. Remember, your story is a great gift to God and the person who receives it. It can be as simple as sharing in a few sentences about one specific moment where you know that you encountered the Lord, what life was like before this, and how it has impacted you.