



“The Easter Connection”

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What	In this lighthearted script, two friends prepare for an Easter egg hunt while discussing the meaning of Easter. While one can't seem to follow who Jesus is and what He did, the other helps his friend connect the dots. Themes: Easter, Jesus, Cross, Resurrection, Salvation
Who	Tommy Eddie
When	Present
Wear (Props)	Table 2 Chairs Bowl of jelly beans Easter basket with plastic eggs
Why	Ephesians 2:5-11; John 3:16
How	Keep the dialogue conversational and be careful not to overact. For more ideas on how to perform this skit, watch the video
Time	Approximately 2 minutes

Tommy and Eddie are sitting at a table. There is a bowl of jelly beans in front of them and a basket filled with plastic eggs. They are loading Easter eggs with jellybeans.

Tommy: Hey, thanks for helping me get all this ready. My kids love Easter.

Eddie: Who doesn't love Easter, am I right?

Tommy: Yeah, that's true. But when you think about it, leading up to that first Easter, Jesus had it pretty rough.

Eddie: Wow, I never really thought of that. I wonder whatever happened to that guy...

Tommy: Well, you know, He died on the cross.

Eddie: Are you sure about that?

Tommy: Yeah.

Eddie: No, no that's a different guy. I'm thinking of the Jesus that...what's his last name?

Tommy: No, no, no...it's the same guy.

Eddie: Really? Wow. Ok. Guess I never really connected the two before. Jesus on a cross. I wonder whatever happened to THAT guy.

Tommy: He came back to life...three days later.

Eddie: What?

Tommy: Yeah.

Eddie: Wait. We're still talking about tomb Jesus...?

Tommy: Yes.

Eddie: THAT'S THE SAME GUY?

Tommy: Yeah, Jesus who died on the cross for our sins.

Eddie: No, that's a different Jesus.

Tommy: No, no, no same one. Died on the cross, was buried in the tomb, came back to life, and now He sits at the right-hand of God.

Eddie: Wait. Cross Jesus is the same as right-hand of God Jesus??

Tommy: Yeah.

Eddie: Not separate Jesuses?

Tommy: There's no separate Jesuses.

Eddie: I just never really put them all together before.

Tommy: No, it's just still one guy.

Eddie: Wait, you understand what this means, don't you? One guy did all of that? I mean, that changes history...that changes everything. That is big! *(Beat)* He deserves more than just jelly beans for His birthday.

Optional: For your screen: "This Easter, celebrate the ONE who changed everything."

Eddie eats a jelly bean. Tommy just stares at him. Eddie has an epiphany...

Eddie: Wait. So the Easter Bunny is the same—

Tommy: No!

Lights out.