

THE WAY, THE TRUTH, THE LIFE

JOHN 14:1-11

Troubled hearts; negative responses to the hard sayings of Jesus:

“What?! I don't get it.”

“I don't know what to do with that.”

“I don't like it.”

“I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.” John 14:6

The Way: The cross

“You know the way to where I am going. ‘Lord,’ Thomas said, ‘we don't know where you're going. How can we know the way?’” John 14:4-5

“Truly I tell you, unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains by itself. But if it dies, it produces much fruit...” John 12:24

No other way

“...he will be mocked, insulted, spit on; and after they flog him, they will kill him, and he will rise on the third day.” Luke 18:32-33

“...I lay down my life so that I may take it up again.” John 10:18

*But God proves his own love for us in that while we were still sinners, **Christ died for us.*** Romans 5:8

*For the joy that lay before him, he endured the cross. Hebrews 12:2
...he willingly submitted to death and was counted among the rebels; yet he bore the sin of many and interceded for the rebels. Isaiah 53:12*

The Truth: Revealing the Father

“If you know me, you will also know my Father... The one who has seen me has seen the Father.... Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me. Otherwise, believe because of the works themselves.” John 14:7-11

Know Jesus, know God

Who has gone up to heaven and come down? ...gathered the wind in his hands? ...bound up the waters in a cloak? ...established all the ends of the earth? What is his name, and what is the name of his son—if you know?
Proverbs 3:4

He is the image of the invisible God... Colossians 1:15-16

The Son is the radiance of God's glory and the exact expression of his nature, sustaining all things by his powerful word. Hebrews 1:3

“...I have come into the world for this: to testify to the truth...” John 18:37

The Life: Full of passion, purpose, provision

“If I go away and prepare a place for you, I will come again and take you to myself, so that where I am you may be also.” John 14:3

Life for eternity, life today

“...I have come so that they may have life...in abundance.” John 10:10

God's love was revealed among us in this way: God sent his one and only Son into the world so that we might live through him. 1 John 4:9

Your dead will live; their bodies will rise. Awake and sing...! Isaiah 26:19

Believe. Trust. Flourish!

“Don't let your heart be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in me.”
John 14:1