

Study of John
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KEY VERSES: 20:30-31

OBJECT OF BELIEF: "Behold the Lamb of God"

DISCIPLES BELIEF GROWING: GATHERING OF HIS OWN (6:65-71) / MINISTERING TO HIS CLOSE DISCIPLES / DISCIPLED BY HIS WRITERS / RESURRECTION AND APPEARANCES TO HIS DISCIPLES

CONFLICT WITH JEWS: PEOPLE'S UNBELIEF INTENSIFYING

PHASES: INFANCY, CHILDHOOD, YOUTH, ADULTHOOD, DEATH, BURIAL, RESURRECTION, ASCENSION

ERA OF INCARNATION BEGINS	YEARS OF CONFLICT	DAY OF PREPARATION drama and crisis	HOUR OF SACRIFICE crisis	DAWN OF VICTORY resurrection	EPHLOGIST
PUBLIC MINISTRY		THE GREAT PASSION		PRIVATE MINISTRY	
THREE YEARS		FEW DAYS			
SIGNS WROUGHT (MIRACLES)		SELF REVEALED (DISCLOSURES)			

KEY WORDS: before (18), man (28), Jew (17), King (10), glory (6), the Father (10), mercy, words (2), light, witness, love, belief, the whole, heart, word, judgment, name

Chapter: 1-1:18
 • 1-1:18: Incarnation
 • 1:19-51: John the Baptist
 • 1:52-12:12: Jesus' ministry

Chapter: 6-12:12
 • 6-12:12: Jesus' ministry

Chapter: 13-17:1
 • 13-17:1: Jesus' ministry

Chapter: 18-21:1
 • 18-21:1: Jesus' ministry

Footnotes:
 • First Passover of John: 2:13, 2:15, 6:4, 11:55
 • Passover to John

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John 1:23-39 **Session 1A**

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John 1:23-28 He said: "I am the voice of one crying in the wilderness: "Make straight the way of the LORD," as the prophet Isaiah said." Now those who were sent were from the Pharisees. And they asked him, saying, "Why then do you baptize if you are not the Christ, nor Elijah, nor the Prophet?" John answered them, saying, "I baptize with water, but there stands One among you whom you do not know. It is He who, coming after me, is preferred before me, whose sandal strap I am not worthy to loose." These things were done in Bethabara (Bethany) beyond the Jordan, where John was baptizing.

- ▀ What character does John perfectly display?
- ▀ What was John the Baptist's true function?
- ▀ What was the significance of John baptizing with water?

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John 1:29-34 The next day John saw Jesus coming toward him, and said, "Behold! The Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world!" "This is He of whom I said, 'After me comes a Man who is preferred before me, for He was before me.' I did not know Him; but that He should be revealed to Israel, therefore I came baptizing with water." And John bore witness, saying, "I saw the Spirit descending from heaven like a dove, and He remained upon Him. I did not know Him, but He who sent me to baptize with water said to me, 'Upon whom you see the Spirit descending, and remaining on Him, this is He who baptizes with the Holy Spirit.' And I have seen and testified that this is the Son of God."

- ▀ Why refer to Jesus as the Lamb of God?
- ▀ Is there a difference between the sin of the world and the sins of the world?
- ▀ What was the purpose of Jesus getting baptized?

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John 1:35-39 Again, the next day, John stood with two of his disciples. And looking at Jesus as He walked, he said, "Behold the Lamb of God!" The two disciples heard him speak, and they followed Jesus. Then Jesus turned, and seeing them following, said to them, "What do you seek?" They said to Him, "Rabbi" (which is to say, when translated, Teacher), "where are You staying?" He said to them, "Come and see." They came and saw where He was staying, and remained with Him that day (now it was about the tenth hour).

- ▀ Did John's disciples abandon him?
- ▀ What is the significance of Jesus asking the two what they sought?
- ▀ Why did they ask where Christ was staying?

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