

into
LIFE
Study guide

**FAMOUS LAST
WORDS**
John 14-17

John 14:15-31

For Individuals and Life Groups

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Introduction:

John the author of the letter and close friend and follower of Jesus, said this about why he wrote this account of Jesus' life, "Jesus performed many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not recorded in this book. But these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God and that by believing you may have life in his name" (John 20:30-31). It is a letter that presents strongly the nature of Jesus being fully God and Fully man. In the section we are looking at, John 14-17, we encounter Jesus encouraging his disciples about how he was sent by the Father and how the Father would send the Holy Spirit so that they would continue the ministry that Jesus started.



Into the scriptures

Read: John 14:15-31

What do you notice about the passage itself? (Structure, repeated words or ideas, unique words, main points...)

As you work through the passage build a picture of what it looks like in the life of someone who says they love God.

From this passage, how does Jesus describe the different roles of Father, Son, and Holy Spirit?



Into my life

Why do you think Jesus felt the need to share this with his disciples?

Jesus is calling us to obey his commands. In this passage, where did obedience to the Father flow from for him? Where does obedience flow from for you? Why?

How have you seen the Holy Spirit take on the role of teacher in your life? What questions do you have about the Holy Spirit and his role in your life?

Where in your life do you need the peace of God right now? (Pray for each other in this)

How will I be different this week because of what I've just read?

Other Application Questions:

Is there something to worship or thank God for?

Is there a promise to claim or a truth to believe?

Is there something I am convicted about that I need to work on?

Is there something or someone I need to pray for this week? (Be specific)

Is there any relationship I need to work on?



Into the world



How have you seen the world not accept you are someone else who lives their faith in the world? How can you be an encouragement to each other to keep following Christ? What do you need from your group to do this?



Prayer List



Challenge for the week:



More Resources for personal and group use:



24-7-3 reading plan. For the next seven weeks read 3 chapters in John each day. When you finish the book start from the beginning.



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Bring Jesus into Life

By...

...becoming an increasingly healthy, vibrant and effective witness for Jesus in Prince George and around the world!

We do this by engaging in three things:



GATHER

Sunday mornings to celebrate and learn about God



GROUPS

Weekly meetings that go deeper in relationships with each other and God



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Serving in the church and community to present Jesus to the world