

Daily Bible Readings for Home Study and Worship

LET'S STUDY!!

Read ahead for: 09 January 2022

Abide in the True Vine

Monday- Live in Righteousness (**Matthew 5:21-48**)

Tuesday- Spiritual Fruit (**Galatians 5:22-26**)

Wednesday- Thirst for God (**Psalms 42:1-11**)

Thursday- Grafted Branches (**Romans 11:11-21**)

Friday- A tree and Its Fruit (**Matthew 7:15-23**)

Saturday- Love One Another (**John 15:9-17**)

Sunday- The Vine and the Gardener (**John 15:1-8**)

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The Way, the Truth, and the Life¹

Lesson Text: **John 14:1-11;**

Related Scriptures: **John 13:31-38; John 14:12-21;**
Colossians 1:15-20; John 12:44-50; John 5:19-30

TIME: A.D. 30

PLACES: Jerusalem

GOLDEN TEXT: *“Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.” (John 14:6 KJV)*

Scripture Lesson Text

John 14:1-11

1 Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in me.

2 In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you.

3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also.

4 And whither I go ye know, and the way ye know.

5 Thomas saith unto him, Lord, we know not whither thou goest; and how can we know the way?

6 Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.

7 If ye had known me, ye should have known my Father also: and from henceforth ye know him, and have seen him.

8 Philip saith unto him, Lord, show us the Father, and it sufficeth us.

9 Jesus saith unto him, Have I been so long time with you, and yet hast thou not known me, Philip? he that hath seen me hath seen the Father; and how sayest thou then, Show us the Father?

¹ Union Gospel Press, Adult Bible Teacher, Winter Quarter, 05 December 2021, *The Way, the Truth, and the Life* 9

10 Believest thou not that I am in the Father, and the Father in me? the words that I speak unto you I speak not of myself: but the Father that dwelleth in me, he doeth the works.

11 Believe me that I am in the Father, and the Father in me: or else believe me for the very works' sake.

Lesson Aim

Facts: To see that Jesus claims to be the way to the Father and the revelation of Him.

Principle: To understand that Jesus is the way to God and the way to understanding Him.

Application: To not waver when people or our own inclinations try to propose other ways to God, such as religious practices or good works.

Introduction

Jesus had just told His disciples that He was going to suffer and die. To make matters worse, one of them would betray Him and another would deny Him (John 3:21-38). At this, the disciples were dejected and troubled. Jesus gave them good news, however; He would come again for them, and He is in fact the way to God.

I. Developing the Lesson:

- a. Our Hope is found in Jesus (John 14:1-3)
- b. The way to God is Jesus (John 14:4-6)
- c. To see Jesus is to see God (John 14: 7-11)

II. Studying the Text

a. A Place Prepared (John 14:1-3)

- i. Believe in Me (John 14:1)
- ii. My Father's house (John 14:2-3)

b. The Way Revealed (John 14:4-7)

- i. Momentary confusion (John 14:4-5)
- ii. Eternal clarity (John 14:6-7)

c. The Father Shown (John 14:8-11)

- i. Seeing the Father (John 14:8-9)
- ii. Words and works (John 14:10-11)

III. Take Aways

IV. Announcements

V. Closing Prayer