

MESSAGE NOTES

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Encountering Christ (Gospel Of John)
Lazarus
John 11:1-53
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- We now come to Jesus' _____ miraculous _____ in John. Jn 20:30-31
- Jesus takes some from _____ -level to _____ -level perspective.

Jesus said to her, "I AM the resurrection and the life. Anyone who believes in Me will live, even though they die; and whoever lives by believing in Me will never die. Do you believe this?" John 11:25-26

ENCOUNTERING THE RESURRECTION & THE LIFE

- ① **Disciples** get a new take on _____, danger & believing. Jn 11:1-16
- ② **Martha** _____ but _____ Jesus in a _____ way. Jn 11:17-27 (Lk 10:38-42)
- ③ **Mary** sees Jesus quietly _____ her. Jn 11:28-37 (12:1-9; Mk 14:3-9)
- ④ **Lazarus** hears Jesus' _____ & comes _____. Jn 11:38-44 (5:28-29; 6:40)
- ⑤ **Jewish visitors** are split—_____ trust, some _____ & _____. Jn 11:45-46
- ⑥ **Religious leaders** see Jesus as a _____ to get _____ of. Jn 11:47-53

"DO YOU BELIEVE THIS?"

- _____ Me into your _____, trusting that I _____ you. 1 Peter 5:7
- _____ your heart to Me, even if I seem to _____. Psalm 62:8
- Trust Me _____ to _____ I tell you to do. Jn 14:15

Then Jesus said, "Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?" John 11:40

LEARNING FROM THIS ENCOUNTER

- LORD, I want to _____ a _____ -please be _____ resurrection & life.

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8 Miraculous "Signs" In John's Gospel

Pointing to Jesus as the Christ (Messiah) & God's One & Only Son
(cf. John 2:11, 18, 23; 3:2; 4:48, 54; 6:2, 14, 26, 30; 7:31; 9:16; 10:41; 11:47; 12:18, 37; 20:30)

Sign #1

Jesus Turns Water Into Wine (John 2:1-11)

Sign #2

Jesus Heals An Official's Son (John 4:46-54)

Sign #3

Jesus Heals A Paralyzed Man (John 5:1-17)

Sign #4

Jesus Feeds Over 5,000 (John 6:1-14)

Sign #5

Jesus Walks On Water (John 6:15-21)

Sign #6

Jesus Gives Sight To A Blind Man (John 9:1-41)

Sign #7

Jesus Brings Lazarus Back From Death (John 11:1-53)

Sign #8

Jesus' Death, Burial & Resurrection (John 19:16-20:31)

Jesus did many other miraculous 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 Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in His name.
(John 20:31-31)