

JOHN STUDIES

Bible Studies in the Gospel of John (4 lessons)

Lesson #2: THE SAVIOR

Personal Discovery

I am glad that you have completed the first lesson. In Lesson #1 we saw that...

- **The Word of God brings satisfaction to the soul.**
- **Men love darkness rather than light.**
- **God judges every man because of sin.**
- **The penalty for sin is death.**
- **God sent Jesus Christ, His Son, to save us.**

In this lesson we will learn more about Jesus Christ, the Savior. Thank you for taking the time to do these studies.

1. What was God's purpose in giving us the Gospel of John? (20:31) _____

2. In what way are the words of Jesus different from other words? (6:63) _____

3. If a man rejects Christ and His words *now*, what will those same words do in the *last day*? (12:48) _____

19. What is the question usually asked by those who seek to merit salvation, rather than to depend completely on the value of Christ's death? (6:28)

20. How does Jesus answer these people? (6:29) _____

In questions 21-23 ask yourself...

If I hear His Word and believe: (5:24)

21. What do I now have? (5:24) _____

22. Will I be condemned by God to Hell? (5:24) _____

23. Out of what condition, and into what other, have I passed? (5:24)

24. What other verb used in John 1:12 means the same thing as "believe"? _____

25. If I receive Jesus Christ as my personal Savior, will I *really* become a child of God? (1:12)

If possible, continue your daily reading in the ***Gospel of John***.

4. What is the penalty for the sin of unbelief? (8:24) _____

5. At the time of Jesus' trial, what fault was found in Him? (19:4) _____

6. What sort of death did He die? (19:17-18) _____

7. Could Christ have avoided this terrible death? (10:17-18) _____

8. What was the motive which led Jesus to die in our place? (15:13) _____

**“But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.”
(Romans 5:8)**

9. According to the verse just quoted, for what kind of person did Christ die? _____

10. What did John the Baptist call Jesus? (1:29) _____

In Old Testament times, a lamb without spot or blemish was killed and sacrificed as an innocent substitute making atonement for the sins of the people. This was a symbol, or picture of Jesus Christ, the true Lamb of God who was to come into the world. John the Baptist recognized Jesus as this sinless substitute who was to die for our sins.

11. By His death on the cross, what did Christ do with our sins? (1:29) _____

**“who Himself bore our sins in His own body on the tree...
For Christ also suffered once for sins,
the just for the unjust, that He might bring us to God,
being put to death in the flesh, but made alive by the Spirit.”
(1 Peter 2:24 & 3:18)**

12. Besides His death, what else did the Scriptures predict about Jesus (20:9) _____

13. Did His disciples expect this to happen? (20:9) _____

14. What proof did the disciples have that Jesus rose from the dead? (21:14) _____

15. How did Thomas, a particularly skeptical man, prove to himself that Jesus rose bodily from the dead? (20:27) _____

**The Gospel (good news) of Jesus Christ is: That He is the Son of God; that He “... died for our sins according to the Scriptures, and that He was buried, and that He rose again the third day according to the Scriptures.”
(1 Corinthians 15:3-4)**

16. In describing His complete and perfect payment for all sin on the cross, what words did Christ use? (19:30) _____

17. However, the fact that Christ died for all DOES NOT AUTOMATICALLY SAVE ANYONE. Why not? (8:24) _____

18. What is the one thing God asks me to do in order that I may have everlasting life? (6:47) _____