

John 17:22-26 & 18:1-6

22-23. And the **GLORY** which You gave Me I have **GIVEN THEM**, that they may be one just as We are one; I in them, and You in Me; that they may be made perfect in one, and that the world may know that **You have sent Me, and have LOVED THEM as You have LOVED ME.**

- **Romans 8:17** "And if children, then _____ - heirs of God and _____ with Christ, if indeed we suffer with Him, that we may also be _____ together."
- **Ephesians 1:4-6** "Just as He _____ us in Him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and without blame before Him in _____; having predestined us to adoption as sons (children) by Jesus Christ to Himself, according to the _____ of His will, to the praise of the glory of His grace, by which He has _____ us _____ in the _____."
- **I John 3:1** "Behold what manner of _____ the _____ has bestowed on us, that we should be called the _____ of _____! Therefore the world does not know us, because it did not know Him."

Definition: "The GLORY which You GAVE ME I have GIVEN THEM" - When God's word says that **we are "glorified"** it is referring to the state of blessedness into which believers are to enter by being made into the likeness of Christ. God's primary purpose that He wants to accomplish in our lives is **to make us like Jesus**, both in character while here on earth, and when we are resurrected into His likeness and glory.

- **Colossians 3:4** "When _____ who is our life _____, then _____ also will _____ with Him in _____."
- **Romans 8:29** "For whom He foreknew, He also predestined to be _____ to the _____ of His _____, that He might be the firstborn among many brethren."
- **Philippians 3:20-21** "For our citizenship is in _____, from which we also eagerly wait for the _____, the Lord Jesus Christ, who will _____ our lowly _____ that it may be _____ to His _____ body, according to the working by which He is able even to subdue all things to Himself."
- **I John 3:2** "Beloved, now we are _____ of _____; and it has not yet been revealed what we shall be, but we know that when _____ is revealed, _____ shall be _____ Him, for we shall see Him as He is."

Definition: "You have LOVED THEM as You have LOVED ME" - Are you one of those Christians who suffers from **FEELINGS of UNWORTHINESS? Jesus says you are NOT unworthy! God loves YOU as much as He loves Jesus!** God in His great mercy and kindness **CHOSE YOU** to be His son or daughter before you ever did anything either good or bad. **He MADE you** acceptable (Col. 1:12) and **WORTHY, He MAKES you pure and holy**, and He is able to keep you from falling, and keep you blameless in His sight (Jude 24-25).

- **II Corinthians 6:18** "I will be a _____ to _____, and _____ shall be My _____ and _____', says the Lord Almighty."

Definition: "JOINT HEIRS with Christ" - An HEIR is one who will inherit or receive some endowment, property or quality from a PARENT. We are God's children, so we are also His HEIRS. **JOINT HEIRS** means **we will INHERIT EQUALLY with Jesus.**

- **Matthew 25:34** "Then the _____ will say to those on His right hand, 'Come, you blessed of My Father, _____ the _____ prepared for you from the _____ of the world.'"

24. Father, I desire that **they also whom You gave Me** may be with Me where I am, **that THEY may BEHOLD My GLORY** which You have given Me; for You LOVED ME before the foundation of the world."

- **John 7:38-39** "He who believes in _____, as the Scripture has said, out of his _____ will flow rivers of living water.' But this He spoke concerning the _____, whom those believing in Him would _____; for the Holy Spirit was not yet given, because Jesus was not yet _____."

Definition: "JESUS was not yet GLORIFIED" - Jesus was speaking about His death and resurrection, which at this point, was yet in the future. **On the Day of Pentecost**, AFTER Jesus was "glorified" by His resurrection and ascension to heaven, the Holy Spirit was GIVEN and continues to be given to ALL WHO BELIEVE in Him (II Cor. 1:22 & II Cor. 5:5).

- **John 17:1** "Jesus spoke these words, lifted up His eyes to heaven, and said, "Father, the hour has come. _____ Your Son, that Your Son also may _____ You."
- **John 17:4-5** "I have _____ You on the earth. I have finished the work which You have given Me to do. And now, O Father, _____ Me together with Yourself, with the _____ which I had with You before the world was."

Definition: "That they may BEHOLD My GLORY" - Jesus is referring to His resurrection, when three days after His death on the cross, **He came OUT of the GRAVE alive!** However, this is also referring to **His GLORY that we will BEHOLD** when we get to heaven and see **Jesus, the LAMB who was slain**, sitting on the throne with God the Father in all His GLORY.

- **Revelation 22:1-5** "And he showed me a pure river of water of life, clear as crystal, proceeding from the _____ of _____ and of the _____. In the middle of its street, and on either side of the river, was the tree of life..... And there shall be _____ more _____, but the _____ of _____ and of the _____ shall be in it, and His servants shall serve Him. They shall see His face, and His name shall be on their foreheads. And there shall be no night there; they need no _____ nor _____ of the sun, for the Lord God gives them _____."
- **Revelation 21:22-23** "But I saw no temple in it, for the Lord God Almighty and the _____ are its temple. And the city had _____ need of the _____ or of the _____ to shine in it, for the _____ of _____ illuminated it, and the _____ is its _____."

25-26. O righteous Father! **The WORLD has not KNOWN YOU**, but I have known You; and these have known that You sent Me. And I have declared to them Your name, and will declare it, that **the LOVE with which You LOVED Me may be in them**, and I in them.

- **John 14:16-17** "And I will pray the Father, and He will give you another Helper, that He may abide with you forever, even the _____ of truth, whom the _____ cannot _____, because it neither _____ Him nor _____ Him; but you know Him, for He dwells with you and will be in you."
- **I John 2:3-4** "Now by this we know that we _____ Him, if we keep His commandments. He who says, 'I _____ Him,' and does not keep His commandments, is a _____, and the truth is not in him."

- **John 17:3** "And this is _____, that they may _____ You, the only _____ God, and Jesus Christ whom You have sent."

Definition: "The WORLD has not KNOWN YOU" - Why is it that **the WORLD** cannot know God? Doesn't the Bible say, "God so loved **the WORLD** that He gave His only begotten Son"? Yes, but in John 3:16 it means "the inhabitants of the earth, men, the human family in general" that God loves. In John 17:25 it means "the ungodly multitude; the whole mass of men alienated from God, and therefore **HOSTILE to the cause of Christ.**" It is the world in this sense of **the EVIL worldSYSTEM under the control of Satan** that cannot and will not come to know God. Satan is called "**the god of this world**" and the "prince" or "ruler" **of this WORLD**, and unfortunately, many people CHOOSE him rather than the true and living God.

- **John 3:16** "For God so _____ the _____, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever _____ in Him should not perish, but have _____."
- **I John 5:20** "And we know that the Son of God has come, and has given us an understanding, that we may _____ who is _____, and we are in Him who is true, in His Son Jesus Christ. This is the _____ and _____."

Definition: "The LOVE with which You LOVED Me may be IN THEM" - We, as Believers in Jesus Christ, have ALL of the LOVE of God available to us through the Holy Spirit who is living in our hearts.

- **I John 2: 5-6** "But whoever _____ His _____, truly the _____ of God is perfected _____ him. By this we know that we are in Him. He who says he abides in Him ought himself also to walk just as He walked."
- **Romans 5:5** "Now hope does not disappoint, because the _____ of _____ has been poured out in our _____ by the _____ who was _____ to us."

18:1. When Jesus had spoken these words, He went out with His disciples over the Brook Kidron, **where there was a GARDEN**, which He and His disciples entered.

- **Mark 14:26 & 32** "And when they had sung a _____, they went out to the _____ of _____." "Then they came to a place which was named _____; and He said to His disciples, 'Sit here while I _____.'"

Definition: "Where there was a GARDEN" - Jesus and His disciples crossed over the Brook called Kidron, went up to the Mount of Olives, and into a garden named Gethsemane. John completely skips over Jesus praying in the garden of Gethsemane. The other gospel writers include the details of Jesus' prayer (Matt. 26:36-46, Mark 14:32-42, Luke 22:39-46). We will find that John includes details that the other gospel writers leave out, and he leaves out many details that are in the other accounts. John's purpose in writing his account is primarily **to show that Jesus is God in the flesh.**

2-3. And Judas, who betrayed Him, also knew the place; for **Jesus often met there with His disciples.** Then Judas, having received a detachment of troops, and officers from the chief priests, and Pharisees, came there with lanterns, torches, and weapons.

- **Luke 22:39 & 47** "And coming out, He went to the _____ of _____, as He was _____, and His disciples also followed Him." "And while He

was still speaking, behold, a _____; and he was called Judas, one of the twelve, went before them and drew near to Jesus to kiss Him."

4-6. Jesus therefore, **knowing all things that would come upon Him**, went forward and said to them, "Whom are you seeking?" They answered Him, "Jesus of Nazareth." Jesus said to them, **"I am He."** And Judas, who betrayed Him, also stood with them. **Then - when He said to them, "I am He" - they drew back and FELL to the GROUND.**

- **Matthew 26:53-54** "Or do you think that I cannot now _____ to My Father, and He will provide Me with more than twelve _____ of _____? How then could the _____ be _____, that it must _____ thus?"

Definition: "They drew back and FELL to the GROUND" - When Jesus said to them, "I am He" He was really saying "I AM." The word "He" is in italics in your Bible, so that means it is not in the original language. Jesus just said, "I AM," which is the same as saying that He is God. When He spoke those words, **the POWER of it** sent the soldiers, Pharisees and all the others to the ground, as if they had been blown over by a hurricane. Judas, the soldiers and the others did not realize that they were **standing on holy ground!** Jesus could have escaped them at any time, by His own power, or by asking the Father to send thousands of angels to come to His rescue.

- **John 8:57-59** "Then the Jews said to Him, "You are not yet fifty years old, and have You seen Abraham?" Jesus said to them, "Most Assuredly, I say to you, _____ Abraham was, _____." Then they took up _____ to throw at Him; but Jesus hid Himself and went out of the temple, going through the midst of them....."
- **Exodus 3:4-5** "When the _____ saw that he turned aside to look, God called to him from the midst of the bush, and said, 'Moses, Moses!' And he said, 'Here I am.' Then He said, 'Do not come near here; remove your _____ from your _____, for the place on which you are standing is _____ ground.'"
- **Exodus 3:14** "And _____ said to Moses, "I _____ WHO I AM; and He said, Thus you shall say to the sons of Israel, 'I _____ has sent me to you.'"

Definition: "BEFORE Abraham was, I AM" - "I AM" was the name of God given to those under the Old Covenant (Old Testament). It simply means He has no beginning or end, but has ALWAYS EXISTED. When God appeared to Moses in the burning bush (Exodus 3:14) He said, "Tell them 'I AM' has sent you." When the Jews heard Jesus use this term for Himself, they knew EXACTLY what He MEANT by it, and they picked up stones to stone Him to death, because **He was saying He was God!** In trying to translate into English, this name is sometimes referred to as "Jehovah" or "Yahweh." We don't really know how it was pronounced by the Hebrews, because they thought God's name was too holy to speak or write, but **IT IS NOT NECESSARY for us to know it.** The **NAME that is GIVEN TO US** is the **NAME OF JESUS**, and Jesus revealed God to us **in the New Covenant** as **"the Father"**.

- **Acts 4:10 & 12** "Let it be known to you all, and to all the people of Israel, that by the _____ of _____ Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God _____ from the _____, by Him this man stands here before you whole." "Nor is there _____ in any other, for there is _____ other _____ under heaven given among men by which we must be _____."
- **Philippians 2:9-11** "Therefore God also has highly exalted Him and given Him the _____ which is _____ every _____, that at the _____ of _____ every knee should bow, of those in heaven, and of those on earth, and of those under the earth, and that every tongue should

_____ that _____ is _____, to the
glory of God the Father."