

[BELIEVER'S BIBLE STUDY]

THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

Chapter 17

INTRODUCTION...

Chapter 17 is one of the richest chapters in the entire Bible. The whole chapter is an intimate prayer between Jesus and His Father. This is God talking to God; God the Son asking God the Father. This is assurance to the infinite degree that what is requested will be answered. We need only to study His words carefully and seek to apply them to our lives in order to reap the consummation of Jesus' requests.

Be sure that you read the questions carefully to make sure that you have answered the complete question. You will notice that some of the questions may have more than one part.

Remember that you will be using the Inductive Bible Study (IBS) method of study. Which means that in each study you will be required to make observations, interpretations and application of what you have observed and interpreted? (see further explanation in Study #1)

THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE MEMORY VERSE...

John 17:15

"I do not pray that You should take them out of the world, but that You should keep them from the evil one."

NKJV

THIS WEEKS BIBLE STUDY...CHAPTER SEVENTEEN...

Be sure and pray before you begin your bible study, asking the Lord to reveal those things that He wants you to know from the text you are reading.

Read through the chapter, at least twice, and then answer the following questions. Be sure to write the Scripture reference to support your answer.

Who is Jesus praying to in chapter 17?

Who are the three people Jesus is praying for in chapter 17?

What did Jesus mean by “the hour has come”?

What is Jesus able to give?

What is the definition of eternal life?

A...What can we learn from what Jesus said in vs. 4 as it applies to our own lives?

What do we know about Jesus from vs. 5?

What does the word “manifested” mean?

Where did Jesus get the words he spoke to the disciples?

What was the end result of those words Jesus spoke?

Does Jesus pray for the world?

What do you think Jesus meant by “...I kept them in your name. Those whom you gave me I have kept”?

Who is the son of perdition?

Why does the world hate Christians?

What was Jesus' prayer for his disciples as it related to the world?

What does the word 'sanctify' mean?

Who is Jesus praying for in vs. 20 and how do we know?

What is Jesus' desire for us? Why?

What does Jesus want the world to know through us?

A...How does this happen?

How long has God loved Jesus?

Does the world know Jesus? Why or why not?

Write down some of the things that the Lord spoke to your heart while studying Chapter 17?

QUESTIONS?...

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