

The Light of the World

(John 12)

Sermon Notes: Week Twelve

1. Are you uncomfortable in the dark? Have you ever been afraid in the dark and what did you do to relieve the fear?

2. In verses 1-10 there are, aside from Jesus, six individuals or groups of people present. Who are they and why are they with Jesus?

3. Which group might you have hung out with had you been there that day?

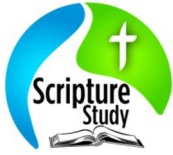
4. Why did the chief priests want to kill Lazarus and put him back in his tomb?

5. In verses 20-34 Jesus tells everyone exactly why is here and what is going to happen to him. What is the people's response? Why did they respond this way?

6. Why is it that a man made light can make it more difficult to see in the dark?

7. What is the point Jesus is trying to make in versus 35 & 36?

Questions for Reflection:



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Key: 12:35 - 36, 44 - 46; cf. 8:12

⁴⁴ Then Jesus cried out, "When a man believes in me, he does not believe in me only, but in the one who sent me. ⁴⁵ When he looks at me, he sees the one who sent me. ⁴⁶ I have come into the world as a light, so that no one who believes in me should stay in darkness.
John 12:44-46

Jesus Anointed at Bethany (John 12:1-10)

The Triumphal Entry (John 12:12-19)

Jesus Predicts His Death (John 12:20-36)

The Jews Continue in Their Unbelief (John 12:37-50)

Personal Prayer Points from this Passage:

Questions or Insights for Discussion:

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