



Seeing Jesus for Who He Is – Matthew 17:1-13, John 6:67-69

“And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became white as light.” ...Matthew 17:2 (ESV)

“Learn to say less than you know...and know more than you say.” ...Unknown

“He (Jesus) is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. For by Him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities--all things were created through Him and for Him.” ...Colossians 1:15-16

“He (Jesus) is the radiance of the glory of God and the exact imprint of His nature, and He upholds the universe by the word of His power. After making purification for sins, He sat down at the right hand of the Majesty on high,” ...Hebrews 1:3

Words of Wisdom

Having a Clearer View in 2020...

1. Peter, James, and John see Jesus in Glory...

Scripture: Matthew 17:1-13, Mark 9:1-13, Luke 9:28-36

2. Comparing Jesus in His First and Second Advents...

Scripture: Matthew 17:1-13, Revelation 1:14 and 19:11-16

First Advent

Suffering Servant

Cross of Blood

Donkey

Staff

Second Advent

Triumphant King

Rod of Iron

White Horse

Sword

3. Peter Speaks Out of Turn...

Scripture: Matthew 17:1-13, Mark 9:1-13, Luke 9:28-36

- Peter was _____ by interrupting Jesus’ conversation with Moses and Elijah.
- Peter was filled with _____ by going on and on.
- Peter didn’t really get it....Evidenced by his treating _____ the same as _____ & _____.

From the Word

Group Discussion

Having a Clearer View in 2020...**Having a Clearer View of Who Jesus is...**

1. Which Jesus do you pray to...the one who died on the cross, or the one who will return?
 - Do we pray to both but under different circumstances?
 - Is Christ's taking the punishment for sin in His First Advent compatible with God's justice and holiness?
 - Is Christ striking down all of His enemies in His Second Advent fair? Is it compatible with God's love?

Simon Peter...sometimes he spoke when he should have listened...

2. How many of Peter's shortcomings do you share?
 - Do you rudely interrupt others?
 - Do you speak up in situations where the wise course is to just listen?
 - Do you think so highly of yourself that you monopolize conversations?

3. What have you learned from this topic and discussion that you can immediately apply to your life?

Prayer

Take a few moments to share any Prayer Requests with the men in your Group. Write down any requests and commit to pray for one another throughout the week.

(It's great to know that other guys are praying for the important things in your life...and it's great to be praying for the important things in their lives!)

How do the **5 Principles for the Christian Man**, help equip you to apply this to your life?

Discuss your answer with your group...

- Prayer (*Relationship*)
- God's Word (*Knowledge and Understanding*)
- Worship (*Adoration*)
- Fellowship (*Encouragement and Accountability*)
- Service (*Caring for Others, Action to your Belief*)