



So We Would Know

John 21:24-25

The Purpose of John's Gospel

John 21:24 This is that disciple who saw these events and recorded them here. And we all know that His account of these things is accurate. ²⁵ And I suppose that if all the other things Jesus did were written down, the whole world could not contain the books.

John 20:30 Jesus' disciples saw Him do many other miraculous signs besides the ones recorded in this book.

³¹ But these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that by believing in Him you will have life. NLT

1. God inspired John to write this book to:

- a. _____ people to Christ
- b. _____ new believers on their journey with Christ
- c. _____ all believers in the walk with Christ

2. John wants to make sure we understand that whatever we think we know about Christ is only a _____ of all that He is.

John 1:1 In the beginning the Word already existed. He was with God, and He was God. ² He was in the beginning with God. ³ He created everything there is. Nothing exists that He didn't make. ⁴ Life itself was in Him, and this life gives light to everyone.

10 But although the world was made through Him, the world didn't recognize Him when He came.

14 So the Word became human and lived here on earth among us. He was full of unfailing love and faithfulness. And we have seen His glory, the glory of the only Son of the Father.

3. More information will not give you the life you need.

_____ in Christ will give you the life you need.

4. Knowing this Gospel will help us talk about Christ. _____ the Gospel draws people to Christ.

5. The gospel of John is written so that we would have life rather than just _____.

6. It's not by knowing the Gospel of John that we receive the life we were meant to live. I receive eternal life by trusting the _____ John writes about.

7. It's not a matter of "I get it." It's all about I _____ Him and _____ Him; He's too much to get.

John 3:16 "For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him will not perish but have eternal life. ¹⁷ God did not send His Son into the world to condemn it, but to save it. ¹⁸ "There is no judgment awaiting those who trust Him. But those who do not trust Him have already been judged for not believing in the only Son of God. ¹⁹ Their judgment is based on this fact: The light from heaven came into the world, but they loved the darkness more than the light, for their actions were evil. NLT

8. _____ Christ is just that; choosing to _____! Jesus is infinitely too big, too powerful and too all-knowing for us to ever understand all about Him. It's all about _____ enough to follow Him.