

JESUS PRAYS—HIS DISCIPLES

JOHN 17:6-19

How did you see God working in your life this week? (Romans 1:11, 12)

KNOW—IF YOU BELIEVE, YOU KNOW. You cannot know without faith. Because of the disciples' faith (**John 6:31**), Jesus reveals the Father to them. (**John 17:6-10, John 17:25, 26, Hebrews 11:6, John 16:13-15, fn 16:13[2ND], I John 5:20, Luke 24:45, fn 24:45, II Corinthians 3:14-18, fn 3:18**) *From John 17:6-10 & verse 13, what did God reveal to the disciples and to you?*

ARE PROTECTED—KEPT SECURE. “The names of God stand not only for his character but also for His power.” F.F. Bruce, *John*, page 332. Because of God's power, we are protected from Satan and kept eternally secure in Jesus. (**John 17:11-15, fn 17:14, John 10:25-30, fn 10:28, 29, Psalms 20:1, Romans 8:31-39, fn 8:35-39, fn 8:38, Ephesians 6:10-12, fn 6:12**) *If Satan is ruler of this world (John 14:30), how will you be able to share your faith?*

ARE SET APART—SANCTIFIED. As Jesus sanctified Himself and His work of crucifixion on the cross (John 18:11), He now sanctifies the disciples (and us!) and sends us into the world to do His work. (**John 17:16-19, John 17:17, fn 17:17, John 20:21, fn 20:21, Matthew 28:18, 19, II Corinthians 5:18-20, fn 5:20, II Thessalonians 2:13-17, fn 2:14**) *God sent Jesus and the disciples into the world. What evidence in your life assures you that God has sent you into the world?*

Check up—Are you praying with your spouse and your family? Group—Pray for personal requests and bond together by fellowshiping together.

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