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JESUS SHOWS

WEEK FOUR • JOHN 14:1-14



THE DINNER CONVERSATION

- “I will die.”
- “One will betray Me.”
- “Peter will deny Me.”
- “All of you will scatter.”
- “Satan will attack.”



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JOHN 14:1 NASB2020



JESUS FELT TROUBLED IN SPIRIT

JOHN 11

- **Grief** over Lazarus' death

JOHN 12

- **Dread** over the coming cross

JOHN 13

- **Pain** over a friend's betrayal



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JOHN 16:33 NIV



EXTERNAL PRESSURE & STRESS

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INTERNAL ANXIETY & WORRY

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“It does not matter how great the pressure is. What really matters is **where the pressure lies** —whether it comes between you and God, or whether it presses you nearer His heart.”

J. HUDSON TAYLOR, 1832-1905



TROUBLE IN YOUR LIFE DOES NOT HAVE
TO PRODUCE **A TROUBLED HEART.**



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MY FUTURE HOME IS SECURE

JOHN 14:2-4 NASB2020

In My Father's house are many **rooms (dwelling places)**; if that were not so, I would have told you, because I am going there to prepare a place for you. ³ **And if I go and prepare a place for you, I am coming again and will take you to Myself**, so that where I am, there you also will be. ⁴And you know the way where I am going."



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JOHN 14:5-6 NASB2020

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7 I AM'S IN JOHN

- I am the bread of life - JOHN 6:35
- I am the light of the world - JOHN 8:12
- I am the door/gate for the sheep - JOHN 10:7
- I am the good shepherd - JOHN 10:11
- I am the resurrection and the life - JOHN 11:25
- **I am the way, the truth, and the life** - JOHN 14:6
- I am the true vine - JOHN 15:1 (1,2,3)



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“I am the way, the truth, and the life. Without the way there is no going; without the truth there is no knowing; without the life there is no living. I am the way which thou shouldst pursue; the truth which thou shouldst believe; the life which thou shouldst hope for.”

THOMAS A' KEMPIS, “THE IMITATION OF CHRIST”



MY **EXPERIENCE** OF JESUS LETS ME SEE GOD CONTINUALLY

JOHN 14:7-11 NASB2020

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COLOSSIANS 1:15-20 NET

- ¹⁵ **He is the image of the invisible God**, the firstborn over all creation,
- ¹⁶ for all things in heaven and on earth were created by him—all things, whether visible or invisible, whether thrones or dominions, whether principalities or powers—all things were created through him and for him.
- ¹⁷ He himself is before all things and all things are held together in him.
- ¹⁸ He is the head of the body, the church, as well as the beginning, the firstborn from among the dead, so that he himself may become first in all things.
- ¹⁹ **For God was pleased to have all his fullness dwell in the Son**
- ²⁰ and through him to reconcile all things to himself by making peace through the blood of his cross—through him, whether things on earth or things in heaven.



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