

Holy Help in Listening

John 14:5-31

Bible Study Questions for

Wednesday, November 10, 2021

1. Thomas, Philip, and Judas each had a question for Jesus. What are the questions they ask?

What does each question suggest about their concerns as they talked together?

2. Focus on the dialogue between Jesus and Thomas in verses 5-7? What comfort might Thomas have found in Jesus' answer to his questions?

Why might some be offended by Jesus' answer to Thomas?

3. What frustration do you sense in Philip as he says the words of verse 8?

4. In verses 9-21, Jesus gives a thorough reply to Philip's complaint. If you were in Philip's sandals, what would you find encouraging here?

5. What would you find scary or confusing in these same verses?

6. Focus on the question from Judas in verse 22. What worry do you sense in his question?

7. What do you find in Jesus' response (vv. 23-31) that would likely encourage Judas and the other remaining disciples?

8. Given your own current setting, what encouragement do you find in Jesus' words to Judas?

9. Review again each sentence of John 14:5-31. Using the information in this text, make as many true statements as you can about God as Trinity (three persons composing one God).

10. Notice the final words of this scene: "Come now; let us leave." Jesus and the disciples were departing for the Garden of Gethsemane. As you leave your own place of study, what concept or phrase from this text do you want to take with you as enter your next event?