

Women of Grace 2008-2009
Come and See: Jesus Christ in the Gospel of John
Homework for Lesson Four
The Son of Man

Your homework will help sharpen your understanding of the Bible and is a ministry to others as you share your answers in your small group. Prayerfully think through each answer with the expectation of sharing with others what God has taught you.

Read John 3
Memorize John 3:14-17

1. (a) Read John 2:23-24. Why did many of the Jews believe in Jesus?

(b) Why didn't Jesus commit Himself to these "believers"?

2. (a) Read John 3:1-21. What did Nicodemus believe about Jesus?

(b) As a Pharisee, what did Nicodemus believe was required to please God and gain eternal life? (Matthew 5:17-20)

3. Though Nicodemus was a religious man, what was his true need, according to Jesus?

4. Explain what Jesus said about the new birth in John 3:3-8 in your own words.

5. What did Jesus teach about the Son of Man in these verses?
John 1:51

John 3:13

John 3:14

John 5:27

John 6:27

6. (a) Read Numbers 21:4-9. What was the purpose of the bronze serpent?

(b) What happened to those who did not look to God's remedy for salvation?

(c) Explain how this symbolizes the Son of Man being lifted up on the cross.

7. Read John 3:22-36.

(a) What did John the Baptist believe about Jesus Christ?

(b) What did he believe about himself?

(c) What would you like to emulate in his attitude of worship?

8. (a) What have you learned this week about true belief?

(b) What blessings have you experienced as a born-again child of God?