



## 6-Week Summer Series

Tuesday Morning Bible Study

7:00 - 8:15 a.m. | Fellowship Hall

June 4, 11, 18, 25 & July 9, 6

The WORDS of  
Jesus

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The words that I say to you 'I do not speak on

as seen the Father. How can you  
'Whoever has  
'Do you not believe that  
'the Father is in me  
'I would have told you; for I go to prepare a place for  
'if you know me, you will know my Father also, or if you

# John 1: 1 - 5

1 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. 2 He was in the beginning with God. 3 All things were made through him, and without him was not any thing made that was made. 4 In him was life, and the life was the light of men. 5 The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it.

**Humble People**

**are**

**Free People**

**and**

**Free People Free People**

**Week Two: Summer 2019**

**John 13: 31 – 38**

**Three Questions**

31 When he had gone out, Jesus said, “Now is the Son of Man glorified, and God is glorified in him. 32 If God is glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself, and glorify him at once. 33 Little children, yet a little while I am with you. You will seek me, and just as I said to the Jews, so now I also say to you, ‘Where I am going you cannot come.’”

34 A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another. 35 By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.”

# The Ripple Effect

By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.”

John 13: 35

How do we most often want people to know we are his disciples?

What does our lack of love reveal?

# **The Disconnect for Peter**

**Is it ours as well?**



36 Simon Peter said to him, **“Lord, where are you going?”** Jesus answered him, “Where I am going you cannot follow me now, but you will follow afterward.” 37 Peter said to him, **“Lord, why can I not follow you now? I will lay down my life for you.”** 38 Jesus answered, **“Will you lay down your life for me? Truly, truly, I say to you, the rooster will not crow till you have denied me three times.**

# Three Questions

## **First Question:**

**“Lord, where are you going?”**

**Second Question:**

**“Lord, why can I not follow  
you now?”**

**Third Question:**

**“Will you lay down your  
life for me?”**

# John 15: 12 - 13

12 “This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. 13 Greater love has no one than this, that someone lay down his life for his friends.

# The Commandment

- That you love one another
  - How? As I have loved you
    - Greater love has no one than this
      - Lay down his life for his friends
        - Jesus did that for us
        - Peter said he was willing

**Easy to say  
Hard to do,  
Unless ....**

We know what it means,  
and what it is like,  
to be greatly loved  
by the Father.



# Questions to Ponder at your table

- Have you ever been deeply loved by another person? If so, briefly tell what that was like.
- What is required for us to “lay down our lives”?
  - What makes that difficult?
- Why would you want to do that? In other words, what would be the benefits?