



DIGGING DEEPER

John 14: Life Changer

In our series on John we are in chapter 14! Pastor Tim challenged us to put aside our compulsion for self and reminded us of Jesus' commandment to love. As you work through this chapter this week, have your group identify the major themes throughout the chapter.

» **LEADER NOTE:** One of the main takeaways from this season of small groups should be encouraging your group members to take what they read and respond through the way they live. Make sure to encourage application and response in your reading, discussion, and prayer.

DISCUSS

Using the SOAP method, read through John 14. Share your observations with your group.

OPENING QUESTION: Over the past six weeks, what has been your source of comfort or peace?

1. What promises does Jesus make throughout the chapter? What do these promises mean for us today?
2. John 14:6 contains another "I am" statement from Jesus. How do you think the disciples interpreted this?
3. What does it mean to have the Spirit within us? Are you more inclined to live like you are in the presence of God or outside of it? What does it mean for you and your faith to have the Spirit inside of you?
4. Read verse 23 again. What is the "If/Then" statement that Jesus is making? How have you observed or experienced this in your life?

PRAY

To close tonight pray through the following things:

- How God might be prompting you to respond to what you have studied.
- How you might respond to Jesus asking you to follow him in a new or deeper way.
- How you might partner with God in being a part of what someone else is going through.

THE SOAP BIBLE STUDY METHOD



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SCRIPTURE

Work through the text slowly getting a picture of the entire context

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OBSERVATION

What observations do you see in the narrative or events?

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APPLICATION

How do you think this applied to people contextually and today?

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PRAYER

Ask God to use what you've read to deepen your relationship with him.

