



THE THREAD

weaving Sunday's message through the week

Date: August 30, 2020

Passage: John 16:16-33

Theme: Glory and Grace Continued

The continuing work of Jesus through the internal ministry of the Holy Spirit ...

1. Turns temporary sorrow into eternal joy.
How?
 - a. By clarifying our spiritual confusion
 - b. by allowing us to see Jesus
 - c. by permitting us to come directly to the Father
2. Enables us to completely experience the Father's love.
How?
 - a. Through the mission of Jesus
 - b. By our response of faith
3. Provides peace despite our failure.
Why?
 - a. We are in Jesus
 - b. He has overcome the world

Main Idea: We experience the continuing glory and grace of Jesus to overcome our current predicaments.

Application Questions:

- How have you experienced through the indwelling of the Spirit temporary sorrow turned into joy?
- Answer from your perspective Klink's question: "Why does our flesh make prayer a burden and not a privilege?"
- What does Jesus teach us about the Father's love in vv. 25-28? How are Jesus' mission and our faith involved in this?
- According to vv. 31-33, why is it that despite our failures we can still have true peace?
- How does this passage give you hope in the predicament(s) that you are currently experiencing?