

Are you greater than our father Abraham, who died? And the prophets died! Who do you make yourself out to be?

Then what sign do you do, that we may see and believe you? What

How can a man

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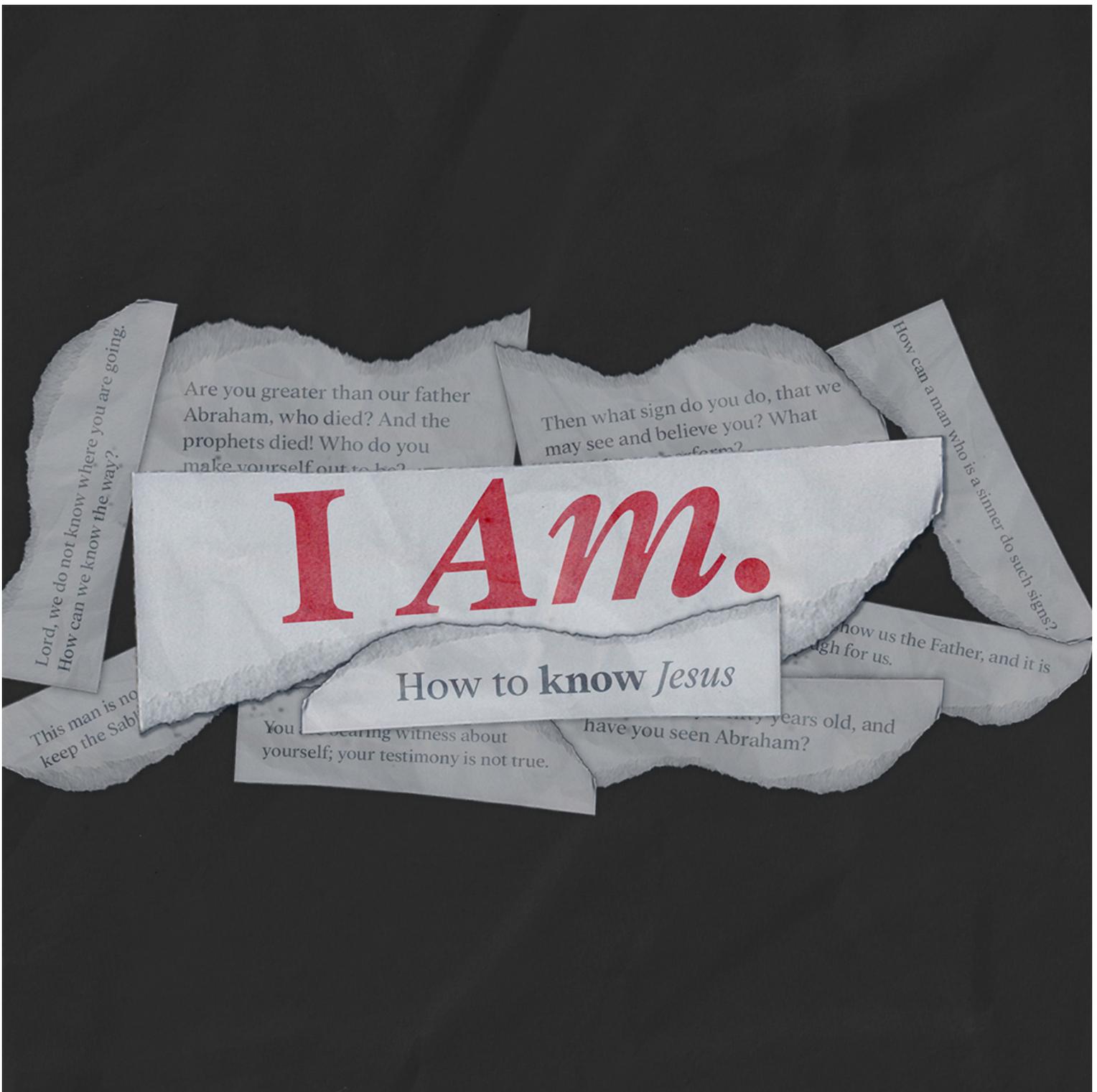
How to know *Jesus*

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ugh for us.

You are bearing witness about yourself; your testimony is not true.

... years old, and have you seen Abraham?





## SESSION 6

### ***READ***

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Take some time in advance to read and consider the Bible study questions and come up with personal examples to encourage discussion.

### ***WATCH***

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Make sure everyone can see the screen and the audio is at a comfortable level.

### ***DISCUSS***

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We hope those who participate in the study walk away knowing, feeling, and doing differently as a result of amazing discussion.

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## How to know Jesus

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### THE RESURRECTION AND THE LIFE

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Have you ever had a family member or friend die? Did that death cause you to question God's love?

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Martha had a mixture of faith and doubt. She believed in a future resurrection. She may have heard Jesus talk about that before. But she didn't expect Jesus to raise Lazarus on that day. She blamed him for being too late. And she warned him about the smell of the tomb.

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Jesus said, "He who believes in me will live, even though he dies; and whoever lives and believes in me will never die." What kind of life and death was Jesus referring to?

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Transcendent life. That's the word Jesus used here. It's the same word he uses in John 10:10. In this passage, Jesus is talking about eternal, meaningful life.

#### INTRODUCTION

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What are some key points that stuck out to you in the video?

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How should Christ's statement alter our views of life and death?

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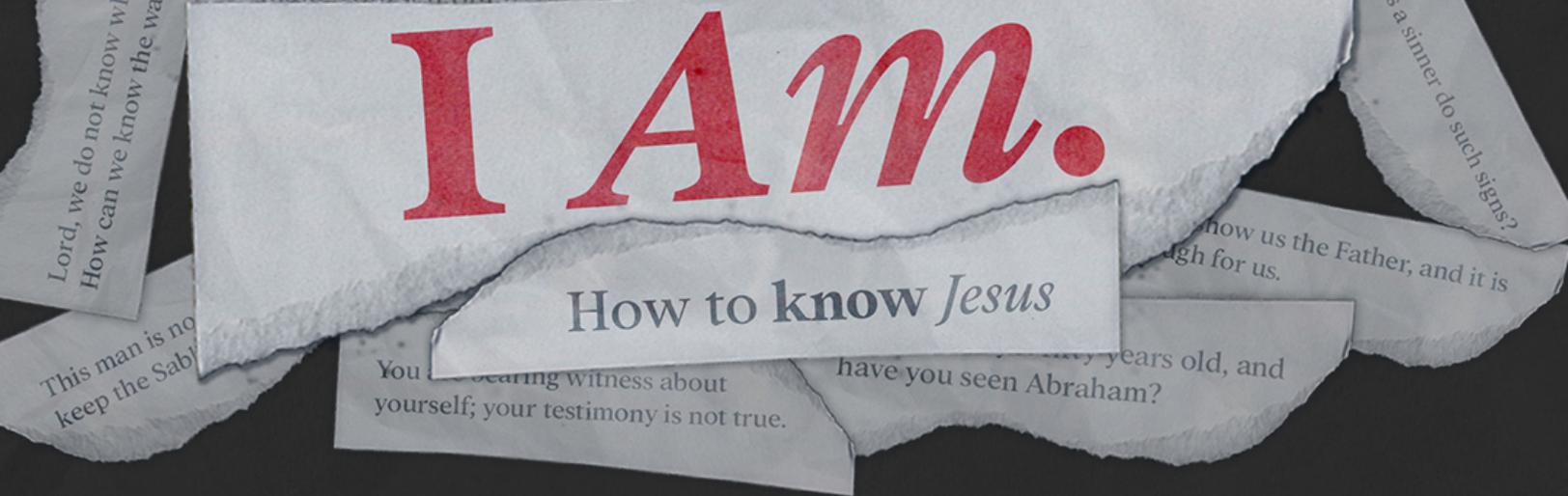
#### READ

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**Read John 11:21-27**

Did Martha have faith, doubt, or a mixture of both in this passage? How so?

We must understand that Jesus is more than a resurrected Savior what I mean is



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Jesus is not simply the Savior who was resurrected, He IS the resurrection.

How is the hope of John 11:25-26 received? (Hint it is mentioned three times in these two verses)

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Belief or faith. Faith conveys the thought of making a commitment to someone. When a person relies or trusts in another person to accomplish a specific task for them they are committing themselves to that person wholeheartedly.

Because Jesus Himself was raised from the dead. Jesus has power of the living and the dead.

In verses 14-19 there are seven things that are true if Christ has not been raised from the dead. What are they?

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1. our preaching is in vain
2. our faith is in vain
3. We are misrepresenting God
4. our faith is futile
5. We are still in our sins
6. those who have died have perished
7. we are to be pitied.

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### Read 1 Corinthians 15:12-28

According to Paul, what confidence do we have that Jesus's words are true and that he can raise the dead as well as the spiritually dead?

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