

Scriptures for further study

John 14:27 | 1 John 4:18 | Romans 8:28 | 1 Peter 5:7

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

John 14:1-6

"Today in the midst of the trouble that all of us are facing, something will capture our thoughts. May it be the Lord of Glory, His powerful presence and the surety of His promises to us." -Paul David Tripp

1. Read John 14:1-6. In what way do you sometimes feel that this world is not your home?

2. Why were the disciples troubled in heart? (John 13:33, 36)

3. Jesus commanded the disciples to stop letting their hearts be troubled. The idea is that of stopping an action that has already begun. The trouble on the inside comes from the outside. Trouble, in this text, conveys the notion of a disturbance, an agitation. What remedy does Jesus give His disciples for their troubled hearts?

4. The fuller meaning of the following command from Jesus is "Keep on believing in God and keep on believing in Me." Are there troubles in your life that directly link to parts of your life where you don't believe in God? What troubles in your life have found comfort while continuing to believe in God?

5. What did Jesus mean by "my Father's house?" What did he promise the disciples?

6. In verse 6, Jesus calls Himself "the Way, the Truth, and the Life." How does this claim solidify why we should "keep on believing" in Jesus?

7. We have opportunities to minister to people with gospel intentionality. How will you apply the command of Jesus (stop letting your hearts be troubled) and confidence in Jesus (keep on believing in God and keep on believing in me) during this unprecedented season?