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John 11: Lazarus

I. John 11 in 2 parts.

- 1) John 11:1-44...Lazarus raise to life
- 2) John 11:45- 57 ...The plot to kill Jesus and Lazarus

II. Things we can learn about Jesus in John 11 (...and why they matter.)

1. Jesus has different **TIMING** than we do.

“So although Jesus loved Martha, Mary, and Lazarus, He stayed where He was for the next two days. Finally, He said to His disciples, ‘Let’s go back to Judea.’” John 11:5-7 (NLT)

2. Jesus sees a **BIGGER PICTURE** than we do.

“Martha said to Jesus, ‘Lord, if only You had been here, my brother would not have died. But even now I know that God will give You whatever You ask.’ Jesus told her, ‘Your brother will rise again.’” John 11:21-23 (NLT)

3. Jesus show us what **GOD IS REALLY LIKE**. (...and it’s not how He’s often portrayed in movies.)

“Then Jesus wept.”

John 11:35 (NLT)

4. Jesus has **REAL POWER**.

“Then Jesus shouted, ‘Lazarus, come out!’ And the dead man came out, his hands and feet bound in graveclothes, his face wrapped in a headcloth.” John 11:43-44a (NLT)

5. Jesus invites us to **HELP HIM** in ministry.

“...Jesus told them, ‘Unwrap him and let him go!’” John 11:44b (NLT)

Next Steps

- Today, for the **first time**, I pray...
Lord Jesus, I ask You to forgive my sins. Thank you. I receive You as my Savior and trust You to be the Lord of my life. Amen.

This week, I will...

- Worship online each Sunday at 10:30, Noon or 5:00pm.
- Pray every day at 12:19pm...for my family, my church family, my community, my country, our world.
- Electronically connect with my community group.
- Join Jim & Jennifer for 7:00pm Family Devotional on FaceBook at Jim-Jennifer Cowart.
- Help someone this week.