

Jesus encouraged His disciples with the news that even though they will _____ His loss that it will be shortly replaced with immense _____.

How can Jesus' victory over the world help us live courageously in our difficult lives?

JESUS' PRAYER FOR ALL OF HIS DISCIPLES

REQUEST #1: That His disciples would continue to represent the _____ and _____ of God in the world.

REQUEST #2: That His disciples would have full _____ through living their lives by His _____.

REQUEST #3: That His disciples would operate in complete _____ with each other because we are all _____ with Him.

How have you seen God use conviction to bring you or someone you know to repentance?

Jesus asked three things for us: that we would represent God's character, live by His truth, and operate in complete unity. The same glory the Father gave Jesus to reveal God's greatness, He has passed on to us as an opportunity and a responsibility. We are the ones appointed to show the world what the Father is like. That happens not by shouting down the culture or demanding rights, it comes by letting God's kind of love become our kind of love—sacrificially, in truth, and in complete unity with each other. When the world looks at the ordinary people of GCF and sees a community perfected in unity, they will have an opportunity see Jesus. Let's be living to show them Him!