

JOHN 3:31-36

THE GREAT REVEALER

THE SUPREME REVEALER

- Read John 3:31. What does it mean that Jesus is above all (e.g. Colossians 1:15-20)?
- How does this verse distinguish between Jesus and John the Baptist?
- Discuss this quote: "The supremacy of Jesus is easy to state, but it's not easy to accept." What might be an example of this in the New Testament (e.g. John 9:1-34)?

THE TRUSTWORTHY REVEALER

- Read John 3:32-34. Why can what Jesus says be trusted completely and why is He the great revealer of truth (e.g. Hebrews 1:1-3)?
- What made Jesus different than the prophets of old who spoke for God, and what does it mean, "He gives the Spirit without measure?"
- Discuss this quote, "The safest and best thing to believe in the entire universe is the testimony of Jesus."

THE AUTHORITATIVE REVEALER

- Read John 3:35-36. What does it mean that the Father "has given all things into His (Jesus') hand?"
- Meditate on and discuss v. 36. When someone rejects Jesus, the wrath of God remains on him. Why must God pour out His wrath on sin, and why/how do those who trust Jesus escape the wrath of God?
- Discuss this quote, "Jesus is life and apart from Him there is no life (e.g. 1 John 5:12-13)."

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