

# THE BOOK OF JOHN

for educators

**JOHN 11:51-54**

*He did not say this of his own accord, but being high priest that year he prophesied that Jesus would die for the nation, and not for the nation only, but also to gather into one the children of God who are scattered abroad. So from that day on they made plans to put him to death. Jesus therefore no longer walked openly among the Jews, but went from there to the region near the wilderness, to a town called Ephraim, and there he stayed with with the disciples.*

## THERE'S A WORD FOR THAT!



Labor

Your labor is not in vain, dear Christian educator. Every time you display the Fruit of the Spirit, you are laboring for the Lord. Every time you love unconditionally, you are laboring for the Lord.

**1 Corinthians 15:58** – *Therefore, my beloved brothers, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that in the Lord your labor is not in vain.*

### A Teacher's Prayer



Dear Heavenly Father,  
Thank You, Lord, for Christian brothers and sisters who love you. Help us to find each other, Lord, so that we may encourage each other to labor for You in our public schools. Please give us the Spirit, power, and self-control to be steadfast, immovable and always abounding in Your work at our school. When our labor is love, may it point to You. Help us to the confident and share a deep belief that our labor is never in vain. We say "Hallelujah" to our Comforter and Friend, Jesus. Amen.



## MEDITATION FOR THE MONTH



**Deuteronomy 6:4-9** – *Hear, O Israel: The LORD our God, the LORD is one. You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might.*

## PRAYER, POSTURE AND PRACTICALITIES



**1:16 PM prayer prompt** – Please pray to remember that the Spirit is our advisor.

**Prayer walking– Action step #1** – Come in early or stay a little later to prayer walk. If you have indoor hallways, claim one hall at a time. Walk up the hall and pray for the teachers/students by classroom on one side, turn around and pray for the rest of the classrooms on the other side.

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