

Bible Studies

John 3v16

For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. John 3:16

This has got to be the best known verse in the Bible.

Why do you think that is?

It is said familiarity breeds contempt. Is it possible that because we know this verse so well we miss it's beauty and significance?

Imagine you are going to preach on this verse.

What is the context this verse is written in?

Have you read the passage?

Who was Jesus talking to?

What was the subject of their conversation?

What was the biggest thing that stopped this man being born again?

Why did Jesus say these words at this time?

There are four direct things this verse tells us, they are:

What is the dividing line between perishing and having eternal life?

How do verses 17 and 18 relate to verse 16?

How much of verses 17 and 18 echoes verse 16?

What was God's Goal in sending his son into the world?

What preconception about religion is He keen to avoid?

What do you think is the most important thing about this verse?

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Will you need to define what it means to believe?

What other verses do you know that speak about

Being saved through believing?

Not intending to condemn the world?

God loving the world?

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God sent his Son

Salvation is through believing

We can have eternal life

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Rom 10:10; Rom 4:24;

Gal 2:16; Eph 2:8

Not intending to condemn the world?

2 Pet 3:9; 1 Tim 2:4

God loving the world?

1 John 4; Rom 5:8

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