

John 17

1. What type of communication is recorded in John 17? (*for help see verses 1, 9, 15 & 20*)
 - a. Who is speaking in this chapter, and to Whom is He speaking?
2. According to John 17:2 and Matthew 28:18, how much authority does Jesus have?
3. How did Jesus define “eternal life” in verse 3?
4. Jesus had glorified the Father upon the earth. Where does He now ask the Father to glorify Him?
5. In verses 6-12 Jesus makes repeated reference to those whom the Father had “given” to him. To whom does He refer?
 - a. From this group of people, who did Jesus “lose?”
 - b. **Note:** What other group of disciples does Jesus mention in verse 20?
6. What did Jesus “give” the apostles, and how did the world react towards them as a result?
7. Jesus prayed for His disciples to be “one” (unified).
 - a. Which disciples in verse 11?
 - b. Which disciples in verse 21?

8. How were the apostles “sanctified?”
 - a. What does it mean to be sanctified?
9. Considering verses 20-21, what lesson can the world learn from the unity of the saints?
 - a. Upon what basis is true unity attained and maintained?
 - b. How is it achieved according to 1 Corinthians 1:10?
 - c. How is it achieved according to Philippians 3:16?
10. As earlier in the book, Jesus again states that He was in the Father and the Father was in Him. What does this teach us about their nature?
11. What misconception do most denominationalists and even some brethren have about “unity?”