

Sermon Quotes
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What Jesus Said After John 3:16

Joh 3:11-21

- (11) Truly, truly, I say to you, we speak of what we know, and bear witness to what we have seen, but you do not receive our testimony.
- (12) If I have told you earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you heavenly things?
- (13) No one has ascended into heaven except he who descended from heaven, the Son of Man.
- (14) And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up,
- (15) that whoever believes in him may have eternal life.
- (16) "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.
- (17) For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.
- (18) Whoever believes in him is not condemned, but whoever does not believe is condemned already, because he has not believed in the name of the only Son of God.
- (19) And this is the judgment: the light has come into the world, and people loved the darkness rather than the light because their deeds were evil.
- (20) For everyone who does wicked things hates the light and does not come to the light, lest his deeds should be exposed.
- (21) But whoever does what is true comes to the light, so that it may be clearly seen that his deeds have been carried out in God."

2 Cor 4:4-5 "And even if our gospel is veiled, it is veiled only to those who are perishing. In their case the god of this world (the devil) has **blinded the minds of the unbelievers**, to keep them from seeing **the light of the gospel** of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God."

"Most of us recognize that we will eventually die, but this recognition is reserved for a distant event, decades from now, not today, not this week, this month, this year. Death is a foreigner, not a close neighbor. Or so we live our lives, clutching fiercely to this illusion."
—Gary Thomas

"The young do not want to think about the afterlife because it is too far off, and the old do not want to think about it because it is too near."
—Harry Blamires