THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

ENCOUNTER *Jesus*

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We are a family of imperfect people following the perfect Savior, **Jesus.**

30 Now Jesus did many other signs in the
presence of the disciples, which are not written
in this book; 31 but these are written so that you
may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of
God, and that by believing you may have life in
his name.

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JOHN 20:30-31 ESV

31 Meanwhile the disciples were urging him,
saying, “Rabbi, eat.” 32 But he said to them, “I
have food to eat that you do not know about.”
33 So the disciples said to one another, “Has
anyone brought him something to eat?” 34 Jesus
said to them, “My food is to do the will of him who
sent me and to accomplish his work.

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JOHN 4:31-34 ESV

The Father's Will

- **Faithfulness nourishes the soul**

3 For this is the will of God, your sanctification:
that you abstain from sexual immorality

1 THESSALONIANS 4:3 ESV

18 Give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the
will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

1 THESSALONIANS 5:18 ESV

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“Nine-tenths of the difficulties are overcome when our hearts are ready to do the Lord's will, whatever it may be.”

GEORGE MÜLLER, ANSWERS TO PRAYER

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Jesus

Am I living for what fills me or what fulfills me?

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20 I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I now live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.

GALATIANS 2:20 NIV

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“The ‘Cross’ is every single thing, large or small, important in my eyes or trivial, in which the will of God cuts across my will.”

ELISABETH ELLIOT, GUIDED BY GOD'S PROMISES

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Jesus

35 Do you not say, ‘There are yet four months, then
comes the harvest’? Look, I tell you, lift up your eyes,
and see that the fields are white for harvest. 36 Already
the one who reaps is receiving wages and gathering fruit
for eternal life, so that sower and reaper may rejoice
together. 37 For here the saying holds true, ‘One sows
and another reaps.’ 38 I sent you to reap that for which
you did not labor. Others have labored, and you have
entered into their labor.”

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JOHN 4:35-38 ESV

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  Am I living for what fills me or what fulfills me?
- **God is always at work**

Where is God at work around me?

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- **God is always at work**
  Where is God at work around me?
- **Go to work with dad**

39 Many Samaritans from that town believed in him
because of the woman's testimony, “He told me all that
I ever did.” 40 So when the Samaritans came to him,
they asked him to stay with them, and he stayed there
two days. 41 And many more believed because of his
word. 42 They said to the woman, “It is no longer
because of what you said that we believe, for we have
heard for ourselves, and we know that this is indeed the
Savior of the world.”

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JOHN 4:39-42 ESV

Who can I share Jesus with?

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Jesus

27 Do not work for food that spoils, but for food that
endures to eternal life, which the Son of Man will
give you. For on him God the Father has placed
his seal of approval.” 28 Then they asked him,
“What must we do to do the works God requires?”
29 Jesus answered, “The work of God is this: to
believe in the one he has sent.”

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JOHN 6:27-29 NIV

"God is God. If He is God, He is worthy of my worship and my service. I will find rest nowhere but in His will, and that will is infinitely, immeasurably, unspeakably beyond my largest notions of what He is up to."

ELISABETH ELLIOT, THROUGH GATES OF SPLENDOR

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