



SERMON GUIDE

FOR GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD

John 3:16-21

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SERMON NOTES

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OUR MISSION is to make more and better disciples of Jesus Christ.

THIS WEEK'S MEMORY VERSE (Year 2, Week 15)

Is. 40:8 (The Word)

The grass withers, the flower fades, but the word of our God will stand forever.

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Conversation Questions

Getting to Know Me: Have you ever been surprised by unexpected evidence or proof of something you didn't believe? How did that experience affect your perspective and what did you learn?

Read John 3:16-21

- S** What verses, phrases, words, or feelings stand out to you as you read this text? Is anything "illuminated," surprising, or jumping off the page and affecting your spirit?
- O** What does John 3:16-17 show about God's love and purpose for humanity?
- O** What relationship do you see in verse 18 between belief, unbelief, and condemnation?
- O** In verses 19-21, what do we learn about remaining in the darkness and coming into the light?
- A** If God had written this passage just for you, what words, phrases or ideas would he have underlined specifically for you? What did you need to hear most? Why?
- A** "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son..." (John 3:16). Take a moment right now to read Romans 8:31-39 and Ephesians 3:14-19. Do these passages have any personal meaning for you? What impact do they have on your life and relationships?
- A** Are there any areas of your life where you need to "live by the truth" and come into the light?
- P** Talk to God about your application responses above. Ask him to speak to you, help you, forgive you, and provide you direction that you need.

The Conversation Guide is a great tool for individuals, families, discipleship groups and Missional Communities to take a deeper, more personal dive into the content of the current sermon series. The Conversation Guide will be posted by every Friday on the 'live' page of our website and in our weekly newsletter. We encourage you to use it this week on your own, around your dinner tables, over coffee with your friends or in your faith groups!

The Conversation Guide is built on the SOAP model, which is a tool you can use when reading the Bible. SOAP helps you be intentional about paying attention to:

Scripture that stands out to you while you read

Observations about the verse or phrases that stood out to you

Application that connect the verses to your real life and relationships

Prayers that invite God to participate in your life and provide power to follow him