



## International Bible Study Commentary

Verse-by-Verse Bible Lessons Thru the Bible

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### **John 11:38-46 Scripture Handout New International Version**

Assign each person in the class one or more verses to study.  
Each person should answer these two questions on their assigned verse.

1. What does this verse say?
  2. What does this verse mean to me?
- Discuss your answers with the class.

(John 11:38) Jesus, once more deeply moved, came to the tomb. It was a cave with a stone laid across the entrance.

(John 11:39) “Take away the stone,” he said. “But, Lord,” said Martha, the sister of the dead man, “by this time there is a bad odor, for he has been there four days.”

(John 11:40) Then Jesus said, “Did I not tell you that if you believe, you will see the glory of God?”

(John 11:41) So they took away the stone. Then Jesus looked up and said, “Father, I thank you that you have heard me.

(John 11:42) I knew that you always hear me, but I said this for the benefit of the people standing here, that they may believe that you sent me.”

(John 11:43) When he had said this, Jesus called in a loud voice, “Lazarus, come out!”

(John 11:44) The dead man came out, his hands and feet wrapped with strips of linen, and a cloth around his face. Jesus said to them, “Take off the grave clothes and let him go.”

(John 11:45) Therefore many of the Jews who had come to visit Mary, and had seen what Jesus did, believed in him.

(John 11:46) But some of them went to the Pharisees and told them what Jesus had done.

**Write out the verse or verses you have been assigned below:**

**Answer These Questions for Class Discussion or Personal Study**

1. What does the verse say?
2. What does the verse mean to me?