



International Bible Study Commentary

Verse-by-Verse Bible Lessons Thru the Bible

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John 12:44-50 Study Hints for Discussion

[Study Hints for Discussion and Thinking Further](#) are not actually intended to be *the answers* to the discussion questions. These indeed are “hints” a teacher may use to help students think through and discuss the questions in class. The [Class Preparation Guide](#) includes the questions below, and it can be given to students at the end of the previous class; then, they can pray, read, and think ahead to prepare for the next week’s Bible lesson. And/Or, consider giving each student the [Verse-by-Verse Scripture Handout](#), which includes the Bible verses to be studied before class and other questions.

1. If you believe in Jesus, who did Jesus say you also believe in? If you see Jesus, who did Jesus say you also see?

You would also believe in the Father. If you see Jesus in His true spiritual attributes as He has revealed himself in the Bible, you also see the Father.

2. How did Jesus come into the world?

Jesus came into the world as the Word made flesh. He came into the world as a man: fully God and fully human.

3. Why did Jesus come in that way into the world?

Jesus came into the world to save the world.

4. On the last day, what will serve as judge of those who reject Jesus?

The word (message) Jesus spoke will serve as judge.

5. What commandment did the Father give Jesus? What did Jesus say about His Father's commandment?

A commandment about what to say and what to speak. His Father's commandment is eternal life, and Jesus spoke just as the Father told Him.

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