



International Bible Study Commentary

Verse-by-Verse Bible Lessons Thru the Bible

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John 15:10-17 Scripture Handout New Revised Standard 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 15:10) “If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love.

(John 15:11) I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be complete.

(John 15:12) “This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you.

(John 15:13) No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends.

(John 15:14) You are my friends if you do what I command you.

(John 15:15) I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father.

(John 15:16) You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name.

(John 15:17) I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another.”

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?