

International Bible Study Commentary

Verse-by-Verse Bible Lessons Thru the Bible L.G. Parkhurst, Jr.

John 17:20-26 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 17:20) "My prayer is not for them alone. I pray also for those who will believe in me through their message,

(John 17:21) that all of them may be one, Father, just as you are in me and I am in you. May they also be in us so that the world may believe that you have sent me.

(John 17:22) I have given them the glory that you gave me, that they may be one as we are one—

(John 17:23) I in them and you in me—so that they may be brought to complete unity. Then the world will know that you sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me.

(John 17:24) "Father, I want those you have given me to be with me where I am, and to see my glory, the glory you have given me because you loved me before the creation of the world.

(John 17:25) "Righteous Father, though the world does not know you, I know you, and they know that you have sent me.

(John 17:26) I have made you known to them, and will continue to make you known in order that the love you have for me may be in them and that I myself may be in them."

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?