

ABUNDANT LIFE

JOHN 10:1-18



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According to the most recent Census Bureau, 72% of people are still married to their first spouse. Currently in the U.S., the divorce rate is dramatically declining. 80% of marriages state they are happy in their marriage and 93% state that they would marry the same spouse over again. Among Christian marriages of church-goers, the divorce rate decreases another 25-50%. The most active couples in their faith report being the happiest in their marriage. *The Good News About Marriage* by Shaunti Feldhahn. (Available in the Rockpile Bookstore.)

Stop going to church, _____.

Stop serving the church, _____.

Stop getting into the Bible, _____.

“God is most glorified in us, when we are most satisfied in Him.” *Desiring God* by John Piper

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MON - Hosea 12-14
TUES - Joel 1-3
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THU - Amos 3-5

FRI - Amos 6-7
SAT - Amos 8-9
SUN - Proverbs 22

“The worth and excellency of a soul is to be measured by the object of its love. We are most satisfied when we seek God’s pleasure above our own, and we gradually become conformed to what we most love and admire. We do not exist for ourselves—we exist for the Father and through the Son. Our souls become emaciated when our pleasure is affixed to position, possessions, and power, because these things are destined to corrupt and perish.”
The Life of God in the Soul of Man by Henry Scougal (Scottish Theologian, 1650-1678)

Jesus is:

1. The Bread of LIFE. **John 6:48**
2. The Light of the world. **John 8:12**
3. The Door. **John 10:9**
4. The Good Shepherd. **John 10:11**
5. The Resurrection and the LIFE. **John 11:25**
6. The Way, and the Truth, and the LIFE. **John 14:6**
7. The True Vine. **John 15:1**

God is our:

1. Healer (YHWY Rapha) **Exodus 15:26**
2. Peace (YHWH Shalom) **Judges 6:24**
3. Provider (YHWH Yireh) **Genesis 22:14**
4. Banner (YHWY Nissi) **Exodus 17:15**
5. Righteousness (YHWY Tsidkenu) **Jeremiah 23:6**
6. Presence (YHWH Shammah) **Ezekiel 48:35**
7. Our Shepherd (YHWH Raah) **Psalms 23**

And this is the testimony: that God has given us eternal life, and this life is in His Son. He who has the Son has life; he who does not have the Son of God does not have life. These things I have written to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, that you may know that you have eternal life, and that you may continue to believe in the name of the Son of God.
1 John 5:11-13 (NKJV)