

John's Gospel – written so that you would believe.

John 8:31-59

Discussion Questions

- 1. Read John 8:31-32. Why do you think Jesus said this to the Jews who had believed in him?**
- 2. What kind of belief does Jesus call for? Read and discuss John 8:51.**
- 3. In John 8:33 the Jews rely on the fact that they are biological children of Abraham yet Jesus points to the fact that they are slave to sin (8:34ff). Are you relying on anything else but the cross and resurrection of Christ for your salvation? Are you finding that you need to be set free in certain areas of your life? If so, pray for each other.**
- 4. Have you ever known someone who thinks they know God but they are not living the life according to Jesus' teaching? How would you encourage these people to turn to God?**
- 5. Read John 8:48-59. Try to imagine yourself as an onlooker. When Jesus declares "I AM", what does this statement stir up in you?**