

# “ENJOYING JESUS”

## JOHN 17:1-13

### PART I



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#### I. INTRODUCTION: KEYS OF ENJOYING INTIMACY WITH JESUS

- A. Jesus wants us to fully possess His perfect \_\_\_\_\_ (17:13)
1. The key of understanding love, joy, and peace are inseparable (16:33-17:26; Gal. 5:22)
  2. The key of understanding His love which protects us daily (2 Cor. 5:14; Ro. 5:5)
    - a. Eternal love that fills us full with God’s passion and compassion (Eph. 3:19)
    - b. Internal love that roots the “beloved” deeply in an unshakeable faith (Eph. 3:17-18)
      - i. God wants His beloved children to have full assurance of His love (Ro. 8:37-39)
      - ii. God wants His beloved children to live and share that love (Acts 1:8)
- B. Jesus wants us to fully grasp His perfect \_\_\_\_\_ (17:26)
1. Because it is the key to having joy no man or circumstance can take away (Jn. 16:22)
  2. Because it is the key to our testimony in this world (I John 4:17)

#### II. INSTRUCTION (JOHN 17:1-13)

- A. Christ prays for His glorious intimacy with the Father (v1-5)
- B. Christ prays for His disciples to have the joy of intimacy (v6-13)

#### III. INSIGHT: Are you enjoying Jesus’ love on a daily basis? (John 13:17)...Are you \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. Is there a \_\_\_\_\_ in my life that’s killing my joy? (Ps. 51:12)
- B. Do I practice the presence of God’s love \_\_\_\_\_ by being in the Word? (Ps. 16:11)
- C. Do I confess sin immediately with a repentant \_\_\_\_\_? (I John 1:9)
- D. Is my daily prayer \_\_\_\_\_ biblical and consequently joyful? (Jn. 16:24; Eph. 3:20)
- E. Do I have a deeply rooted \_\_\_\_\_ that floods my soul daily with assurance? (Jn. 15:11)
- F. Am I fulfilling my calling through sacrificial \_\_\_\_\_? (Heb. 12:1-2)