



# The Gospel of John

Session Thirteen: Many Disciples Desert Jesus

## THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

### MANY DISCIPLES DESERT JESUS

#### TODAY'S SCRIPTURE

JOHN 6:60-71

1. **HARD** \_\_\_\_\_ ; **HARDENED** \_\_\_\_\_

John 6:60-67

2. **FROM** \_\_\_\_\_ **TO** \_\_\_\_\_

John 6:68-69

3. **JUDAS AND THE** \_\_\_\_\_ **OF UNRESOLVED** \_\_\_\_\_

John 6:70-71

#### APPLY

Write a brief prayer of praise to God recounting the moment you realized He was the only One that could satisfy what Blaise Pascal referred to as the “God-sized hole” in your heart.

#### READING PLAN

- Monday- John 6:60
- Tuesday- John 6:61-63
- Wednesday- John 6:64-65
- Thursday- John 6:66-69
- Friday- John 6:70-71

*John 6:68-69: “Lord, to whom will we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and know that you are the Holy One of God.” Write a brief prayer of praise to God recounting the moment you realized He was the only One that could satisfy what Blaise Pascal referred to as a “God-sized hole” in your heart.*



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## LOOKING TO NEXT WEEK...

### LESSON #14

THE FEAST OF TABERNACLES AND JESUS'S TEACHING

### NEXT WEEK'S SCRIPTURE

JOHN 7:1-24

### THE LESSON AT A GLANCE

In today's lesson, we'll explore Jesus's arrival and teaching at the Festival of Shelters, an Old Testament pilgrimage to remember God's faithfulness to the Israelite people during their time in the Sinai wilderness.

Jesus's brothers wanted Him to arrive to fanfare and parade, but their motives came not from a desire to see Jesus magnified, but rather as a function of their own disbelief.

Jesus's delay in attending reminds us of an important truth—God's timing is always best. As you examine the text this week, look for ways to acknowledge our own desires for God to act when and how we want. Today's text is an encouraging reminder that God is sovereign and often, what we see as delay is actually God's provision right on time.

### THE MAIN IDEA

Jesus taught during the Feast of Tabernacles and addressed controversy surrounding His identity.

### QUESTIONS TO EXPLORE

*How do you respond when it seems God delays? How might faith increase as we learn to trust His perfect timing?*

