<u>Scripture</u>



John 5:39-44

"You search the Scriptures because you think that in them you have eternal life; it is these that testify about Me; and you are unwilling to come to Me so that you may have life. I do not receive glory from men; but I know you, that you do not have the love of God in yourselves. I have come in My Father's name, and you do not receive Me; if another comes in his own name, you will receive him. How can you believe, when you receive glory from one another, and you do not seek the glory that is from the one and only God?

• John 6:26-27

...Truly, truly, I say to you, you seek Me, not because you saw signs, but because you ate of the loaves and were filled. Do not work for the food which perishes, but for the food which endures to eternal life, which the Son of Man will give to you, for on Him the Father, God, has set His seal.

So, they said to Him, "What then do You do for a sign, so that we may see, and believe You? What work do You perform?"

<u>Other Scriptures</u>

- John 17:3
- Genesis 1:26
- Matthew 3:1-8
- John 6:31-35

Main Points

- Will you begin to fight the fight for truth?
- The only thing that matters is living a life to please and obey Him.
- Are you going to seek to be accepted by man, or are you going to stand with Hashem?
- If you seek glory from men first, how are you going to receive the reward of the Lord?
- Why focus on things that are going to perish?

Discussion Questions

1. What is eternal life according to Jesus?

2. In our culture today, how do we learn our identity? How did Jesus gain His identity? What decision must we make regarding the source of our affirmation?

3. What are two kinds of food Jesus described? What is the food that is most important? Discuss what this looks like in your life? How does this impact your work, your relationships, and the spending of your energy?

4. Supernatural spiritual hunger and thirst will drive your life quests? Would you describe yourself as having the blazing, supernatural hunger and thirst Rabbi prayed for you?

5. Rabbi described having an ongoing conversation with God all day long. Make it your prayer to pray without ceasing each day. As you fulfill this scriptural command (I Thess. 5:16-18) take note of how this affects you and your days.