

# The Words of Jesus Christ

According to John - The Resurrection and the Life

## It's About God's Glory

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Jesus is informed about the illness of his good friend Lazarus

*John 11:1-6 (ESV)*

*The demonstration and our apprehension of God's glory is ALWAYS the most loving thing God can do for us*

## Facing Death on Several Fronts

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Jesus discusses his plan with his disciples

*John 11:7-16 (ESV)*

*Seeing the glory of God IS believing in Christ*

## Dead and Decomposing

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Jesus Arrives at Bethany

*John 11:17-27 (ESV)*

*Jesus declaring himself to be the resurrection and the life is his self-attestation that God is glorious and that he is God*

## Emotional Turmoil

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Mary meets Jesus as he delays

*John 11:28-37 (ESV)*

*The glory of God should be our highest priority. Making the glory of God the highest priority is also the greatest benefit for us.*

## A Demonstration of the Glory of God

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Jesus raises Lazarus from the dead

*John 11:38-44 (ESV)*

*The question is not whether or not God is glorious. He is. The question is whether we will see his glory and believe in Him.*

## What to Do in Light of What is True

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- Believe that Jesus is the resurrection and the life. This is seeing the glory of God
- Believe that Jesus' prioritizing the glory of God is the right thing to do. And believe that seeing God as glorious is for your greatest benefit.
- Believe in his death and resurrection. See the glory of God.
- Jesus is the resurrection and the life. We ought to believe in Him. And in believing in him will see the glory of God, in our lives, in our deaths, and in our resurrection.