Jesus' Death Delivers Troubled Hearts John 14:01-03

- 1. Delivers through trust in God and Christ
- 2. Delivers through the hope for God's house and its rooms or mansions
- 3. Delivers through the work of Christ
- 4. Delivers through the return of Christ
- 5. Delivers through living with Christ eternally

- 1 "Do not let your hearts be troubled.
 Trust in God; trust also in me.
- 2 In my Father's house are many rooms;if it were not so,I would have told you.I am going there to prepare a place for you.
- 3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am.

The Way to God Is by Jesus Alone

John 14: 04-07

- 1. The declaration of Jesus: He was going to God
 - a. The way to God is known
 - b. The contradiction and skepticism of Thomas
- 2. The way to God is through Jesus Christ Himself
- 3. The only way to God is through Jesus Christ
- 4. The only way to God
 is now unmistakably revealed:
 To know Christ is to know God

- 4 'You know the way to the place where I am going."
- 5 Thomas said to him, "Lord, we don't know where you are going, so how can we know the way?"
- 6 Jesus answered,"I am the way and the truth and the life.No one comes to the Father except through me.
- 7 If you really knew me, you would know my Father as well. From now on, you do know him and have seen him."

The Embodiment of God Is Jesus Himself

John 14: 08-14

- 1. The request of Philip: Show us the Father, some dazzling sight
- 2. The revelation:

 Jesus is the full embodiment of God
- 8 Philip said, "Lord, show us the Father and that will be enough for us."
- 9 Jesus answered: "Don't you know me, Philip, even after I have been among you such a long time? Anyone who has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'?

3. The clear evidence

- a. The presence of God in Jesus Christ
- b. The words of Jesus Christ
- c. The works of Jesus Christ
- 4. The clear challenge:
 Believe the claim of Jesus Christ
- 5. The clear promises:

 Are conditional to the person
 who believes in Jesus Christ
 - a. Will receive the power to do great works
 - b. Will receive the answer to all prayers
 - c. Will receive anything if ask in Jesus' name

- 10 Don't you believe that I am in the Father, and that the Father is in me?

 The words I say to you are not just my own.

 Rather, it is the Father, living in me, who is doing his work.
- 11 Believe me when I say that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; or at least believe on the evidence of the miracles themselves.
- 12 I tell you the truth,
 anyone who has faith in me
 will do what I have been doing.
 He will do even greater things than these,
 because I am going to the Father.
- 13 And I will do
 whatever you ask in my name,
 so that the Son may bring glory to the Father.
- 14 You may ask me for anything in my name, and I will do it.