



"I AM – THE RESURRECTION AND THE LIFE"
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FAMILY DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Have you ever struggled to trust God's power or His perfect timing? Share an example.
2. How is God glorified—and how does our faith grow stronger—in our waiting and trusting?
3. Have you ever tried to "control" God by dictating His timing? Share an example.
4. What is one specific way God is calling you to trust in His power, timing or plan?

GOING DEEPER

Today we are looking at a story where some of Jesus' closest friends are struggling to understand why they have to wait for Jesus to show up. But we will learn is that no matter how long we wait, God is never late.

1. **READ John 11:1-6.**
 - a. What kind of relationship do you think Mary and Martha had with Jesus? How did Jesus feel about Lazarus?
 - b. Why did Jesus stay 2 more days?
 - c. Have you ever prayed, "*Jesus, what are you waiting for*"?
2. **READ John 11:7-10.**
 - a. *Day* symbolizes knowing you can trust God's plan, and *night* symbolizes the absence of trust. When we move ahead in darkness, we often stumble. Do you ever find yourself feeling like you have to do *something now*, only to find that your impatience caused you regret?

WE CAN TRUST GOD'S POWER

3. **READ John 11:11-16.**
 - a. Why do you think Jesus said Lazarus was asleep?

WE CAN TRUST GOD'S TIMING.

4. **READ John 11:17-37**
 - a. Look at the reactions of Martha and Mary and the Mourners. What kind of faith do you see in each of them?
 - b. Can you relate to any of them?

WE CAN TRUST GOD'S PLAN

5. **READ John 11:38-44**
 - a. What did Jesus do before the miracle (vs 41 & 42)? Why do you think?
6. **READ Romans 8:28, Isaiah 55:8.**
 - a. God's plan is always working for HIS Glory and our good. What are you waiting for in your life right now?

COMMIT TO MEMORY

"I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die;" **John 11:25**

PRAY FOR EACH OTHER

Share prayer requests, and commit to praying for one another until you next meet.

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