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# [**John 13:31-14:15**](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2013.31-14.15)**– Representing God’s Love to the World**

**13:** [**31**](http://biblehub.com/john/13-31.htm)Therefore when he had gone out, Jesus said, “Now is the Son of Man **glorified**, and God is **glorified** in Him; [**32**](http://biblehub.com/john/13-32.htm)if God is **glorified** in Him, God will also **glorify** Him in Himself, and will **glorify** Him immediately. [**33**](http://biblehub.com/john/13-33.htm)“Little children, I am with you a little while longer. You will seek Me; and as I said to the Jews, now I also say to you, ‘Where I am going, you cannot come.’ [**34**](http://biblehub.com/john/13-34.htm)“A new commandment I give to you, that you **love** one another, even as I have **loved** you, that you also **love** one another. [**35**](http://biblehub.com/john/13-35.htm)“By this all men will know that you are My disciples, if you have **love** for one another.”

      [**36**](http://biblehub.com/john/13-36.htm)Simon Peter said to Him, “Lord, where are You going?” Jesus answered, “Where I go, you cannot follow Me now; but you will follow later.” [**37**](http://biblehub.com/john/13-37.htm)Peter said to Him, “Lord, why can I not follow You right now? I will lay down my life for You.” [**38**](http://biblehub.com/john/13-38.htm)Jesus answered, “Will you lay down your life for Me? Truly, truly, I say to you, a rooster will not crow until you deny Me three times.

      **14:** [**1**](http://biblehub.com/john/14-1.htm)“Do not let your heart be troubled; believe in God, believe also in Me. [**2**](http://biblehub.com/john/14-2.htm)“In My Father’s house are many **dwelling places**; if it were not so, I would have told you; for I go to prepare a place for you. [**3**](http://biblehub.com/john/14-3.htm)“If I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and **receive** you to **Myself**, that where I am, there you may be also. [**4**](http://biblehub.com/john/14-4.htm)“And you know the way where I am going.” [**5**](http://biblehub.com/john/14-5.htm)Thomas said to Him, “Lord, we do not know where You are going, how do we know the way?” [**6**](http://biblehub.com/john/14-6.htm)Jesus said to him, “I am the way, and the truth, and the life; no one comes to the Father but through Me.

[**7**](http://biblehub.com/john/14-7.htm)“If you had known Me, you would have known My Father also; from now on you know Him, and have seen Him.” [**8**](http://biblehub.com/john/14-8.htm)Philip said to Him, “Lord, show us the Father, and it is enough for us.” [**9**](http://biblehub.com/john/14-9.htm)Jesus said to him, “Have I been so long with you, and yet you have not come to know Me, Philip? He who has seen Me has seen the Father; how can you say, ‘Show us the Father’? [**10**](http://biblehub.com/john/14-10.htm)“Do you not believe that I am in the Father, and the Father is in Me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on My own initiative, but the Father abiding in Me does His works. [**11**](http://biblehub.com/john/14-11.htm)“Believe Me that I am in the Father and the Father is in Me; otherwise believe because of the works themselves. [**12**](http://biblehub.com/john/14-12.htm)“Truly, truly, I say to you, he who believes in Me, the works that I do, he will do also; and greater works than these he will do; because I go to the Father. [**13**](http://biblehub.com/john/14-13.htm)“Whatever you ask in My name, that will I do, so that the Father may be **glorified** in the Son. [**14**](http://biblehub.com/john/14-14.htm)“If you ask Me anything in My name, I will do it.

      [**15**](http://biblehub.com/john/14-15.htm)“If you **love** Me, you will keep My commandments.

**Interesting Words**

##### ****glorify****

(δοξάζω – Greek) – doxazó [►](https://biblehub.com/greek/1392.htm) to render or esteem glorious, glorify, honor, bestow glory on – [John 17:1](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2017.1), [4-5](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2017.4-5), [10](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2017.10);

##### ****love****

(ἀγαπάω – Greek) – agapaó [►](https://biblehub.com/greek/25.htm) love, wish well to, take pleasure in, long for; denotes the love of reason, esteem – [John 14:21](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2014.21), [23](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2014.23), [15:13](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2015.13), [17:23](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2017.23);

##### ****dwelling places****

(μονή – Greek) – moné [►](https://biblehub.com/greek/3438.htm) an abiding, lodging, dwelling place, room, abode, mansion – [John 14:23](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2014.23);

##### ****receive****

(παραλαμβάνω – Greek) – paralambanó [►](https://biblehub.com/greek/3880.htm) take from, receive from, or: I take to, receive (apparently not used of money), admit, acknowledge; I take with me, (from pará, “from close-alongside” and lambánō, “aggressively take”) – to take (receive) by showing strong personal initiative – [Col 2:6-7](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/Col%202.6-7); [1Cor 15:1](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/1%20Cor%2015.1), [3](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/1Cor%2015.3); [Gal 1:9](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/Gal%201.9), [12](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/Gal%201.12); [Phil 4:9](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/Phil%204.9); [1Thes 4:1](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/1%20Thess%204.1);

##### ****Myself****

(ἐμαυτοῦ – Greek) – emautou [►](https://biblehub.com/greek/1683.htm) pertaining to myself, the reflexive form (first person) which emphatically brings the action back to “myself.” – [John 12:32](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2012.32), [14:21](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2014.21), [17:19](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2017.19); [Gal 2:18](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/Gal%202.18);

**Cross References**

▪︎ [John 11:16](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2011.16) – Let us go die with Him.  
▪︎ [Matt 5:16](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/Matt%205.16) – Our works are to glorify God  
▪︎ [John 12:27-28](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2012.27-28) – God calls out from heaven.  
▪︎ [John 13:21](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2013.21) – Jesus was troubled in spirit.  
▪︎ [Matt 1:23](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/Matt%201.23) – Jesus is Immanuel, God with us.

**Discussion Questions**

Download questions to Word document (click here). Enter your answers, then meet with some friends to discuss. You can also compare your answers to mine for a virtual discussion… to return… back.

###### 1. ****What is the relationship between Jesus and the Father as shown in****[John 13:31-32](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2013.31-32)****?****

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###### 2. ****How do****[John 13:34-35](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2013.34-35)****and****[Matt 5:16](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/Matt%205.16)****contribute to God’s overall plan?****

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###### 3. ****In****[John 13:36-37](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2013.36-37)****, Peter seems to have missed the new commandment about love, why was that? What was Jesus’ initial response?****

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###### 4. ****What was causing all the angst in the disciples?****

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###### 5. ****How did Jesus try to comfort His disciples?****

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###### 6.****In****[John 14:2](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2014.2)****Jesus prepares a “dwelling place” for us and then receives us to Himself in****[John 14:3](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2014.3)**. **The “receive” in v.3 has a preface “para” translated “from close beside”. Describe how this would be comforting to the disciples.****

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###### 7.****In****[John 14:5](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2014.5)****Thomas shows the continued confusion the disciples were feeling. How does Jesus continue to comfort the disciples from this point?****

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