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# [**John 17:13-26**](https://biblia.com/bible/nasb95/John%2017.13-26)**– The High Priestly Prayer, Part 2**

[**13**](http://biblehub.com/john/17-13.htm)“But now I come to You; and these things I speak in the world so that they may have My joy **made full** in themselves. [**14**](http://biblehub.com/john/17-14.htm)“I have **given**them Your word; and the world has **hated**them, because they are not of the world, even as I am not of the world. [**15**](http://biblehub.com/john/17-15.htm)“I do not ask You to take them out of the world, but to keep them from the evil *one.* [**16**](http://biblehub.com/john/17-16.htm)“They are not of the world, even as I am not of the world. [**17**](http://biblehub.com/john/17-17.htm)“**Sanctify**them in the truth; Your word is truth. [**18**](http://biblehub.com/john/17-18.htm)“As You sent Me into the world, I also have sent them into the world. [**19**](http://biblehub.com/john/17-19.htm)“For their sakes I **sanctify** Myself, that they themselves also may be **sanctified**in truth.

[**20**](http://biblehub.com/john/17-20.htm)“I do not ask on behalf of these alone, but for those also who believe in Me through their word; [**21**](http://biblehub.com/john/17-21.htm)that they may all be **one**; even as You, Father, *are* in Me and I in You, that they also may be in Us, so that the world may believe that You sent Me.

[**22**](http://biblehub.com/john/17-22.htm)“The glory which You have given Me I have given to them, that they may be one, just as We are one; [**23**](http://biblehub.com/john/17-23.htm)I in them and You in Me, that they may be perfected in **unity**, so that the world may know that You sent Me, and loved them, even as You have loved Me. [**24**](http://biblehub.com/john/17-24.htm)“Father, I desire that they also, whom You have given Me, be with Me where I am, so that they may see My glory which You have given Me, for You loved Me before the foundation of the world.

[**25**](http://biblehub.com/john/17-25.htm)“O righteous Father, although the world has not knownYou, yet I have known You; and these have known that You sent Me; [**26**](http://biblehub.com/john/17-26.htm)and I have made Your name knownto them, and will make it known, so that the love with which You loved Me may be in them, and I in them.”

**Interesting Words**

##### Made full

(πληρόω – Greek) – pléroó [►](https://biblehub.com/greek/4137.htm) to fill, to make full, to complete, to fulfill, the idea of filling something to its full capacity or bringing something to completion.  (from *plērēs*, “be full,” *plḗthō*) – properly, *fill to individual capacity*, i.e. to the extent it is “meet” (appropriate). Perfect tense shows completed action to culmination in finished, continuing results. – [Matt 1:22-23](https://ref.ly/Matt%201.22-23;nasb95?t=biblia); [John 16:24](https://ref.ly/John%2016.24;nasb95?t=biblia); [Rom 8:4](https://ref.ly/Rom%208.4;nasb95?t=biblia);

##### given

(δίδωμι – Greek) – didómi [►](https://biblehub.com/greek/1325.htm) to offer, give; I put, place. A prolonged form of a primary verb; to give. Again perfect tense shows completed action with continuing results.

##### hated

(μισέω – Greek) – miseó [►](https://biblehub.com/greek/3404.htm) To hate, detest, abhor, love less, esteem less, strong aversion or rejection, often in the context of moral or spiritual opposition. – [Matt 24:9-10](https://ref.ly/Matt%2024.9-10;nasb95?t=biblia); [Luke 6:22](https://ref.ly/Luke%206.22;nasb95?t=biblia); [John 3:20](https://ref.ly/John%203.20;nasb95?t=biblia);

##### sanctify

(ἁγιάζω – Greek) – hagiazó [►](https://biblehub.com/greek/37.htm) to make holy, treat as holy, to consecrate, to set apart as holy for a sacred purpose, hallow, purify, derived from ἅγιος (hagios), meaning “holy” or “sacred.”, through the work of the Holy Spirit, aligning them with God’s will – [1Peter 2:9](https://ref.ly/1%20Pet%202.9;nasb95?t=biblia), [10](https://ref.ly/1Peter%202.10;nasb95?t=biblia), [3:15](https://ref.ly/1Peter%203.15;nasb95?t=biblia); [John 10:36](https://ref.ly/John%2010.36;nasb95?t=biblia), [37-38](https://ref.ly/John%2010.37-38;nasb95?t=biblia);

##### one

(εἷς – Greek) – heis [►](https://biblehub.com/greek/1520.htm) one, primarily used as the numeral “one.” Often used in the Old Testament to denote the number one or unity, as seen in the Shema ([Deut 6:4](https://ref.ly/Deut%206.4;nasb95?t=biblia)). In Greek, it signifies singularity and unity. Translated “unity” in [John 17:23](https://ref.ly/John%2017.23;nasb95?t=biblia). – [Acts 4:32](https://ref.ly/Acts%204.32;nasb95?t=biblia); [Rom 12:4-5](https://ref.ly/Rom%2012.4-5;nasb95?t=biblia); [Gal 3:28](https://ref.ly/Gal%203.28;nasb95?t=biblia);

**Cross References**

▪︎ Giving others the word – [1Cor 2:4](https://ref.ly/1%20Cor%202.4;nasb95?t=biblia); [Col 1:25](https://ref.ly/Col%201.25;nasb95?t=biblia); [2Tim 2:2](https://ref.ly/2%20Tim%202.2;nasb95?t=biblia), [4:2](https://ref.ly/2Tim%204.2;nasb95?t=biblia);  
▪︎ Hated by the world – [Matt 5:10](https://ref.ly/Matt%205.10;nasb95?t=biblia); [John 16:33](https://ref.ly/John%2016.33;nasb95?t=biblia); [2Cor 4:9](https://ref.ly/2%20Cor%204.9;nasb95?t=biblia);  
▪︎ God wants us to be united – [John 10:27-28](https://ref.ly/John%2010.27-28;nasb95?t=biblia), [29-30](https://ref.ly/John%2010.29-30;nasb95?t=biblia); [Phil 2:2](https://ref.ly/Phil%202.2;nasb95?t=biblia);

**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 does the study of God’s Word do in our lives? Why is it essential?

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###### 2. What are some reasonable explanations for why people hate Christians?

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###### 3. If Jesus sends us into the world as He was sent ([John 17:18](https://ref.ly/John%2017.18;nasb95?t=biblia)), what are some key ministry elements that are essential?

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###### 4. How can we be successful in this endeavor?

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###### 5. What is Jesus asking of us to be sanctified?

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###### 6.What are the essential elements (key ingredients) in being “one” in the current day? What is the difference between being “one” ([John 17:21](https://ref.ly/John%2017.21;nasb95?t=biblia)) and living in “unity” ([John 17:23](https://ref.ly/John%2017.23;nasb95?t=biblia))?

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###### 7.How does knowing God effect our efforts for Jesus?

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