

JOHN 11 - Read through the chapter and summarize each paragraph division

Verses	Summary
1-16	
17-27	
28-37	
38-44	
45-57	

- When Lazarus became ill, Mary and Martha sent word to Jesus. As stated in John 10:40, Jesus was in an area just beyond the Jordan, probably about a day's journey from Lazarus' home in Bethany. What word did John use in John 11:3 to describe Jesus' relationship toward Lazarus?
- In John 9, the reason for the man's blindness was so the *works of God should be revealed in him*. Record from John 11:4 the reason for Lazarus' sickness.
 - Unlike man, God works from an eternal perspective. How would having an eternal perspective affect your attitude when you are experiencing a trial?
- Now Jesus loved Martha and her sister and Lazarus (verse 5). Since it was stated twice that Jesus loved Lazarus, one would think that Jesus would quickly gather up his disciples and immediately head toward Bethany. Yet, to the contrary, what does John 11:6 say He did?

- a. Jesus did not initially respond as those who loved Lazarus wanted Him to. When do you tend to second-guess God?
4. Consider John 11:20-22. What are some things that you *know* about God that you can remind yourself of in times of disappointment and hurt?
5. John 11:25,26 contain one of the most powerful questions of all the ages; the answer to which determines a man's destiny. What is the claim that Jesus made and the question He challenged Martha with?
6. Jesus concluded His prayer to the Father. Then *with a loud voice*, what did Jesus say? (John 11:43).
 - a. What did Lazarus do? (verse 44)
7. In what way has Jesus *raised you from the dead*?
8. **So what!** In what ways has John 11 spoken to you about trusting God and what are you going to do about it?

"Behold, I am the LORD, the God of all flesh. Is there anything too hard for Me?" - Jeremiah 32:27