

JOHN 20 - Read through the chapter and summarize each paragraph division.

Verses	Summary
1-10	
11-18	
19-23	
24-29	
30-31	

1. *Now on the first day of the week Mary Magdalene went to the tomb early (John 20:1). Upon finding the stone rolled away, she ran and came to Simon Peter, and to the other disciple (John). What did she tell them? (John 20:2)*
 - a. Peter and John ran to the tomb. They discovered the linen cloths and the handkerchief that had been around His head. John 20:8 tells us that John *saw and believed*. If you had been Mary Magdalene, Peter, or John, what thoughts might have run through your mind when you discovered the empty tomb?
2. Peter and John went back home. But Mary remained at the tomb weeping. As she *stooped down and looked into the tomb*, what did she see (John 20:12)?
3. Read 1 Corinthians 15:13-19. What does Paul say the results would have been if *Christ had not risen*. NOTE: there are 7 results mentioned.

4. *Then, the same day at evening...Jesus came...where the disciples were assembled* (John 20:19). Read through this paragraph division (John 20:19-23) and record the four statements that Jesus made to His disciples.

5. *Now Thomas...was not with them when Jesus came* (John 20:24) and Thomas had doubts. He wanted physical proof. When you have doubts, what do you say or do?
 - a. Eight days later, Jesus again appeared to His disciples. This time Thomas was present. What does Thomas say when he sees and touches the risen Lord (John 20:28)?

 - b. Who is Jesus referring to in John 20:29?
 - 1) You have not *seen*, yet you *believe*. Why?

6. John closes the chapter by stating the reason he wrote this book. What was it (John 20:31)
 - a. Share a few of the things John has written in this gospel that have strengthened your *belief* in Jesus.

7. So What! What has God shown you in John 20 and what are you going to do about it?