

Farewell Discourse Pt.9 - The Collective Effect

Jesus was being certain to give his followers the most important information about himself, the Father and the Holy Spirit.

Jesus expects us to look deeply at the realities of Heaven and begin to put them in order on earth.

The Lord is not slow in keeping his promise, as some understand slowness. Instead he is patient with you, not wanting anyone to perish, but everyone to come to repentance. 2 Peter 3:9

The Lord is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger, abounding in love. Psalm 103:8

We wrongly assume that repentance is for people who don't know Jesus but in many cases it is specifically for those of us who do.

Jesus' message to the people of his time was that you matter so much that I came to die for you.

Do not let your hearts be troubled. You believe in God; believe also in me. John 14:1

12 Very truly I tell you, whoever believes in me will do the works I have been doing, and they will do even greater things than these, John 14:12

"Anyone who loves me will obey my teaching." John 14:23

When it comes to a life of obedience, the best answer to how we can best do this is that we will just know.

17 the Spirit of truth. John 14:17

The greater things in this life start by asking ourselves questions like what should I do next.

God chose a collective effect, where the Glory of the Kingdom of Heaven is revealed to the world in the accumulation of loving actions done by His followers.