

Week 4 - 3:16
Whoever Believes in Him – or Whatever

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John 3:16

“For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, THAT WHOEVER BELIEVES IN HIM shall not perish but have eternal life.” (NIV)

Having “eternal life” with God is an objective thing – you have it or you don’t.

1 John 5:13

“I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God so that you may know that you have eternal life.” (NIV)

The 3:16 promise is eternal life for those who “believe in Him.”



Jesus said that it is possible to “not have eternal life” but think you do.

Mathew 7:21-23

²¹“Not everyone who says to me, ‘Lord, Lord,’ will enter the kingdom of heaven, but only he who does the will of my Father who is in heaven. ²²Many will say to me on that day, ‘Lord, Lord, did we not prophesy in your name, and in your name drive out demons and perform many miracles?’ ²³Then I will tell them plainly, ‘I never knew you. Away from me, you evildoers!’ (NIV)

It is important to “believe in Him.”

BELIEVE THE TRUTH ABOUT HIM

Justification

Justification by grace

Justification through faith

HOW DOES SAVING FAITH LOOK?

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