

What Is the Gospel?

The Gospel Is the Only Way to True Life

John 14:1-14

The Gospel is the only way to navigate through life
– both this present life and eternal life.

1. The simplicity and the complexity of the Gospel are coherent and interwoven.
2. God, being perfect, holy, and righteous, sovereignly planned the salvation of His people through Jesus Christ, His only Son.
3. The Gospel is the only Way to True Life
 - a. Jesus is the ultimate source of comfort in the midst of distress (vv 1-4)
 - b. Jesus is the Way, the Truth, and the Life (vv 5-7)
 - c. Jesus and the Father mutually work together, giving assurance of His perfect salvation (vv 8-11)
 - d. Jesus empowers His people to be witnesses of His Gospel, through the Holy Spirit (vv 12-14)
4. The presence of the Living God resides inside us: the Seal of salvation, marked by the blood of Christ which gives eternal life.
 - a. Trust in the Way, even when life is hard and doubt creeps in.
 - b. Seek the Truth of the Word of God – the testimony of Jesus – when confronted by any other truth claim.
 - c. Take comfort in the Life when discouraged, anxious, sorrowful, angry, or depressed.
 - d. Share the Gospel of Jesus, even when others doubt.

