

You Come to Know God More by _____

Unit 4 Day 1-3 of Experiencing God

Introduction:

● God is not interested in us knowing more ABOUT Him as much as us knowing Him MORE.

- Knowing about God has to do with the m_____
- Knowing God more has to do with the h_____
- You come to know God more by ex_____

● John 14:21,22

1. True or False We must love God first before He will love us (see I Jn 4:19)
2. This passage is speaking about experiencing His l_____ and p_____.
 - a. The word translated as “manifest” (KJV), “disclose” (NAS), or “show” (NIV) in this context means more than just to see, but to experience.
 - b. Wholehearted o_____ is required to experience Jesus’s character He wants to disclose to us.

Where is your heart? (Gen 22)

● How much value do we attach to a person or possession?

1. Abraham l_____ Isaac (verse 2)
 - a. Why?
 - b. How did Abraham respond to God command to sacrifice his unique son?
 - 1) He got up e_____
 - 2) He split the w_____
 - 3) He began the j_____ to the place of sacrifice with his son, Isaac.
 - c. As much as Abraham loved Isaac, Abraham loved God m_____.
2. Your heart is wherever your t_____ is (Matt 6:20)
 - Write down the name of the most precious person in your life

 - Write down what the most precious possession you have

- Are you willing to give these all to God?

● Have you given all that you love to God?

The command to sacrifice Isaac was a t_____

- a. Abraham believed that God would raise Isaac from the d_____ (Gen 22:4-6; Heb 11:19)
 - b. How did Abraham come to this conclusion? – Isaac was the only son of p_____ (only through Isaac would God’s promises be perpetuated).
- Isaac questioned Abraham concerning what was going to be the sacrifice (verses 7-11).
 - a. Abraham stated God would p_____
 - b. As Abraham was about to slay his son, in his mind Isaac was as good as d_____. This demonstrated where his heart was.
 - How can we give all that we hold dear to God? – putting all under His L_____, submitting all to Him.

● Experiencing God

1. Both Abraham and Isaac experienced God as the p_____
2. This church body has experienced God as Provider, Healer, Savior, Comforter, Teacher, Encourager
3. How have you experienced God?

Conclusion:

God wants to disclose Himself to you. Write your commitment to God.

I, _____, commit my whole heart to Christ by wholehearted obedience.

I, _____, put all under His Lordship – all my relationships (friends, family, neighbors, enemies), all my possessions, all my desires.

I _____, trust the promise of Christ that He will disclose Himself to me as I