

BRING YOUR BUTS TO CHURCH

Is Jesus the Only Way?

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There are lots of religions in the world to choose from, and many share similar values. How can Christians make the claim that Jesus is the only way to God?

MESSAGE NOTES AND HIGHLIGHTS

- Jesus answered, “I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.” John 14:6
 - We aren’t made right with God just because we hold a strong belief in something.
 - We all do things we shouldn’t, and don’t do things we should.
 - Sin and death are the two insurmountable obstacles that face all humans.
 - Jesus didn’t come to exclude people—He came to rescue them
 - Faith in Jesus isn’t faith in a name—it’s trust in what He did..
 - Faith is a trust and dependence that requires repentance, confessing that we’ve fallen short of God’s standard, and surrendering to His leadership from now on.
 - Salvation isn’t earned, discovered, or achieved—it’s received.
 - God knows every human heart and is fully equipped to not only judge every person fairly, but also to reveal Himself to any person who sincerely seeks Him.
 - We can trust that God is just, merciful, and wants people to come to saving faith in Jesus.
 - For followers of Jesus, we can trust the character of God and join Him in His mission.
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DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Have you ever struggled with the idea that Jesus is the only way? If so, what experiences or questions made that difficult for you?
2. Read John 14:6 and Acts 4:12. What stands out to you about the definitiveness of Jesus’ words? How does that differ from our culture’s view of truth and spirituality?
3. How does the story of Abraham’s faith (Romans 4:3) or Cornelius’ encounter (Acts 10) help you think about how God might deal justly with those who’ve never heard of Jesus?
4. What do you know or have you experienced of God’s character that helps you to trust that He is just and merciful?