

Questions for John 1:6-18

1. What was the purpose of John's ministry? Why is there such an effort all throughout this chapter to show that John was not the Christ? Why might people think that he was? (Verses 6-8, 15)

2. Why is Jesus referred to as the "Light"? How does Jesus give light to every man coming into the world? (Verses 6-9)

3. Why was the Light rejected by the world and by his own? Who are his "own" that rejected him? (Verses 10-11)

4. Who received the Light? In what way did they receive Him? How were they made sons of God? (Verses 12-13)

5. How did the Word become flesh? What do we mean when we say that Jesus is God incarnate? What glory did they witness from Jesus? (Verses 14-16)

6. What was the grace and truth that came through Jesus and how did it differ from what came through Moses and the Law? Did Moses see God in Exodus 33:18-23 and does this occurrence contradict this verse? How did the Son declare the Father? (Verses 17-18)