

FAVORITE BIBLE CHAPTERS Lesson 21  
John 17

In John 17 Jesus is about to go on trial and then to the cross. He has just finished eating the “last supper” with His disciples. He is praying in the Garden of Gethsemane.

The lesson for this week will be over the contents of this prayer.

THE OBJECTS OF HIS PRAYER--THE BELIEVERS. John 17:9

1. Verse 8 explains that these are the \_\_\_\_\_ who have believed on Him.
2. They are spoken of in verse 9 as a “\_\_\_\_\_” of the Father.
3. In verse 20 He is not only praying for those who are Christians at that \_\_\_\_\_ but for all the Christians of all the ages.

THE PETITION IN HIS PRAYER John 17:11

1. He prays that God will keep us from the \_\_\_\_\_.
2. He prays that we as Christians may be \_\_\_\_\_. John 17:11c. Notice the words, “that they may be one, as we are.”
3. He prays for our \_\_\_\_\_. John 17:13, “...that they might have my joy fulfilled in themselves.” He wants us to be happy, so He prays that we will have joy.
4. He prays that we should be \_\_\_\_\_ from the Devil. John 17:15, “...that thou shouldest keep them from the evil.”
5. He prays for our \_\_\_\_\_. John 17:17, “Sanctify them through thy truth: thy word is truth.” The word “sanctify” means “set apart.”
6. He prays for our \_\_\_\_\_. John 17:23, “I in them, and thou in me, that they may be made perfect...” The word “perfect” means “mature.”
7. He prays that we may be with Him in \_\_\_\_\_. John 17:24, “Father, I will that they also, whom thou hast given me, be with me where I am; that they may behold my glory, which thou hast given me....”

Him in His glory. He prays that we will be with Him in Heaven. As all of His prayers are, this prayer will be answered! We will be with Him, blessed be God!

THE GIFTS MENTIONED IN HIS PRAYER.

1. The \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus has to those whom the Father gave Him are mentioned. John 17:2 eternal life is mentioned as a gift.
2. In verses 6 and 26 the Father’s \_\_\_\_\_ is mentioned as a gift to us.

3. In verses 8 and 14 the Father's \_\_\_\_\_ are mentioned as a gift to us.

4. In verse 13 His own \_\_\_\_\_ is given to us, and in verse 22 His own glory is given to us.