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I Am

John 8:48-59

Jesus continues to teach in the Temple. He explains He is the ultimate fulfillment of the Feast of Tabernacles. He warns people about the eternal consequences of dying in their sins. Jesus explains how to escape those consequences. Jesus promises there is a way to live unto the ages. How can all of this be true? It can only be true if Jesus is the eternal, preexistent, almighty God. When Jesus says, "I am," that is who He says He is.

Additional Verses:

Exodus 3:1-20

2 Corinthians 5:8,18

Outline:

1. Jesus promises eternal victory over death.

2. Jesus secures our eternal victory over death.

Study Questions:

1. Why does Jesus not seek His own glory? How will God glorify Jesus?

2. What is death? How does the gospel of Jesus Christ change physical death? How does the gospel of Jesus change spiritual death?

3. In John's Gospel, what is the ultimate glorification of Jesus? How is this different from the world's expectation of glorification? Why is Jesus' glorification necessary?

4. What are the some of the implications of Jesus being "I am?"

5. How is the Holy Spirit leading you to respond to God today?