

Gospel	John
<b>Audience</b>	The Church
<b>Author</b>	John, son of Zebedee, brother of James.
<b>Date</b>	Late 80s or early 90s
<b>Setting</b>	Written after the destruction of Jerusalem in AD 70 and before John's exile to Patmos.
<b>Portrait of Jesus</b>	Jesus is the fully divine Son of God in whom we should believe to receive eternal life (the "I AM" of God).
<b>Key Verses</b>	John 1:1.1:14; 3:16; 10:28-30, 14:6 20:31
<b>Purpose</b>	To prove conclusively that Jesus is the Son of God and that all who believe in Him will have eternal life.
<b>Key Words</b>	Believe; Eternal Life
<b>Special Features</b>	Of the 8 miracles recorded, 6 are unique to John, as is the Upper Room Discourse (ch.13-17). John doesn't include a genealogy or a record of Jesus' birth, childhood, temptation, transfiguration, appointment of the disciples, nor any other account of Jesus' parables, ascension, or Great Commission.

1. What were John and his brother's nick name? (Mark 3:17)
2. What did John refer to himself in the book of John? (John 13:23)
3. Look up the key verses above. What do they say about this gospel account?
  - a. John 1:1, 14
  - b. John 3:16
  - c. John 10:28-30
  - d. John 14:6
  - e. John 20:31
4. Look up 2 of these 7 "I AM" quotes found in John and describe the "I AM". (John 14:26; 6:20; 8:24; 8:28; 8:58; 13:19; 18:5)
  - a. I AM...
  - b. I AM...