

May 20, 2018
John 14:15-27

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I. Introduction:

“Do not leave Jerusalem, but wait for the gift my Father promised, which you have heard me speak about.”
Acts 1:4

II. Unpacking The Passage

¹⁵ “If you love me, you will obey what I command. ¹⁶ And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Counselor.....” John 14:15-16

The Paraclete: One who comes along side to help.
Also, Comforter, Advocate, Helper, Counselor.

A. Love For Jesus Will Be Expressed by _____ His _____.

“If you **love** me, you will **obey** what I command.”
John 14:15

²¹ **Whoever has my commands and obeys them, he is the one who loves me.**” John 14:21

²³ Jesus replied, “**If anyone loves me, he will obey my teaching.** My Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him. ²⁴] He who does not love me will not obey my teaching.”
John 14:23

B. To Those Who Love Jesus He Promises the _____.

¹⁵ “If you love me, you will obey what I command. ¹⁶

And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Counselor, to be with you forever— John 14:15

²⁶ **But the Counselor, the Holy Spirit.**” John 14:26

**C. The Holy Spirit Teaches Us God’s _____
And God’s _____.**

²⁶ But the Counselor, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, **will teach you all things and will remind you of everything I have said to you.**”

John 14:26

²⁷ Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid.” John 14:27

**POINTS TO PONDER
Week of May 21st to 26th
John 14:15-31**

Open It

1. *What people, things, or experiences in life bring you comfort and peace of mind?
2. How do the people you love (whether close friends, spouse, or family members) know that you love them?
3. What relationship in life brings you the most satisfaction? Why?

Explore It

4. What did Jesus say His disciples would do if they loved Him? (14:15)
5. *What did Jesus say He would ask God to give His disciples? (14:16)
6. Why could the world not accept the Spirit of Truth? (14:17)
7. What did Jesus promise the disciples? (14:18)
8. Why did Jesus tell His disciples that they would live? (14:19)
9. How is Jesus related to the Father and to His disciples? (14:20)
10. What is the result of obeying Jesus' commands and loving Him? (14:21-23)
11. *What did Jesus say the Counselor would do? (14:25-26)
12. What did Jesus leave with His disciples? (14:27)
13. *Why were the disciples to be glad that Jesus was leaving them? (14:28)
14. Why did Jesus tell His disciples about the future? (14:29)
15. Why did Jesus say He wouldn't speak much longer? (14:30)
16. What did Jesus intend to show the world? (14:31)

Get It

17. How can we show Jesus that we love Him?
18. What are the commands of Jesus that we should obey?
19. *How are we taught by the Holy Spirit?
20. When have you been comforted by the Holy Spirit?
21. *What is the peace that Jesus has given us?
22. How can we experience the peace Jesus has given us?
23. What concerns trouble you or cause you to fear?
24. How should we deal with the fear in our lives?
25. What example has Jesus set for us in His relationship with God?

Apply It

26. In what specific way can you show Jesus that you love Him today?
27. *What can you do today to experience and enjoy the peace Jesus has given you?
28. What troubling problem or fear do you need to turn over to God?