

**THE GOSPEL OF JOHN**  
**Pt. 8: John 3:11-21**  
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**John 20:31 (NIV)**

But these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name.

**John 3:11-21 (NIV)**

<sup>[11]</sup> I tell you the truth, we speak of what we know, and we testify to what we have seen, but still you people do not accept our testimony.

<sup>[12]</sup> I have spoken to you of earthly things and you do not believe; how then will you believe if I speak of heavenly things?

<sup>[13]</sup> No one has ever gone into heaven except the one who came from heaven – the Son of Man.

<sup>[14]</sup> Just as Moses lifted up the snake in the desert, so the Son of Man must be lifted up,  
<sup>[15]</sup> that everyone who believes in him may have eternal life.

<sup>[16]</sup> “For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.

<sup>[17]</sup> For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world but to save the world through him.

<sup>[18]</sup> Whoever believes in him is not condemned, but whoever does not believe stands condemned already because he has not believed in the name of God’s one and only Son.

<sup>[19]</sup> This is the verdict: Light has come into the world, but men loved darkness instead of light because their deeds were evil.

<sup>[20]</sup> Everyone who does evil hates the light, and will not come into the light for fear that his deeds will be exposed.

<sup>[21]</sup> But whoever lives by the truth comes into the light, so that it may be seen plainly that what he has done has been done through God.”