

Jesus: I Have Overcome the World

John 16:16-33

Outline

Introduction: In John 16 Jesus is only hours from His crucifixion, yet He is instructing His disciples and preparing them for what is about to happen. How do you prepare yourself to face life *without* the one you love and who you believe is the Son of God? How can **sorrow** really be turned into **joy**? If living in the world guarantees us **tribulation**, how can we **be of good cheer**? In John 16:16-33 Jesus gave His disciples four reasons to claim victory in even the darkest hour.

Four promises of Jesus that empower us to overcome in the darkest hours of life

Jesus promises that in the end He will turn our sorrow to Joy. Vs.16-22

Jesus promises instant access to God because of His Love vs. 26-27

Jesus promises to add knowledge to our faith. Vs. 30-31

Jesus promises to move us from tribulation in the world to peace in Him. Vs. 32-33