

LWML Kansas District 2020 Fall Bible Study “Let us fix our eyes on Jesus”

(This study is part 2 of the 2020 LWML Kansas District online convention bible study.)

I. Introduction

Reflection 1: Write down the name of a famous place that you have never been to and describe it as you have read about it or seen it in pictures.

II. Seeing and believing

The prophets and apostles saw the great work of God and our Lord Jesus Christ and we

_____!

Bible verse: That which was from the beginning, which we have _____, which we have _____ with our eyes, which we looked upon and have _____ with our hands, concerning the word of life ... that which we have seen and heard we proclaim also to you, so that you too may have fellowship with us. -- 1 John 1:1, 3a

Reflection 2: What do these passages tell us about our Savior?

Isaiah 53:4-6 –

John 10:27-30 –

III. Seeing clearly with our “Jesus glasses”

No matter where you read in the Scriptures, it all points us to _____.

Loneliness

Bible Verse: Zion said, “The Lord has forsaken me; my Lord has forgotten me.” “Can a

woman forget her nursing child, that she should have no compassion on the son of her womb? Even these may forget, yet I will not _____. Behold, I have engraved you on the _____ of my _____...” -- Isaiah 49:14-16a

Chronic Illness

Bible Verse: I will _____ and be glad in your steadfast love, because you have seen my _____; you have known the distress of my soul, Make your face shine on your servant; save me in your _____! -- Psalm 31:7, 16

Reflection 3:

1) When death occurs, what Word of Scripture can you use to point the hurting to Jesus?

2) When someone is mired under the weight of their sin, what Word of Scripture can you use to point the suffering sinner to Jesus?

IV. A joyful vision

God gives us a joyful vision of the _____ life that we will have with Him in the world to come.

Bible Verse: “Behold, the dwelling place of God is _____. He will dwell with them, and they will be his people, and God himself will be with them as their God. He will wipe away every _____ from their eyes, and _____ shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away.”

-- Revelation 21:3-4

Reflection 4: Write down how this joyful vision of our future life with God helps you to enjoy today.

V. Conclusion

Reflection 5 – Challenge: Jesus is always with us and for us, and *He* brings us joy. Over the next week, reflect each day on a new way in which Jesus has made you joyful.