BRANCH DARK JOHN LIGHT VINE

before Abraham was born, I am I and the Father are one JOHN 3:35 JOHN 3:1 JOHN 19 JOHN 3:2

Nicodemus

- A Pharisee: Religious leader of the day
 --follows the law, loved by the people.
- Comes to Jesus to be taught.
- A member of the Sanhedrin: a group of 70 men who were the most influential in regard to faith in Israel.
- Is highly educated.
- Influential.
- Wealthy.
- Has a lot to lose by coming to Jesus.
- Recognizes Jesus as a teacher.

JOHN 3:35 JOHN 3:1 JOHN 19 JOHN 3:2,3

"I tell you the truth..."

The issue is faith and trust.

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JOHN 3:1
JOHN 19
JOHN 3:2,3,4,5
EPHESIANS 2:1
ROMANS 8:10-11
JOHN 3:6,7

The Kingdom of God

The rule and reign of God in His people ...will be seen by those who are born again.

1st birth

- Born through water
- Physically alive
- Spiritually dead
- Born separated from our God

2nd birth

- Spiritually alive
- Physically alive
- Born from the Spirit (miracle)
- Given Forgiveness & Grace
- New Creation
- Changed desires and destiny
- New Father, family, life...

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The Spirit of God

Completely powerful, always on the move, uncontainable & unseen.

You only see the effects of the work of the Spirit

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Do you believe Jesus tells the truth? If you do, it will change your life.

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Great Transference:

As Jesus hung on the cross, our sin was placed upon Him.

Gospel does 2 things:

- Pays for our sins (forgiveness)
- Heals & raises us to life

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JOHN 3:15,16

God wants to heal His kids so they can live lives that return home to enjoy the fullness of His Kingdom as sons & daughters.

...to truly live

Eternal life is marked by *two* things:

<u>Truth & Freedom</u>

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"God is Love"

Nothing is more powerful than God's Love

God loves you because He is Good.

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God will bring light, love & life.

He wants to forgive & heal you so you can move on and live your life in Christ.

He calls that type of love to also flow through us to the people around us.

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