

# ALL EYES ON JESUS

## The World's Greatest (John 3:16-16)

### Small Group Study Notes

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Get to know you: Choose one:

- ❖ The greatest day of my life was...
- ❖ The greatest vacation I ever took was...
- ❖ The greatest car I ever owned was...
- ❖ The greatest job I ever had was...
- ❖ The greatest house I ever lived in was...

- Nicodemus returned to his home after meeting with Jesus. Do you think he ever had any sleepless nights thinking about what Jesus said: "You must be born again?"

#### 1) The world's greatest text: John 3:16

- What encourages you most about this verse?
- Have you ever used it in witnessing? How might you use it in the future?
- How is both God's love and holiness seen in this verse?
- Describe (best of your ability) God's love for sinners.

#### 2) The world's greatest test: John 3:17-21

- God will one day judge the world so why does it say He didn't send His Son to judge the world?
- What does the world need to be saved from?
- Will Christians be judged for their sins?
- Sinners are condemned already...why is that fair?
- What keeps people from coming to Christ?

#### 3) The world's greatest testimony: John 3:22-36

- What should our attitude be toward other Gospel preaching churches, small groups?
- How can comparing what God is doing for us with another ministry (person) be dangerous?
- Do you ever struggle with jealousy? How so?
- What were some ways John the Baptist pointed out that Jesus was greater (superior) than he was.

#### CLOSE:

- Read as a group out loud John 3:16. Do this 4 or 5 times emphasizing a different word. **John 3:16 (ESV) - "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life."**
- Have you made life's greatest decision? Will you share John 3:16 with someone this week?
- Do you see any area that needs to change in your life based on this study?
- What would you like to thank God for as a result of this study?

Prayer: Lord, I thank you that...