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Delve into the profound wisdom and spiritual insights offered by John the Beloved, one of Jesus' most intimate apostles. This collection explores his unique teachings from the Gospel of John and epistles, providing timeless guidance on love, truth, and discipleship for contemporary readers seeking deeper understanding of early Christian thought.

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To all those who are on the journey of self--discovery. To those who seek to know and understand in order to help others. You will discover certain things that you have not anticipated. However; you will also be able to congratulate yourself, ' because you have grown. Without understanding. your world cannot heal itself, ' because without understanding. You cannot be unconditionally loving. INSIGHTS FROM FOR IAM JOHN www.johnthebeloved.com This book takes the reader on a journey to understand consciousness, using simple terms and analogies. John the Beloved's ability to explain complex concepts in layman's terms is invaluable if you are seeking to know your place in the Universe. He covers diverse topics such as beliefs and perception, taking the reader on a journey through time, space, sound, and colour. John's message is that we came to enjoy ourselves, enabling us to be relaxed and joyful, sharing the best of ourselves with others.

Why John Is Different

The director of the Navarre Bible project at the University of Navarre in Spain brings together his thoughts on one of the most intriguing Gospel writers, St. John. St. John has been called "the theologian" because of the theological depth of his writing. He is often symbolically represented as an eagle because his writings soar to the heights of the divinity just as the eagle soars upward to the sun. If the Gospels are "the heart of all of Scripture," and therefore the object of special veneration and study, then the Gospel of St. John deserves special attention as the summit of the four.

The Vision of the Beloved Disciple

Father Montague revisits many of the most familiar passages from the Gospel of John and with rare and surprising insights helps us to see in depth much of what is hidden under the surface of these popular texts.

The Beloved Disciple

"The Beloved Disciple" is the trade book adaptation of the bestselling, video-based, interactive Bible study "Beloved Disciple." It shows readers that John was uniquely chosen to be the one who received the Revelation of Jesus Christ, and that Christ still desires to reveal Himself to His disciples today.

According to John

"The Gospel of John intrigues, fascinates...and confuses many. It is filled with compelling personalities who move on and off the stage. Each contributes to an overview of the meaning of Jesus and his life, death and resurrection." "The community behind this gospel - in particular the Beloved Disciple - has remained in shadows for centuries. New insights into how this community actually expressed their faith opens the gospel to further analysis and deeper appreciation of the life and spirituality of the early church at the end of the first century."--BOOK JACKET.Title Summary field provided by Blackwell North America, Inc. All Rights Reserved

The Testimony of the Beloved Disciple

A leading New Testament scholar explores key issues in the Gospel of John.

John the Beloved

A study of the life of the Apostle John, focusing on the background that formed his personality and the incidents that caused change in him.

The Beloved Disciple

"The Gospel of John refers five times to "the disciple whom Jesus loved." From the second through the present century, scholars have sought to identify this "disciple," traditionally concluding that he is the author of the Gospel and is indeed none other than John the son of Zebedee." "In recent phases of research, however, the identification of the Beloved Disciple with John the son of Zebedee has been exposed as weak and unpersuasive. Yet, according to James Charlesworth, even this new research is problematic in that it tends to ascribe priority in discerning the meaning of the Gospel of John to documents other than the Gospel itself. Moreover, this research tends to impute historical accuracy to documents that were not primarily intended to present histories." "Based on extensive research, then, Professor Charlesworth has concluded that the primary texts in the Gospel of John and the reflections of modern scholars indicate that any identification of the Beloved Disciple - whether with one of the disciples specified in the Gospel, with one who is anonymous in this Gospel, or with some symbolic theme - must provide credible answers to eight questions."--BOOK JACKET.Title Summary field provided by Blackwell North America, Inc. All Rights Reserved

Insights on John

Insights on John, volume two in the brand-new landmark Swindoll's New Testament Insights series, provides a wealth of colorful, detailed, and easy-to-understand insights into the gospel of John. Drawing on his vast experience as a communicator of God's Word, Chuck Swindoll presents his legacy to all who read and love the Bible.

The Beloved Disciple. Reflexions on the History of St. John

Best-selling author Beth Moore has a remarkable gift for crafting insightful Bible character studies. Millions have been drawn to her inspired lessons, and the media has called her "America's Bible teacher." The PERSONAL REFLECTIONS series continues to reintroduce Beth's most beloved character-driven books, expanding them into 90-day experiences that include nearly all of the text from her original work, plus thoughtful questions and journal space to engage readers throughout this special time of study. John is the new presentation of Moore's enduring favorite, The Beloved Disciple. The young gospel writer followed Jesus all the years of His ministry, experiencing more miracles, displays of power, and perfect love than he could fathom. And just as Christ led John into the depths of His love, that same journey is here for us, His beloved.

John

During what can be a demanding and confusing season of life for many women, Living Beloved offers young mothers a chance to grow in their identity as children of God simply by observing their own

little ones. By examining the simple characteristics of a child—transparency, trust, joy, boldness, and more—moms will learn to see their relationship with God their Father in a new way. Author Erin Hawley encourages Christian moms to view early motherhood as a wonderful tutoring session from God, as a lesson in how to grow closer to Him and live “beloved” as His child. The biblical insights and personal stories will renew readers, help them move closer to the Lord, and enjoy life as His child during the everyday routine of mamahood. This insightful and warm-hearted book will nourish a mom’s soul as she nourishes her children. Living Beloved helps young mothers develop a stronger sense of identity as children of God, leading to renewed strength, grace, and wisdom for the journey of motherhood.

Living Beloved

The publication of the King James version of the Bible, translated between 1603 and 1611, coincided with an extraordinary flowering of English literature and is universally acknowledged as the greatest influence on English-language literature in history. Now, world-class literary writers introduce the book of the King James Bible in a series of beautifully designed, small-format volumes. The introducers' passionate, provocative, and personal engagements with the spirituality and the language of the text make the Bible come alive as a stunning work of literature and remind us of its overwhelming contemporary relevance.

The Gospel According to John

"This study in Johannine ecclesiology reconstructs the history of one Christian community in the first century -- a community whose life from its inception to its last hour is reflected in the Gospel and Epistles of John. It was a community that struggled with the world, with the Jews, and with other Christians. Eventually the struggle spread even to its own ranks. It was, in short, a community not unlike the Church of today. This book offers a different view of the traditional Johannine eagle. In the Gospel the eagle soars above the earth, but with talons bared for the fray. In the Epistles we discover the eaglets tearing at each other for possession of the nest" -- Back cover.

The Community of the Beloved Disciple

This book is written in the conviction that the church is called into being and nourished by the Word of God that comes through Scripture. But how can Scripture offer any specific guidance for hearers lives today? What are modern readers to make of the dragons and slaughtered lambs in the book of Revelation? What are we to make of a man who turns water into wine while comparing himself to bread? Can people today know what the Bible says and means? The world of the Bible is strange and distant, not only in time and space but also in language, culture, and in its basic assumptions about reality. The first task in both pulpit and pew is not to be in too great a hurry to overcome this distance, but to acknowledge it and respect it. Communication across the gap is the task of the church's preachers and teachers. Drawing on his years of teaching and study, Gene Boring offers a way of opening the ears of those who take the message of the Bible seriously, a message from a world different from our own. Beginning with Revelation, Gene provides a historically informed and pastorally sensitive reading of the various Johannine voices in the New Testament for contemporary preachers and teachers.

Hearing John's Voice

"Experience the timeless truth and transformative power of the Gospel of John, a profound and captivating narrative that invites readers into the heart of Jesus Christ's divine identity and eternal message of salvation. In this richly detailed account, the apostle John, beloved disciple of Jesus, unfolds the remarkable life, teachings, miracles, death, and resurrection of the Son of God with unparalleled depth and clarity." "With compelling prose and insightful storytelling, John portrays Jesus as the eternal Word (Logos) who was with God in the beginning and was God Himself, emphasizing His divine nature and unique role in redemption history. Through a series of captivating narratives, including the iconic wedding at Cana, the encounter with the Samaritan woman at the well, and the raising of Lazarus from the dead, John reveals the profound significance of Jesus' ministry and mission." "As readers journey through the Gospel of John, they are invited to witness Jesus' intimate interactions with individuals from all walks of life, His profound teachings on love, faith, and discipleship, and His ultimate sacrifice on the cross for the sins of humanity. John's Gospel beckons readers to encounter the living Christ and to believe in Him as the Son of God and the source of eternal life." "John's Gospel is more than just a historical account; it is a spiritual journey that leads readers to a deeper understanding of God's love, grace, and redemption. Through John's vivid descriptions and poignant reflections, readers are

invited to experience the transformative power of encountering Jesus Christ and to respond in faith and devotion." "Whether you are a lifelong believer or someone exploring the Christian faith for the first time, the Gospel of John offers profound insights and timeless truths that speak to the deepest longings of the human heart. It is a timeless masterpiece that continues to inspire and transform lives, drawing readers into a deeper relationship with the living God." "Discover the beauty, depth, and relevance of the Gospel of John, and embark on a journey of faith, discovery, and transformation that will leave you forever changed. Join the countless generations of believers who have been captivated by the life, teachings, and love of Jesus Christ as revealed in the Gospel of John."

The Gospel of John

A practical guide offering helpful reflections, biblical insights, and suggestions for the preacher's preparation to assist in preaching on the Gospel of John.

El discípulo amado

Modern readers sometimes view the Gospels and other biblical narratives as mere historical accounts of events that occurred long ago. Biblical narratives, however, are intended to do far more than teach us history. They are intended to change how we think and how we live. In *The Making of a Disciple*, Watson and Culy use insights from narrative criticism to show that the message of the Gospel of John is communicated not only through the teachings and deeds of Jesus, but also through the actions of the other main characters and the consequences of their actions. As readers observe characters interacting with Jesus, they are implicitly encouraged to either emulate or avoid their behavior. Coupled with the teachings and acts of Jesus, these characters serve as potent tools in the Gospel of John to showcase what it looks like not only to become a disciple of Jesus but also to grow to maturity and experience the fullness of joy that Jesus offers.

Preaching the Gospel of John

There is a general consensus that the Fourth Gospel underwent two editions. But in contrast to all previous efforts to reconstruct these two editions on the basis of source and redaction criticism, Waetjen maintains that these two editions essentially overlap without far-reaching changes. Chapter 1-20 originated within the Jewish community of Alexandria and were addressed to Jews in order to persuade them to "believe into" Jesus as the Messiah, the Son of God. The second edition originated when chapter 21 was added and certain revisions were made in chapters 1-20 by an editor in the Christian community of Ephesus in order to present the Gospel to Gentile Christians and perhaps attendant to legitimate it for canonization. Waetjen examines John's gospel by engaging in a close reading of various units of the Gospel from the perspective of a two-level drama that presents two narrative worlds within the literary structure of the Gospel. Out of his readings of the texts, one of the major and provocative conclusions Waetjen draws is that Lazarus is the Beloved Disciple of Jesus in chapters 1-20. John, the son of Zebedee, is intimated to play the role of the Beloved Disciple not only in chapter 21, but throughout the Gospel. In other words, the editor of chapter 21 has concluded that John (based on the title that the gospel already bears), is the Beloved Disciple and project that backwards from chapter 21 throughout the previous 20 chapters. Waetjen's thorough scholarship and his attention to detail in his original readings challenge traditional readings of John's Gospel, providing fresh insights into the Gospel.

The Making of a Disciple

Take a heart captivated by the Lord Jesus. Add 80 years of living in heaven's sunshine, with six decades of careful Bible study. Sprinkle with daily experiences of the Lord's goodness. Add a pinch of humor, a liberal helping of insightful Scripture references, a spoonful or two of good advice, and you have the recipe for delightful meditations and practical insights in this book on how to keep yourselves in the love of God.

The Gospel of the Beloved Disciple

Discusses the call, training and work of John.

The Testimony of John the Beloved

Based on a talk at the New York Open Center in 1999, this book on the identity of John speaks of Christian initiation in a new way--one whose time has come. What Smith has to say is both extraordinarily suggestive and remarkably conclusive. Covering a lot of ground in a way that is accessible, the author masterfully supplies us with a range of collateral materials that is always interesting and illuminates the larger picture. Because this small book began its life as a talk to a general audience, it is blessedly jargon-free and reader friendly. It contains both sophistication or bite while working a quiet but profound revolution in the field of study that it addresses. New Testament scholars as well as those concerned in any way with the future of Christianity ought to sit up and take note. Anyone seeking to understand the mystery of Jesus Christ and his "beloved disciple" will find true food for the mind and heart.

My Beloved Is Mine

The Sanctified Life is a religious book by Ellen G. White, an American author, and co-founder of the Seventh-day Adventist Church. In this work, White teaches what it means to live a sanctified life by Grace through faith in Jesus Christ. The author calls people to establish a loving relationship with God through prayer and Bible study.

The Beloved Disciple--his Name, His Story, His Thought

Jean Vanier celebrates the gospel of John in his highly anticipated latest work, Drawn into the Mystery of Jesus through the Gospel of John. Thoroughly personal and inspiring, it challenges all Christians to encounter the fullness of life lived in close communion with God. Vanier writes: "These insights that I share in this book come from the life of Jesus in me ... They also flow from my life with people who are weak and who have taught me to welcome Jesus from the place of the poverty in me." Jean Vanier was a friend and influential mentor to the late Henri Nouwen. Toward the end of his life, Nouwen left Harvard to live and work at one of Jean Vanier's L'Arche communities. This was perhaps the most profound experience of Christianity Nouwen experienced. The thought and spiritual direction/discipleship of Jean Vanier is available to all in Drawn into the Mystery of Jesus through the Gospel of John.

John

The poetic and symbolic nature of John's gospel betrays the weakness of historical-critical and other scientific" methods of scriptural exegesis: Although valuable for the insights they do provide, scientific methods are not sensitive to the spiritual dimensions of biblical revelation. Father Dumm therefore offers something more than the traditional chapter-and-verse commentary. Understanding that all of the gospels were written after the resurrection and, consequently, that the passion narrative greatly influenced how the earlier chapters were composed, Father Dumm gives more prominence to the climax of the career of Jesus: his passion, death, and resurrection. By beginning "at the end," Father Dumm uncovers the guiding principle of this gospel. In the process he makes some surprising discoveries about the dangers of religious ritual but finds remedy for these dangers in the importance of personal mystical experience within the context of a believing community. Chapters are "The Hour has Come," *Testifying to the Truth, - *Love Gives all, - *Love Conquers all, - *Love One Another, - *Abide in Me as I Abide in You, - *That They May be One, - *Conversion, - *Baptism, - *Eucharist, - *Enlightenment, - and *Eternal Life. - Demetrius Dumm, OSB, is a monk of St. Vincent's Archabbey, Latrobe, Pennsylvania. A professor of New Testament for almost fifty years, he is the author of several books and has given numerous retreats and workshops designed to allow scholarship to bear fruit in the spiritual life of the nonscholar. "

The Disciple Whom Jesus Loved

Develop a confidence and urgency to fulfill your primary responsibility to be a disciple and to make other disciples.

The Sanctified Life

The Gospel of John as a Soul's Journey is a commentary on the Gospel of the Beloved Disciple from a psychological standpoint. It is a continuation of ideas of the Episcopal minister and psychiatrist, John A Sanford, who wrote "Mystical Christianity". This book sees John's Gospel not as history, but as most scholars see it, as a symbolic story. It goes farther from the conventional view, however, in that it sees the sequence of events in the Gospel as a guide for everyone in their journey in life. This commentary goes beyond the concept which John Sanford developed, that the Jews in the Gospel represents the

human ego. It also sees Jesus, whose name means, "Savior" not as the historical figure, but as the force in everyone's life which wants to save them to a higher form of existence. William Fairbanks is a retired computer programmer who has taken up writing. He was brought up in the Methodist tradition and was named after a grandfather who was a superintendent of Sunday Schools for many years. His mother was active in her church, teaching Sunday School for many years. He himself wasn't active in religious activities until the age of forty when he had a mystical experience. He saw in the sky what is known as the Cross of Constantine, as the Emperor Constantine saw the same thing at a decisive time in his life. Since that time he has devoted much time and effort in the study of the Bible and participation in group study. He has written one other book on the Bible "Personal Wellness through the Old Testament".

The Beloved Disciple

By highlighting the defining moments of their lives and discussing the impact of their responses to tough times and to God, John MacArthur unveils lessons of faith and servanthood from beloved men and women of the Bible.

Drawn Into the Mystery of Jesus Through the Gospel of John

What inspires you? A personal motto? A quote that directs your daily life? The letters written by the apostle John and Jude focused on two simple words that define our life and permeate our actions: love and truth. These letters are full of insights and direction along with warnings and encouragement . . . all based on these two words. These words remind us that God supplies all we need. That there is a real purpose to generosity. That there are times to be tolerant and times to take a stand. That faith includes certainties. Love and truth remind us of the life-changing power in the gospel message. Want a guide to how to live? Study John and Jude's letters of love and truth. As you read, study, journal, and discuss the books of John and Jude, watch for these key themes that Max will unpack throughout the book: Our obedience in faith keeps us in fellowship with God. God will forgive our sins. We can measure any truth by where it places Jesus in relation to God. God's love and Christ's victory are the Christian's inheritance. The Life Lessons with Max Lucado series brings the Bible to life in twelve lessons filled with intriguing questions, inspirational stories, and poignant reflections to take you deeper into God's Word. Each lesson includes: An opening reflection on the Bible book you're studying. Background information to deepen your understanding of the cultural and historical setting. An excerpt of the text (from the NIV and the NKJV). Exploration questions with plenty of room to write your own thoughts and notes. Inspirational thoughts from Max as well as a closing takeaway for further reflection. The Life Lessons series is ideal for use in both a small-group setting or for individual study.

A Mystical Portrait of Jesus

Adele Reinhartz has been studying and teaching the Gospel of John for many years. Earlier, she chose to ignore the love/hate relationship that the book provokes in her, a Jew, and took refuge in an "objective" historical-critical approach. At this stage her relationship to the Gospel was not so much a friendship as a business relationship. No longer willing to ignore the negative portrayal of Jews and Judaism in the text, nor the insight that her own Jewish identity inevitably does play a role in her work as an exegete, Reinhartz here explores the Fourth Gospel through the approach known as "ethical criticism," which is based on the metaphorical notion of the book as "friend"--not "an easy, unquestioning companionship," but the kind of honest relationship in which ethical considerations are addressed, not avoided. In a book as multilayered as the Gospel itself, Reinhartz engages in 4 different "readings" of the Fourth Gospel: compliant, resistant, sympathetic, and engaged. Each approach views the Beloved Disciple differently: as mentor, opponent, colleague, and as "other." In the course of each of these readings, she elucidates the three narrative levels that interpenetrate the Gospel: the historical, the cosmological, and the ecclesiological. In the latter, Reinhartz deals at length with the so-called expulsion theory, the dominant scholarly notion that the Johannine community, which included believers of Jewish, Gentile, and Samaritan origins, engaged in a prolonged and violent controversy with the local Jewish community, culminating in a "traumatic expulsion from the synagogue." -- Provided by publisher.

Select Notes on the International Sabbath School Lessons

Kingdom Disciples Bible Study Book

Personally compelling and relevant to every Christian life, James Eldred's *A Depth of Insight* is a treasure trove of simple but powerful truths regarding what it is to be a disciple of Jesus Christ. Exploring that which effectively defends the faith and the one thing in your life that shows the whole world that you serve Jesus, this book sheds light on the reality of our individual relationships with our Savior. Each nugget of wisdom is set in the context of actual events with real people as they go about life. Every chapter brings to life how the power of God has worked to change the nature and character of one of His disciples. Each new story tells how the Holy Spirit used Scripture, other believers, and every aspect of life to transform the author. Do you struggle with stress or debilitating health issues? Do you not hear from God no matter how hard you pursue Him? Do you lack joy and fulfillment, or struggle with family and relationships? No matter how much you have, does it seem inadequate or unsatisfying? Eldred lays bare these issues and many more in *A Depth of Insight*. If just one of these concepts speaks to your life, you can be impacted by God's wisdom as it is presented in this book.

Lessons on the Life of Jesus

The Gospel of John as a Soul's Journey