

# John's Gospel: The Birth Of Faith

"Truly, truly, I say to you, you will weep and lament, but the world will rejoice. You will be sorrowful, but your sorrow will turn into joy." John 16:20 (ESV)

Without \_\_\_\_\_ faith, we don't dare go into the " \_\_\_\_\_ water".

## Jesus Warns Of Hard Times Ahead

A. The hard times that lay ahead:

1. 16:1,2 - He said these sobering things to \_\_\_\_\_ them from \_\_\_\_\_ away.
2. 16:5,6 - \_\_\_\_\_ was in their \_\_\_\_\_ because of the news.
3. 16:12 - They were not yet able to \_\_\_\_\_ other teachings Jesus had for them. But soon they would be able.
4. 16:16-18 - Soon they would \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ more. After that they would \_\_\_\_\_ Him. They didn't \_\_\_\_\_.
5. 16:19,20 - They would \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, but after that their \_\_\_\_\_ would be turned into \_\_\_\_\_.
6. 16:21,22 - Jesus used the image of a \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ to show what they would go through.

B. 1 Corinthians 15:17 - Faith is \_\_\_\_\_ without the \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus.

## When Faith Is Born

A. 16:29-32 - The apostles felt that they \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_, but Jesus knew they would soon be \_\_\_\_\_.

B. When their faith was born:

1. 16:4 - Later they would see that Jesus was in \_\_\_\_\_ of the events that would happen.
2. 16:7 - It was to their \_\_\_\_\_ that Jesus go \_\_\_\_\_.
3. 16:8 - The \_\_\_\_\_ would convict the world of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_.
4. 16:13 - The \_\_\_\_\_ would guide them into all \_\_\_\_\_.
5. 16:22-24 - Ultimately their faith would allow their \_\_\_\_\_ to be \_\_\_\_\_.
6. 16:33 - Though they would have \_\_\_\_\_ in the world, they would have \_\_\_\_\_ because Jesus had \_\_\_\_\_ the world.

Luke 5:5 - Only when we \_\_\_\_\_ out into the \_\_\_\_\_ will we find a larger \_\_\_\_\_.

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