

John pt19 - (8:39-59)

Father Abraham and I AM

1. John 8:34-35 – Servants of sin (bondage)
 - a. He that commits sin is of the devil - 1 John 3:8-9
 - b. Paul references this in Rom 6:16-17 (but ye are not)
 - c. Christ abides forever – John 8:35-36 direct reference to Heb 7:24
 - d. “”but ye seek to kill me” – This is the evident token of sin

2. John 8:39-47 – Abraham’s children
 - a. The works of Abraham 8:39 → James 2:21
 - i. What Abraham found – Romans 4:1-5
 - b. “Ye seek to kill me” 8:40 – remember 7:19-20
 - c. Who is true Israel? (Abraham’s seed) – Rom 2:28; Rom 9:7
 1. Read context!!
 - d. “came from God” - 8:42 (God sent – chapter 3)
 - e. “ye cannot hear”/ ears to hear – Mat 13:9-16
 - i. The rejection of truth - Isa 6:9-10 ; Acts 7:51-53; 18:25-28
 - f. “who convinceth me of sin” – Heb 4:15 (2 Cor 5:21)

3. John 8:48-51 – the unforgivable sin – blasphemy against God
 - a. All manner of sin – Mat 12:31-32; Mark 3:28-29
 - i. The only unforgivable sin → Heb 10:26; Heb 6:4-6; 1 John 2:19
 - b. Keep my sayings get eternal life – John 5:24, 6:50, 14:21, 15:14

4. John 8:52-56 – Greater than Abraham
 - a. “Abraham rejoiced to see my day” - John 5:28-29; Heb 11:10-19
 - i. Gospel of the kingdom- “time is fulfilled” – Mark 1:14-15
 - ii. Fulfillment of Gen 12:1-3
 - b. Greater than ... also Solomon-Mat 12:42; Moses-Heb 3:3
 - i. Melchisedec greater than the Levitical – Heb 7:1-10
 1. King of Salem: priest of God - Gen 14:18

5. John 8:57-59 – I AM
 - a. Moses and I AM - Exo 3:14
 - b. Remember the environment – he is in the temple – Mat 24:15