

Passage: John 14
Sermon Title: The Cure for a Troubled Heart
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John 14 Discussion Questions

1. What are some of the things that trouble most people's hearts today?
2. Of the things troubling the disciple's hearts (re-read John 13:21-38 for a refresher), what do you think troubled them the most? Why?
3. What did Jesus have in mind when He said: *I go to prepare a place for you*? What did this preparation process involve?
4. Jesus says He is **the only** way to Heaven. What are ways we can graciously and effectively communicate this truth to those who believe otherwise?
5. How is the peace Christ offers us different from the peace that the world offers?
6. Search the Scriptures and list passages that speak of how Christians are to prepare for Christ's return.

How the Holy Spirit Helps Us

- Reminds us of Jesus' teachings (John 14:26).
- Gives us spiritual gifts (Romans 12/1 Corinthians 12).
- Gives us confidence to share the Gospel (Acts 1:8).
- Convicts us of sin and drawing us to repentance (John 16:8).
- Helped the disciples by inspiring them what to say when they wrote down the Scriptures (2 Peter 1:20-21, 2 Timothy 3:16).
- Serves as our advocate in prayer – crying out to the Father on their behalf with groans too deep for them to understand. (Romans 8:26)
- Serves as the seal of our salvation, the promise that Christ will come back for those who are His (Ephesians 1:13).