



SERMON DISCUSSION GUIDE

"I Am the Bread of Life"

John 6:25-40

Record your insights & observations from this week's sermon.

SERMON NOTES

For Further Study on This Sermon Series

Meeting Jesus: The 'I Am' Sayings of Christ by R.C. Sproul

GROUP DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- 1) Nearly every adult person has formed an opinion about Jesus. Some say He was a prophet, some say He was an ordinary man, and Christians say He is the Son of God. In this sermon series on the "I Am" statements, we will discover how Jesus described Himself. Why is it important for us to know who He said He was?
- 2) Read *Exodus 3:13-15*. When Jesus gave His "I Am" statements, He used the same words that God used in *Exodus 3:14* when He described Himself as "I Am Who I Am." Why is this important?
- 3) Read *John 6:1-27*. What was the context of Jesus making the "I am the bread of life" statement? What were the people wanting from Jesus? How did Jesus correct them in *verses 26-27*?
- 4) Read *John 6:28-33; Exodus 16:1-4, 11-15*. What were the people expecting Jesus to do? How did Jesus respond?
- 5) Read *John 6:34-35*. As the Bread of Life, what does it mean that Jesus spiritually nourishes us? How has He provided spiritual nourishment for you?
- 6) Read *John 6:36-40*. Jesus tells the crowd that they did not believe in Him, and that only those who the Father gives Him will come to Him. Read *verse 44*. How do these passages describe God's sovereign role in our eternal salvation?

FOR YOUR FAMILY

- 1) Memorize *John 6:35* – "*Jesus said to them, 'I am the bread of life; whoever comes to Me shall not hunger, and whoever believes in Me shall never thirst.'*"
- 2) Read *John 6:25-33*. Discuss with your family how confused the people in the crowd were about who Jesus was. Talk with each other about how non-Christians typically view Jesus, and why it is important to properly understand who He really is.
- 3) Read *John 6:34-40*. Talk with your family about how important bread is for people, and compare this to how Jesus is the bread of life who nourishes and satisfies our souls.