

WEEK 6 | THE RESURRECTION AND THE LIFE
JOHN 11:1-44



This is week 6 in the “I Am” series, where we are looking at a series of statements that Jesus makes about himself.

Read John 11:1-44

- 1.) What stands out to you as significant, helpful, or confusing from this passage?
- 2.) Do you find it hard to talk about death? Why or why not?
- 3.) Look again at verses 20-23 and 33-35. How would you describe Jesus’ view of death? How does his view help re-shape your view?
- 4.) Verses 25-27 are famous, in that they are very often part of funeral liturgies. What hope does Jesus offer? How is the raising of Lazarus related to these claims?
- 5.) In verses 35-37 there are 2 different reactions to Jesus. What are they? Which of these reactions best describe your response to God in the midst of suffering?
- 6.) In his book *Miracles*, C.S. Lewis wrote: “*He has forced open a door that has been locked since the death of the first man. He has met, fought, and beaten the King of Death. Everything is different because he has done so.*” How can the Gospel give us peace, even while staring down the inevitability of death?