

I AM

Jesus in His own words

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I AM the Way, the Truth and the Life

John 14:1-7

Why would Jesus' statement seem controversial and offensive to so many?

- It seems to be too exclusive.

◇ Two counter questions to consider:

1. Would it be more loving for God to reveal the only way to get to Him or to keep it to Himself?
2. Is it really exclusive if you invite everyone?

- It is countercultural.
- It is counterintuitive.

The reason Jesus' statement gives hope and peace, especially in times like these, is: It's true!

If you don't yet believe in Jesus: Take a harder look at Jesus by going to our [website](#), asking for help, exploring for yourself the "Trinity Church" library on [RightNow Media](#).

If you do believe in Jesus: Live like Jesus; love like Jesus; and share the truth.

Memory Verse:

"Jesus said to him, 'I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.'"
John 14:6 (ESV)

Further Study:

Read: John 14:1-7 in your group or with at least one other person.

1. Have someone read it while everyone reads along.
2. Have someone else read it while everyone else listens.
3. Have someone recount the text from memory in their own words.

Discuss:

1. What does the passage reveal about God?
2. What does the passage reveal about humanity?

Act:

1. If this passage is from God, what should change about how you live?
2. Who needs to hear the truth of this Scripture that you can share it with this week? Identify a time this week when you might have the opportunity to share with them.