## **4 Questions for the passage (self-study):**

What is God teaching us about Himself? What is God teaching us about our self? What is God teaching us about others? So what?

## Rock Solid Series - Gospel of John

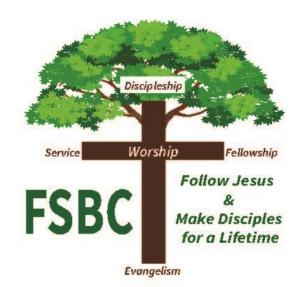
Ch 1-2 Discover Truth, Ch 3-4 Ask Questions, Ch 4-5 Build on Evidence, Ch 6-7 Deepen your Faith, Ch 8-9 Face Challenges, Ch 10 Be Discerning, Ch 11-12 Gift of Growth

## Start Right & Finish Strong – Jesus, An Example Worth Following

•	ner up. But pity anyone who falls and has no one to help them up" Eccl. 4:9-10  23 — Pastor Matt
What do you see in 2023  January 8 – An Opportunity to Serve  January 15 – An Opportunity to Love  January 22 – An Opportunity to Comfort  January 29 – An Opportunity to Live	Next, identify the SOURCE of comfort. Vs. 1b-2  • Jesus had the HISTORY to know  • He earned the place to SPEAK BOLDLY  • Note the difference in EMOTIONAL vs. "Un"
Focus Text: John 14:1-4	Personal Insights:
Introduction:  • What does it mean to bring <u>COMFORT</u> ?  • Who has been <u>GOD'S</u> comfort to you in your need?  • What are the <u>KEY COMPONENTS</u> of comfort?  Personal Insights:	<ul> <li>Finally, <u>WALK</u> the path to comfort. Vs. 3-4</li> <li>Jesus does not <u>ABANDON</u> in time of need</li> <li>He will walk with you when the <u>PATH ENDS</u></li> <li>Deepens the <u>SHARED EXPERIENCE</u></li> </ul> Personal Insights:
<ul> <li>First, identify the <u>DISCOMFORT</u>. Vs. 1</li> <li>Get <u>TO KNOW</u> a person - discipleship</li> <li>Be <u>KNOWN</u> by people - vulnerability</li> </ul>	If you want a friend If you want people to know If you want people to notice your pain Being a "Disciple" is more than weekly church attendance – Join in the <b>JOURNEY</b> !
• ASK and ALLOW people in - accountability	SO What – NOW What
Personal Insights:	Tasks to be done later – write them down, leave them, and

get back to the message!

rayer Concerns:
otes for Personal Study:



## **SERMON NOTES**

The Church that Jesus commissioned is a Church that must be a Disciple-Making Church! The Bible shows a disciple is one who has encountered Christ, been changed by Christ and is following Christ with other believers.

I see the Sunday message as one part of the disciple-making process, so I am intentional with sermon notes. Please note:

- 1. The blanks that are provided are intended to provide a framework for God's message to you.
- 2. The personal insight blanks are intended for you to reflect on what God is saying to you.
- 3. The sermon notes and your notes are intended for us to move through an intentional, discipleship process.

I pray today's message strengthens you in your walk with Jesus and the overflow impacts others!

Pastor Matt