

John 3:14-21 Quiz

"For God so loved the world, that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish, but have eternal life. For God didn't send his Son into the world to judge the world, but that the world should be saved through him."

God didn't send the Son to _____--but sent him to save!

"He who believes in him is not judged. He who doesn't believe has been judged already, because he has not believed in the name of the one and only Son of God"

We like it when Jesus tells us that he loves the world and came to save it. We don't like it when he says that some are condemned because of their failure to believe. We want to know that he came to _____ the world, but we aren't interested in hearing the rest of the story--the part about judging--the part about condemnation. But Jesus is as clear about the condemned part as he was about the saved parts. Jesus says that he came to save the world, but some people don't want to be saved. He said that they love darkness rather than the light because their deeds are evil.

Again, we prefer not to think about people like that--but we must admit that they exist. There are, in this world, people who prefer darkness to _____--who prefer evil to good.

God loves the whole world--all of us--you and me.

Live your life in the light of Christ--to _____ yourself, to find the dark corners that you are trying to hide from Christ--so that you might open your heart fully to receive the light of Christ. If you do that, it will change your life. It won't be an easy experience, but once you are on the other side, living fully in the light of Christ, you will be glad.

Be a bearer of Christ's light--to your family--to your co-workers--to your friends and neighbors--to the clerk in the store. I am not calling you to buttonhole people and to ask, "Do you know Jesus?" I'm suggesting something quite different--that you open yourself so fully to the light of Christ that you _____ a beacon of light--a beacon of faith--a beacon of integrity.

Let Christ _____ the way you think about people--the way that you relate to them. Let Christ change your language -- the way you talk to people. Let Christ change the way you make decisions, so that you are always trying to do the right thing rather than the easy thing. Christ shining through you will have a great effect.

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| A. examine | C. condemn | E. light |
| B. save | D. become | F. change |