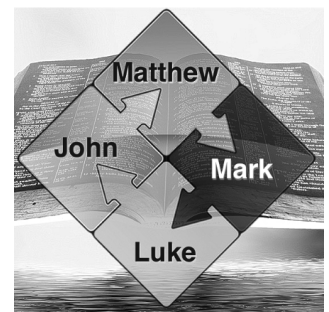


Facts about the Book of John - Authorship

- A disciple of Jesus, one of Jesus's Inner Circle, and leader of the early church
- Wrote several epistles and _____
- One of the longest living eyewitnesses to the earthly life of Christ
- Mentor of _____, 2nd Century Church father

Facts about the Book of John - Relation to the other Gospels

- Matthew, Mark, Luke are the _____ Gospels
- Synoptic = sharing a similar _____
- Controversy
 - Similarities between synoptics are bad
 - John's uniqueness is also bad.
- Apologetic
 - It was _____ by a different man,
 - In a different _____ of the first century
 - For a different _____
- The Gospels _____ one another
 - There is _____ in content and purpose.
 - Just as you would expect from 4 different _____.
 - Pretty Simple



1) Major Theme - Fulfillment of God's plan

- Fulfillment of _____

“Philip went to look for Nathanael and told him, “We have found the very person Moses and the prophets _____ about! His name is Jesus, the son of Joseph from Nazareth.” *John 1:46*

- _____ to the nations

“For God loved the world in this way: He gave His One and Only Son, so that _____ who believes in Him will not perish but have eternal life. *John 3:16*

- Revelation of _____ relationship

“But in fact, it is best for you that I go away, because if I don't, the Advocate won't come. If I do go away, _____ I will send Him to you. *John 16:7-13*

2) Major Theme - Jesus' Relationship to the Father

- Jesus _____ equality with God

“So the Jewish leaders tried all the harder to find a way to kill Him. For He not only broke the Sabbath, He called God His Father, thereby making Himself _____ with God.” *John 5:18*

- Jesus revealed the _____ of the Holy Spirit

“Jesus answered, ‘I tell you the truth, before Abraham was even born, _____!’” *John 8:56*

- Jesus _____ the nature of the Holy Spirit

“If you love Me, obey My commandments. And I will ask the Father, and He will give you another Advocate, who will never leave you. He is the _____, who leads into all truth...” *John 14:15-17*

- Jesus _____ the concept of the Trinity

“But when the _____ sends the Advocate as _____ representative—that is, the _____—He will teach you everything and will remind you of everything I have told you.” *John 14:26*

3) Major Theme - Implications for our relationship with God

- _____ solving of the Sin Problem

“I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to Me will never be _____ again. Whoever believes in Me will never be _____.” *John 6:35*

- Unity based on the _____ of the Godhead

Now I am departing from the world; they are staying in this world, but I am coming to you. Holy Father, You have given Me Your name; now protect them by the power of Your name so that they will be _____ just as We are. *John 17:11*

- _____ Access to God through Jesus

“...let us go right into the _____ of God with sincere hearts fully trusting Him. *Hebrews 10:22*

The book of John shows us:

Jesus’ life, death and resurrection were a fulfillment of prophecy _____ set the stage for the church age.

He brought us into a _____ different relationship with the Father.

We now have direct access to a _____ God, through our faith in the life, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

Revelation, Polycarp, Synoptic, viewpoint, written, decade, purpose, supplement, variation, eyewitnesses, Prophecy, wrote, Blessing, everyone, new, then, claimed, equal, role, I AM, revealed, Holy Spirit, clarifies, Father, My, Holy Spirit, Permanent, hungry, thirsty, unity, united, Direct, presence, AND, fundamentally, Holy.