

Knowing Jesus Nicodemus

Text: John 3:1-16

Purpose: A truth encounter with Jesus leads Nicodemus to understand spiritual matters in a new way. As we become more curious, ask questions and seek answers, Jesus leads us to a better understanding of who He is and what He has done.

Opening Question:

Read and Discuss: John 3:1-16

1. *Why was Nicodemus drawn to Jesus? What authenticated Jesus' message?*
2. *How has Jesus' actions in your life led you to believe his message in a new way?*
3. *Contrast Jesus' response to Nicodemus' questions with today's culture of conversations about differences?*
4. *What does Jesus mean when He says that we need to be "Born again"?*
5. *Why was Nicodemus confused with Jesus' response in verse 8... "The wind blows wherever it pleases. You hear its sound, but you cannot tell where it comes from or where it is going. So it is with everyone born of the Spirit."*
6. *How does the Holy Spirit help you understand the truth today?*