



We are so glad to see you! We are NOT perfect. If you are then this is probably not the place for you. However, if you have some dents and dings in your fenders or maybe have totaled your life, this is the place to be. We don't have the answers but we know one who does. Our lives have been and are being changed by this One. We are confident he can do the same for you. Relax, typically our service is an hour-30 to an hour45 minutes in length. Please take notes or not! I trust you will **not** be bored, Relax!

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Love is... _____

Now a man was sick, Lazarus, from Bethany, the village of Mary and her sister Martha. ² Mary was the one who anointed the Lord with fragrant oil and wiped His feet with her hair, and it was her brother Lazarus who was sick. ³ So the sisters sent a message to Him: "Lord, the one You love is sick." ⁴ When Jesus heard it, He said, "This sickness will not end in death but is for the glory of God, so that the Son of God may be glorified through it." ⁵ Now Jesus loved Martha, her sister, and Lazarus. ⁶ So when He heard that he was sick, He stayed two more days in the place where He was. John 11:1-6 HCSB

If Jesus loved Lazarus so much, why did he let him get _____?
Why did he _____ going to the sisters?
Why did he not _____ Lazarus from a distance like the nobleman's son (John 4:43-54)?

¹¹ He said this, and then He told them, "Our friend Lazarus has fallen asleep, but I'm on My way to wake him up." ¹² Then the disciples said to Him, "Lord, if he has fallen asleep, he will get well." ¹³ Jesus, however, was speaking about his death, but they thought He was speaking about natural sleep. ¹⁴ So Jesus then told them plainly, "Lazarus has died." ¹⁵ I'm glad for you that I wasn't there so that you may believe. But let's go to him." John 11:11-15 HCSB

What did Jesus message _____ when Lazarus was already dead?
It Jesus really _____ why does he do stuff like this?

³³ When Jesus saw her crying, and the Jews who had come with her crying, He was angry^[b] in His spirit and deeply moved. ³⁴ "Where have you put him?" He asked. "Lord," they told Him, "come and see." ³⁵ Jesus wept. ³⁶ So the Jews said, "See how He loved him!" ³⁷ But some of them said, "Couldn't He who opened the blind man's eyes also have kept this man from dying?" John 11:33-37 HCSB

If he really loved him, then why is he _____?

³⁸ Then Jesus, angry^[c] in Himself again, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. ³⁹ "Remove the stone," Jesus said. Martha, the dead man's sister, told Him, "Lord, he's already decaying.^[d] It's been four days." ⁴⁰ Jesus said to her, "Didn't I tell you that if you believed you would see the glory of God?" ⁴¹ So they removed the stone. Then Jesus raised His eyes and said, "Father, I thank You that You heard Me. ⁴² I know that You always hear Me, but because of the crowd standing here I said this, so they may believe You sent Me." ⁴³ After He said this, He shouted with a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" ⁴⁴ The dead man came out bound hand and foot with linen strips and with his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, "Loose him and let him go." John 11:38-44 HCSB

⁴⁵ Therefore, many of the Jews who came to Mary and saw what He did believed in Him. ⁴⁶ But some of them went to the Pharisees and told them what Jesus had done. John 11:45-46 HCSB

How could they _____ believe?
How is it you and I _____ believe God?

²⁵ Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in Me, even if he dies, will live. ²⁶ Everyone who lives and believes in Me will never die—ever. Do you believe this?" John 11:25-26 HCSB

Financial 411!	JAN '18
Monthly Budget	\$5,352.14
Actual Gifts	\$2,891.00
Monthly shortfall/surplus	(\$2,461.14)
2018 Budget YTD	\$5,352.14
2018 Actual YTD	\$2,891.00
Budget shortfall	\$2,461.14

God loves you especially when you don't understand! That is when he is loving you more!

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