A.L.I.V.E. Bible Study Date: December 20, 2020 Fulfilled – John 1:1-18

1.	What is John talking about in 1:1, when he talks about "the Word"? a. The Bible b. Jesus c. God's revelation of Himself to His people.
2.	What does John say about "the Word" in 1:1 and why are these things significant? a. He was in the beginning b. The Word was with God c. The Word was God
3.	Why is it significant that nothing was made without the Word, according to verses 2-3?a. It probably doesn't even matter.b. Christ (the Son, the Word) was present from the beginning and is Creator, not a created being.c. It is the very one who created us who was willing to die for us.
4.	What is found "in Him," according to 1:4?
5.	 What happened when the light shined in the darkness, according to verses 5-11? a. Everyone ran to the light. b. Darkness has not overcome (or understood) it. c. John came to testify concerning the light. d. The world did not recognize or receive him.
6.	Why do you think that "though the world was made through him, the world did not recognize him" and "He came to that which was his own, but his own did not receive him?"
7.	What according to verses 12-13 is given to those who did receive him?
8.	 What does verse 14 tell us about Jesus? a. This verse is the Christmas storythe baby in the manger story. b. While Jesus was born to a place and time, there was something to Him that was eternally existent and "became flesh." c. The Word, God's revelation of Himself, took on a fleshly component in Christ.
9.	 What does it mean that "Out of his fullness we have received grace in place of grace already given?" a. I don't knowI don't remember any grace in the law. b. Wait, isn't this what we've been talking about throughout our Fulfilled series? Jesus fulfilled the law (grace already given), he didn't do away with it. The Old Testament sacrificial system (grace already given) was only a shadow of what would come.
10.	Verse 18 caps off the rest of this declaration of the "Word." What does this mean for us? How should this shape our view of Jesus? Have you recognized and receive this Jesus or are you like many who did not?