A.L.I.V.E. Bible Study Date: March 14, 2021 Fulfilled – John 10

1. What was Jesus talking about (and who was he talking to) in the last text at the end of John 9?

- 3. What does he say about himself, according to verses-3-5?
 - a. The gatekeeper opens the gate for him.
 - b. The sheep listen to his voice.
 - c. He calls his own sheep by name and leads them out.
 - d. When they are all out, he goes ahead of them and they follow him because they know his voice.
 - e. The sheep will never follow a stranger.
- 4. Did the Pharisees understand what Jesus was saying, according to verse 6? Yes____ No____ Why, then, did Jesus tell them this?
 - a. I don't know! Surely he knew they weren't understanding what he said.
 - b. Jesus knew the heart of the Pharisees. They expected people to follow them, but they were not the shepherd and did not come with authority from God as Jesus did.
 - c. In verse 25, Jesus explains that they would have believed and understood if they were his disciples. Perhaps he was helping his disciples understand who he is in a way that others would not understand, so that they would not be led astray by those who spoke against Jesus.
- 5. Do you hear the voice of Jesus and follow? Yes No Explain.
- 6. What does Jesus say about himself in verse 7?
 - a. I am the gate...wait, is he the gate or the shepherd that the gatekeeper opens the gate for?
 - b. Whoever enters through me will be saved.
 - c. They will come in and go out and find pasture.
- 7. What does Jesus explain in verses 11-18?
 - a. He lays down his life for his sheep.
 - b. Others will run when trouble comes.
 - c. He has other sheep who are not Jews (Gentiles) who will be included as part of the same flock.
 - d. He lays down his life voluntarily. No one takes it from him. Therefore, he has the power to take it up again!
- 8. What did the Jews do when Jesus declared that he was the Messiah in verses 25-31?_____
- 9. What was the result of what Jesus did, according to verses 31-?
 - a. His good works affirmed him as from God.
 - b. People went across the Jordan into the wilderness to find him.
 - c. People saw that John was right in everything he said about Jesus.
 - d. Many people believed in Jesus.
- 10. How do you respond to the things that Jesus does?