

A.L.I.V.E. Bible Study
Date: March 21, 2021
Fulfilled – John 11:45-57

1. What had Jesus just done in our last study in the first part of chapter 11? _____

2. What was the result of this miracle, according to verse 45? _____

3. How did the Pharisees respond to this miracle, according to verses 46-47? _____

4. Why were they afraid of people believing in Jesus, according to verse 48?
 - a. They would lose control of the people.
 - b. The Romans would take away the freedoms that they had.
 - c. The Romans would take away their ability to worship the way they wanted.
 - d. Although they claimed to be Religious leaders, their focus had changed. They no longer really sought God's will. Rather, they were trying to preserve a pseudo-religious way of life that was allowed by the Romans as long as it didn't get too out of control
5. What did Caiaphas say, according to verses 49-52?
 - a. You know nothing at all.
 - b. It is better for one man to die than for the whole nation to perish.
 - c. He seems to be suggesting that they kill Jesus in order to keep their nation.
 - d. He had prophesied that Jesus would die for the Jewish nation, and not only the nation but for all the scattered children of God.
6. Was Caiaphas correct in his prophesy? Yes _____ No _____ Explain. _____
_____ Do you think that he understood the will of God regarding Jesus's death on the cross?

7. Do we ever hear God's word without understanding what it means? Yes _____ No _____ Explain. _____

8. What did Jesus do in response, according to verse 54-57?
 - a. He stood confidently in the temple courts teaching.
 - b. He withdrew to a remote town.
 - c. He got away with his disciples.Was Jesus running away from what God told him to do? Yes _____ No _____ Explain.

9. How do you respond to persecution or threats when you are serving God?
 - a. I speak boldly and declare God's word.
 - b. I get away from places where I might be criticized for doing God's will.
 - c. I rely on God's direction.
 - d. I do what God tells me, in his timing.