John # 113 "Let's All Go For A Run" John 6:53-63

<u>Creator God is revealed in His general revelation of His creation so that anyone who is</u> <u>willing can realize that He is behind it all and He also has outlined everything necessary for</u> us to get to know Him intimately in His specific revelation of Himself in the Bible.

God the Father attaches the highest value to His Word because it expresses Who He, His Son and the Holy Spirit are and what He, His Son and the Holy Spirit do as it expresses Their plan, provides the living-grace support for His plan and actually gives us everything we will ever need at any time.

When a believer is filled with the Holy Spirit, the Holy Spirit highly influences his soul as well as his body and for this to function properly, we must have the Word of God, along with an authorized communicator equipped with a local church classroom.

Biblical truth is transferred from the written page of Scripture to the soul of the believer graciously within the plan of God.

James tells us we must be doers of the Word and not hearers only; a doer of the Word has biblical truth in his heart or on the launching pad of his soul.

<u>Consistency is the secret to growing up spiritually, the secret to the greater-grace life.</u> We must be challenged to trust Jesus Christ daily regardless of the circumstances which arise

in our lives.

If any of us remember correctly, at first we didn't know much of anything; then somewhere along the line, we became squared away by hearing the true Gospel and then believing it. Then as spiritual babies, we began to experience a brand-new ball game and gradually we had to learn an entirely new gameplan and it took a while.

To know the will of God, we must know the Word of God which teaches us of our predecessors in the

Old Testament, to include many visible heroes.

Notice that it wasn't Moses' great physical strength or his superior genius that made him great, it was the fact that he told the children of Israel when leading them out of Egypt to stop whining and trust God to deliver them.

And just how are invisible heroes made?

Once we begin to concentrate on priority #1, we organize our lives around priority #1; so, whatever it takes, we learn biblical truth!

So as a visible Hero, our Lord presented Himself to Israel as her Messiah, the Son of David and as an invisible Hero, our Lord was judged for the sins of the world on the cross.

That invisibility was enhanced by the darkness across the land from 12 noon until 3PM,

during which time our Lord received the judgment for the sins of the world.

Just as our Lord executed God's salvation plan in His First Advent, we are here to execute the plan

of God for the Church Age.

There is only one honorable way to die as believers in Jesus Christ and that's as invisible heroes.