

John # 177 “With Jesus, It’s Always Either A Response Or A Reaction” *John 11:9-12*

**The Lord Jesus continues His verification or validation of His claim to be God who has become**

**a man and why?1. To strengthen His human successors, the disciples;2. To challenge His own, the Jews for a faith response;3. To indict the persistent rejecters.**

Only God the Holy Spirit inspiring John would give us a picture of Jesus’ true humanity while promoting the theme of His undiminished deity!

*God gives days not even weeks or months and certainly not years as so many assume.*

**God knows that man fears death and therefore, He provides His assistance for that and all our fears.**

Until the plan of God for a believer’s life is completed, there is no force on earth, under the earth or above the earth, nor is there a cleverly devised hostile scheme that can remove him.

*And the plan of God includes His provision for sharing His perfect happiness with us every day.*

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*God has given us today to be happy with Him and in Him; so if we’re miserable, it’s because we’re either way out ahead of Him in a state of unrealistic expectation worrying about what could happen to us or we’re way behind Him by living in the past, wallowing in our already paid for and forgiven failures.*

**Safety is of the Lord!**