

The Bread From Heaven.

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Read John 6:25-71.

1. Earlier in the chapter we saw Jesus feed over 5,000 people with just 5 loaves of bread and 2 fish. The next day the people that were fed pursued Jesus to the other side of the lake. What is the reason for their pursuit of Jesus? Does their motivation matter?

2. What are wrong motivations for following Jesus today?

3. Why is personal faith necessary in truly following Jesus?

4. What does it mean that Jesus is the bread of life? What is the significance of that when considering the myriad of choices and priorities that we face?

5. Why do the people go from excitement about Jesus to grumbling about him? How can we guard against this mindset in our own lives?

6. There are two different lenses that are revealed in this passage - the temporal and the eternal. Which one is Jesus continually pointing to and where do you see that throughout the passage? How should that shape our own perspective on what is truly important?

7. How do we see that belief to truly believe Jesus is a gift of God according to **verses 44 and 65**? How does this shape our attitude towards our faith and the worship God deserves?

8. Sometimes people think, "if I could just see a miracle, then I'd believe". According to this passage, is that necessarily true? What was the ultimate reaction for many that witnessed the miracle of Jesus' provision of food?

9. Is Jesus actually telling people that they need to eat him in **verses 53-58**? Why do you think Jesus spoke in such a way?

10. The passage says that many disciples turned away from Jesus. Jesus was losing the crowds. What was the distinction in Peter's response in **verses 68-69**? How does the word of God shape faith? What emphasis should God's Word have on our lives?