

Welcome to Hope Sabbath School--an in-depth interactive study of the Word of God. We are continuing an important series of studies on Oneness in Christ. Our topic today: Unity in Faith.

1. Salvation in Jesus

- a) Acts 4:8-12, 10:43
- b) 2 Corinthians 5:18-19
- c) Romans 10:9-13
- d) Romans 3:24-25
- e) 1 John 2:1-2
- f) 1 John 4:9-10
- g) 1 Peter 2:21-24
- h) Why do some people get into heated arguments regarding the details of the plan of salvation?

2. The Second Coming of Jesus

- a) John 14:1-3
- b) Matthew 24:26-27 (see also Revelation 1:7)
- c) Acts 1:9-11
- d) 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18
- e) Is it important to know the details concerning the return of Jesus or is it enough to simply believe He will return to this earth? Why? Matthew 24:5, 24-26
- f) What important lessons can we learn from the parable of the Ten Virgins? Matthew 25:1-13
- g) In connection with His glorious return, Jesus says "Be ready!" What does that look like in real life?

3. The Ministry of Jesus in the Heavenly Sanctuary

- a) Exodus 25:8-9 (see also Hebrews 8:2)
- b) Hebrews 8:6, 9:11-12, 23-28
- c) When Jesus walked on earth, He prayed for His disciples (Luke 22:31-32, John 17:6-19). How are you impacted when you consider the fact that Jesus is interceding on your behalf in the heavenly sanctuary? Hebrews 7:25, 1 John 1:9-2:2

4. The Sabbath

- a) Genesis 2:1-3
- b) Exodus 20:8-11
- c) Deuteronomy 5:12-15 (see also Ezekiel 20:12,20)
- d) Matthew 12:9-13; Luke 13:10-17
- e) When did you come to realize the Sabbath is a gift from our loving Creator, a time of blessing and healing rather than merely a religious obligation?
- f) Share a Sabbath when you caught a glimpse of the oneness Christ desires for each one of us to experience with Him and with each other.

5. The sleep of death and the promised resurrection

- a) John 11:11-15, 23-24, 43-44
- b) John 5:28-27
- c) 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18
- d) 1 Corinthians 15:51-54
- e) What comfort do you find in the Bible teaching about death and resurrection?

