



Outline - Sunday, May 08, 2016

Sermon Title: The Mediating Love Of The Son To Us “You Gave Them Me”

Scripture Reading: John 17:13-22

1. **The strategy of Christ’s 3 fold request to His Father: vs 5, 11, 20-21/
John 16:17**
 - a. Are return to his unrivaled indistinguishable and shared glory with His Father Heb 1:3/Col 2:9; 1:15, 19
 - b. A transfer of direct responsibility to keep His apostle’s while separated from them - John 14:16-18
 - c. A guarantee of the apostle’s success in the gospel for the elect sake - even - us - John 6:37, 40, 45/1 Cor 15:1-3

2. **Christ’s plea for their safety is their having been kept first by Him: vs 12**
 - a. He called them - Mark 1:17; 3:30/John 10:3-5
 - b. He taught them - Matt 5:1/Eph 4:21
 - c. He showed them - Mark 1:30, 33-36; 6:49-52; 9:1-9; 4:38
 - d. He prayed for them - Luke 22:31-32

3. **From the upper room to The Garden of Gethsemane - John 13 thru 18:9**
 - a. The Passover Lambs are already being slaughtered Chapter 13 (His death)
 - b. The Master has given his last Words to the disciples 14-16 (Another comforter)
 - c. They are tired - wearied - worn, after 3 1/2 years of school - John 16:12
 - d. They are about to go through a massive trial - John 16:32a
 - e. Their abandonment of Christ will be the final lesson - 18:9 (None But God) Is 58:16/63:3
 - f. Christ will receive his crown - finishing - John 19:5-30 (thorns-curse)
 - g. They will receive His Holy Spirit - (Jesus my great High Priest)