

### *This Is the Life*

- \_\_\_\_\_ is the life.
  
- Knowing God is our \_\_\_\_\_
  
- Knowing God has \_\_\_\_\_
  
- Knowing God is a \_\_\_\_\_
  
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### *Make It Real*

*Because of what Jesus has done for me and what I have heard today,*

- *I will turn from my sin and trust Jesus to forgive me, make me acceptable to the Father, and give me new life.*
- *I will discipline myself to know God more and more throughout 2019 by:*

### *Personal observations from the message.*

1. *How would you summarize what you learned in a sentence or two?*
2. *What was something you didn't know or were reminded of?*
3. *What point or verse did you find most helpful? Why?*
4. *What is a question you have?*
5. *What can you share with someone? Who can you share it with?*

### *Discussion questions from the message.*

1. *"This is the life." (1) If we asked people on the street to respond to this statement, what might they mean by "the life"? (2) What might be some of the different perspectives as to what the "this" is? (3) What are some things you have chased to give you life?*
2. *Read John 17:3. (1) How does Jesus define eternal life? (2) What does this mean? (3) How is this different from what we typically think of when we talk about eternal life?*
3. *Explore what it means to know God. Read Romans 1:18-23. Verse 21 says they knew God and yet the wrath of God is going to be poured out on these people. How is this "knowing" different than what Jesus is talking about in John 17:3? Consider James 2:18-20 as well.*
4. *Study how we come to know God. Read 2 Corinthians 4:3-6. What must happen for us to truly know God? How do blind people come to see the "light of the gospel of the glory of Christ?" What are the implications of this for us in evangelism?*
5. *Read 1 John 2:4-6. (1) What kind of difference does knowing God make in our everyday lives? (2) What warning does this passage give us? (3) What should we do if we have not been walking with Christ?*
6. *What can we do to continually pursue a growing knowledge of God? Why should this never get boring?*