



Elgin Evangelical Free Church - November 5, 2023

1. "I Am" in the Old Testament: Exodus 3:11-14

Names of God in the Old Testament

Elohim: Creator, Mighty, Strong

Bible Translation: Go

Adonai: Having power, authority, master, ruler

Bible Translation: Lord

Yahweh: "I am that I am"

Bible Translation: LORD

Jehovah: Hebrew pronunciation for YHWH

2. "I Am" in the New Testament John 8:51-59

No Death (vss 51-53)

Knowing the Father (vss 54-57)

I Am (vss 58-59)

Life Group Questions

“I Am”

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John 8:51-59

Pastor Mike Boyle

1. Read John 8:51. What are some ways we can “keep Jesus’ word”?

What does Jesus mean when He says, “he shall never see death?”

2. Read John 8:52-53. Why do you think the Jews react like they do to Jesus’ words?

How do you think you would have responded to Jesus’ words?
Accepting? Questioning? Why?

3. What are the accusations that the Jews bring against Jesus?

What are accusations you have heard brought against Jesus?

4. Read John 8:54-56. What is Jesus’ defense against His accusers?

5. Read John 8:58. What is Jesus’s claim with His final words to His accusers?

How do you think this claim of Christ influences or impacts your daily walk with Christ?

6. Have someone read Leviticus 24:16, then read John 8:59. What do the Jews understand that Jesus did?

Go to www.gotquestions.org and ask, “what is blasphemy?” Read the first two paragraphs to the group. So, what did the Jews understand that Jesus’ did?

7. How do people blaspheme God today? Do you think Christians can blaspheme God?