

“I WILL NOT LEAVE YOU AS ORPHANS”

Father's Day 2021

John 14:1-31

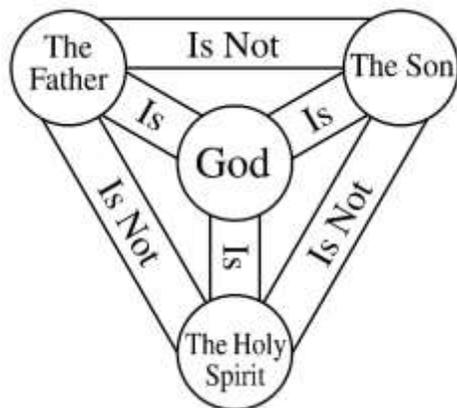
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Adopted by the Father through the Son (14:18-21)

The Perfect Gifts ~~for~~ FROM Dad

A Happening (14:27-29)

A Helper (14:16-17,26)



A Home (14:1-4)

Finding the Way Home (14:5-7)

God Makes Us His Home (14:22-25)

How Jesus Loves the Father (14:30-31)

How We Love the Father and Jesus (14:8-15)

How We Love Our Children

Share the Happening with them

Be their helper

Provide their earthly home, and
show them “the Way” to their heavenly home

QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION

You † Your Family † Your Friends † Your Community Group

1. What did you do for Father's Day this year?
2. If you are a Christian, then God “did not leave you as an orphan.” How did God save (adopt) you? Briefly share your testimony with each other. What were you like before Jesus saved you? How did you come to believe in Him? What has your life been like since?
3. The sermon spoke of the Trinity as “one ‘what’ with three ‘whos.’” The outline reproduces an ancient symbol used to teach the doctrine of the Trinity. Think about and discuss how Jesus in John 14 clearly teaches that God is one God in three Persons.
4. Last Sunday, we learned how the prophet Haggai warned the Israelites to “consider their ways” when they failed to worship God by prioritizing their own paneled homes over building the Temple. Similarly, we can be tempted to prioritize our earthly homes and neglect our belief in our heavenly home in the Father's house that Jesus the Son of God is preparing for us (Jn 14:2-3). How do you remind yourself of this glorious promise? What might you need to believe, think, or do differently in light of this promise?
5. Whether you are a father or not, how does the sermon challenge you to share what you know about the Father with the children (spiritual and/or biological) in your life?