

ENCOUNTER-BELIEVE IN THE ONE WHO IS SENT

Sermon Notes

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If you were to encounter Jesus, what personal belief you've held on to might He challenge?

Belief Challenged

- **Exodus 16:1-4**
- **Deuteronomy 8:1-3**
- **Deuteronomy 18:15-19**

Lessons Learned

- **God would daily provide for them**
- **Man doesn't live by bread alone but on every word that comes from the mouth of the Lord**
- **A Prophet like Moses would come who God would put words in His mouth that they were to obey**

Jesus Reveals Himself

Read John 6:25-34

- **Jesus responds to their wrong motives and interpretations**
- **Key verse: (29) "The word of God is this: to believe in the one he has sent."**
- **6 Times in John 6 Jesus says He is the bread who came down from Heaven to give life to the world.**
- **(35) First of seven great "I Am" statements is recorded by John**

Read John 6:35-40

- **Jesus reveals that bread is a person**
- **Jesus reveals a personal relationship brings everlasting satisfaction not temporal**

Process for Believing

Read John 6:44; 50-51

God's Role

Our Role

GROUP DISCUSSION GUIDE:

- 1. Have you ever changed something you had previously believed? What caused you to change?**
- 2. Has Jesus become all you need or are you still pursuing other things to give your life meaning?**
- 3. If Jesus has been drawing people to himself, how would you know someone in your Oikos is being drawn to Him?**