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PRAY LIKE JESUS

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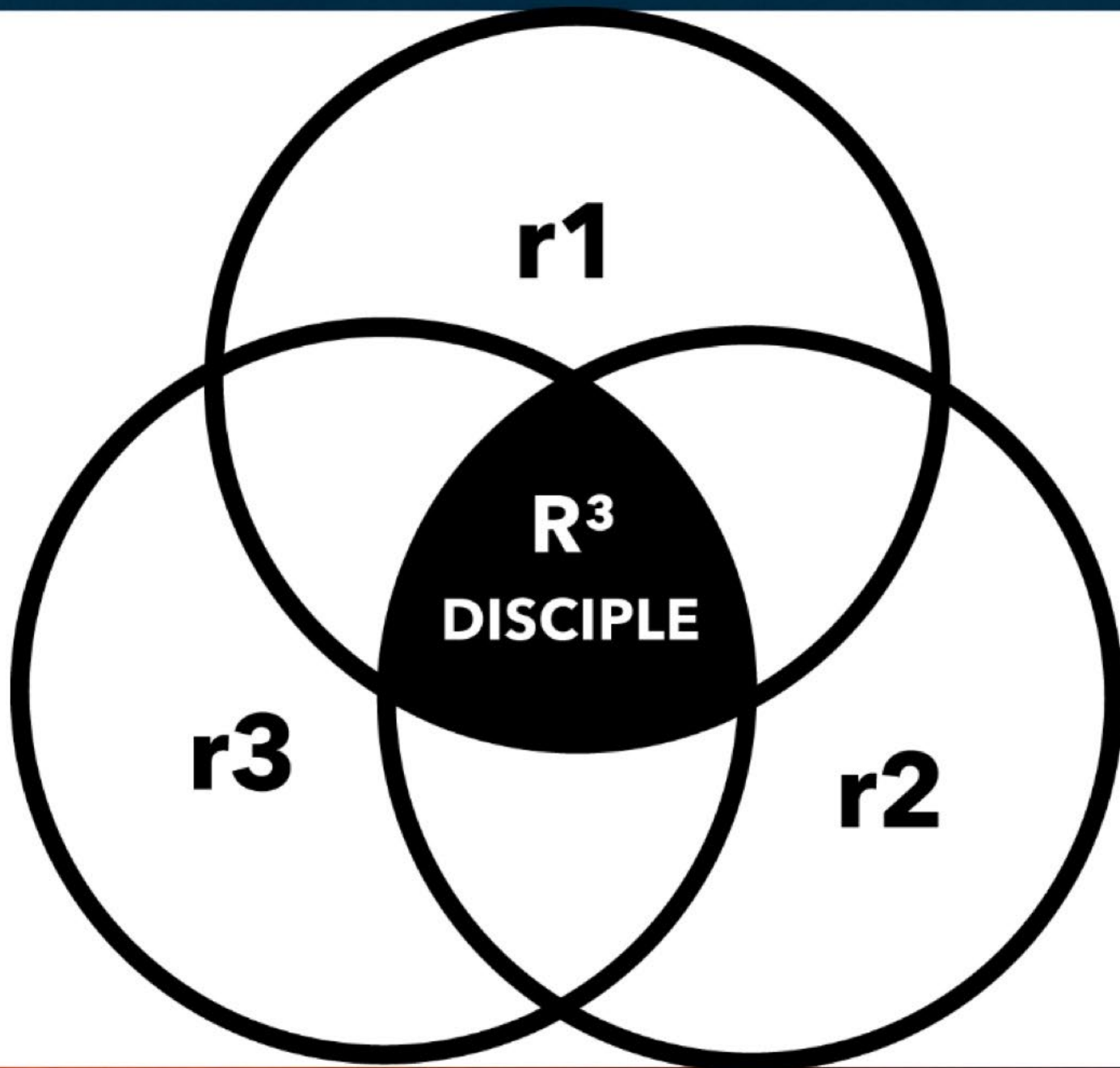
JOHN 17:1-26











Last Words are LASTING

- John 15:1-11: Deepening relationship with God
r1: More Joy in Jesus
- John 15:12-17: Life-Changing with others
r2: Communitas: Abide/Love
- John 15:18-27: Engaging with the Yet-To Believe
r3: Sent

Heart = What we **Pray** for

- John 17:1-5: Deepening relationship with God
r1: More Joy in Jesus: **Glory Priority**
- John 17:6-19: Life-Changing with others
r2: Communitas: **Make them ONE**
- John 17:20-26: Engaging with the Yet-To Believe
r3: Sent **in Unity on Mission**



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John encouraged us with Jesus' last words in the upper room discourse. Today he goes even deeper by **pulling back the curtain** to see Jesus' prayer life which reminds us the WHY for all things. Our prayers reveal what sits on the throne of our heart. May our WHY mirror His—for the Father's glory, unity & joy of all who believe & for the good of the yet-to-believe. #Fruit

John 17:1 When Jesus had spoken these words, he lifted up his eyes to heaven, and said, “Father, the hour has come; **glorify your Son that the Son may glorify you**, 2 since you have given him authority over all flesh, to give eternal life to all whom you have given him. 3 And this is eternal life, that they know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent. 4 **I glorified you on earth**, having accomplished the work that you gave me to do. 5 And now, Father, glorify me in your own presence with the glory that I had with you before the world existed.

6 “I have manifested your name to the **people whom you gave me out of the world**. Yours they were, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. 7 Now they know that everything that you have given me is from you. 8 For I have given them the words that you gave me, and they have received them and have come to know in truth that I came from you; and **they have believed** that you sent me. 9 I am praying for them. I am not praying for the world but for those whom you have given me, for they are yours.

10 All mine are yours, and yours are mine, and I am glorified in them. 11 And I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, keep them in your name, which you have given me, that they may be one, even as we are one. 12 While I was with them, I kept them in your name, which you have given me. I have guarded them, and not one of them has been lost except the son of destruction, that the Scripture might be fulfilled. 13 But now I am coming to you, and these things I speak in the world,

that **they may have my joy fulfilled in themselves**. 14 I have given them your word, and the world has hated them because they are not of the world, just as I am not of the world. 15 I do not ask that you take them out of the world, but that you keep them from the evil one. 16 They are not of the world, just as I am not of the world. 17 **Sanctify** them in the truth; your word is truth. 18 As you **sent** me into the world, so I have **sent** them into the world. 19 And for their sake I consecrate myself, that they also may be **sanctified** in truth.

John 17:20 “I do not ask for these only, but also for those who will believe in me through their word, 21 that they may all be one, just as you, Father, are in me, and I in you,

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RCC is an answer to this prayer!

John 17:22 The **glory** that you have given me I have given to them, that they may be one even as we are one, 23 I in them and you in me, that they may become **perfectly one**,

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SENT: unified by gift of Glory

Focus = WHY & Nothing Else Matters

John 17:22 The **glory** that you have given me I have given to them, that they may be one even as we are one, 23 I in them and you in me, that they may become **perfectly one**, so that **the world may know** that you **sent me** and **LOVED them even as you LOVED me.**

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SENT: Glory reveals LOVE

Focus = LostPeopleMatterMost = LOVE

John 17:24 Father, I **desire** that they also, whom you have given me, **may be with me where I am**, to **see my glory** that you have given me because you **loved** me before the foundation of the world.

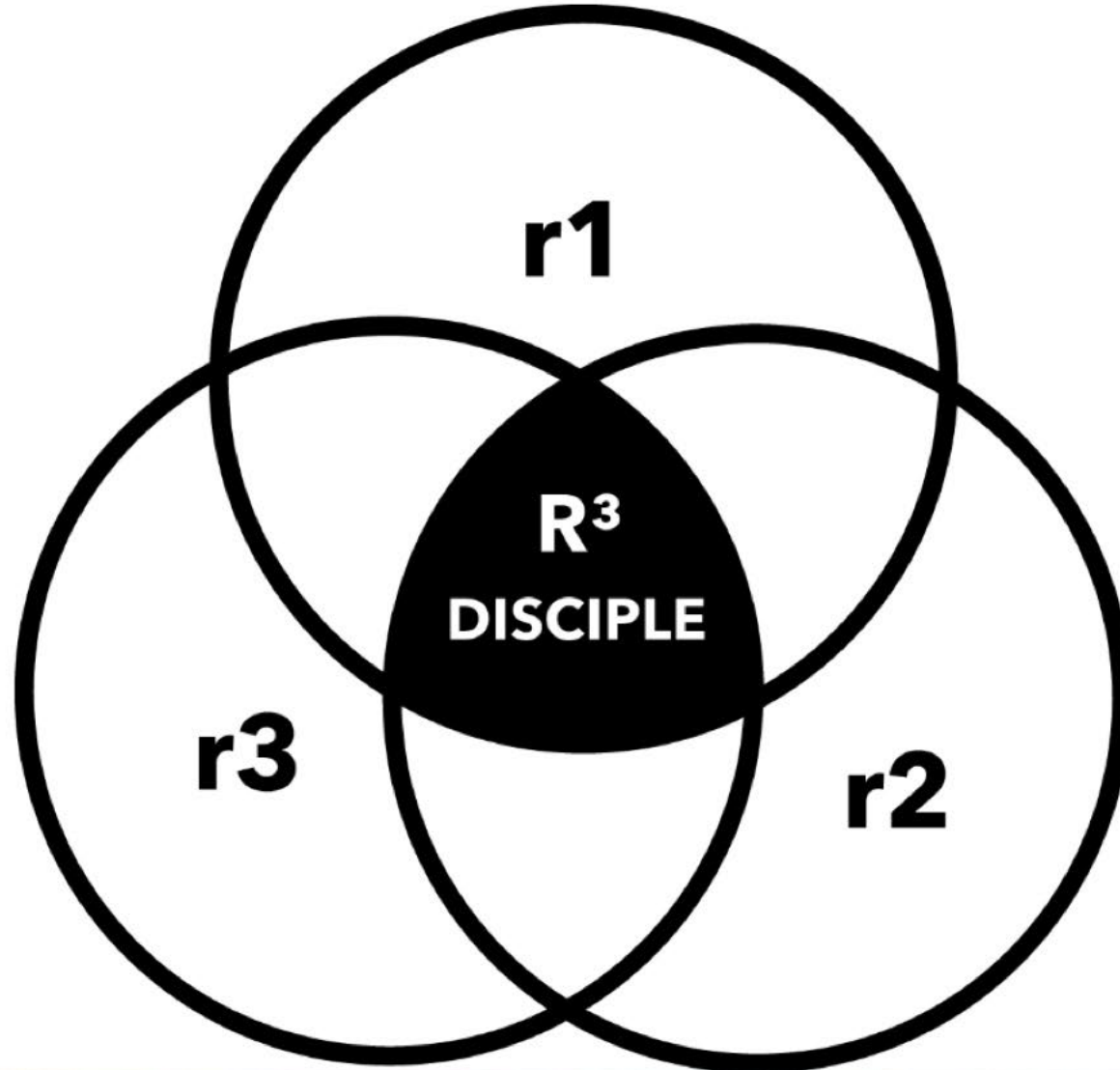
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“Enjoying God Together”**

25 O righteous Father, even though the world does not know you, I know you, and these know that you have sent me. 26 I made known to them your name, and I will continue to make it known, that the love with which you have loved me may be in them, and I in them.”

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Napkins of Grace & Glimmers of Glory

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Jn.10:10 The thief comes only to steal & kill & destroy.
I came that they may have life & have it abundantly.

Jn 20:31 but these are written so that you may believe
that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and **that by**
believing you may have (GOOD) life in his name.

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