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**JESUS' PRAYER FOR HIS  
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**John 17, NIV**

*JESUS CHRIST  
Life and Ministry*

**"Father, the time has come.  
Glorify your Son,  
that your Son may glorify you."**

***"Now this is eternal life:  
that they may know you, the only  
true God,  
and Jesus Christ, whom you have  
sent."***

**"I have revealed you to those  
whom you gave me out of the world.  
They were yours; you gave them to  
me  
and they have obeyed your word."**

***"I pray for them.***

***I am not praying for the world,***

***but for those you have given me, for***

***they are yours.....***

***Glory has come to me through  
them."***

**"Holy Father, protect them  
by the power of your name--  
the name you gave me--  
so that they may be one as we are  
one."**

***"I am coming to you now,  
but I say these things  
while I am still in the world,  
so that they may have the full  
measure of my joy within them."***

**"My prayer is not that you take them  
out of the world but that you protect  
them from the evil one.**

**They are not of the world,  
even as I am not of it.**

***"Sanctify them by the truth;  
your word is truth.***

***As you sent me into the world,***

***I have sent them into the world.***

***For them I sanctify myself,***

***that they too may be truly sanctified.***

**"My prayer is not for them alone.  
I pray also for those who will believe  
in me through their message,  
that all of them may be one, Father,  
just as you are in me and I am in  
you."**

***"May they be brought to complete  
unity***

***to let the world know that you sent  
me***

***and have loved them even as you  
have loved me.***

**"Father, I want those you have given  
me**

**to be with me where I am, and to see  
my glory,**

**the glory you have given me because  
you loved me**

**before the creation of the world."**