

**I AM: The Way, the Truth, and the Life**  
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**John 14:1-6 NIV**

*“Do not let your hearts be troubled. You believe in God; believe also in me. My Father’s house has many rooms; if that were not so, would I have told you that I am going there to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am. You know the way to the place where I am going.” Thomas said to him, “Lord, we don’t know where you are going, so how can we know the way?” Jesus answered, “I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.”*

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**THE WAY**

**Acts 9:1-2 NIV**

*Meanwhile, Saul was still breathing out murderous threats against the Lord’s disciples. He went to the high priest and asked him for letters to the synagogues in Damascus, so that if he found any there who belonged to **the Way**, whether men or women, he might take them as prisoners to Jerusalem.*

**The Way:** the road, the pathway that one must follow to get to a desired destination

My job isn’t to memorize the map; my job is to keep my eyes on Jesus.

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**THE TRUTH**

**Colossians 1:15 NIV**

*The Son is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation.*

**John 14:7 NIV**

*“If you really know me, you will know my Father as well. From now on, you do know him and have seen him.”*

**John 8:31-32 NIV**

*To the Jews who had believed him, Jesus said, “If you hold to my teaching, you are really my disciples. Then you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.”*

**10 Commandment Pop Quiz**

- Have you ever loved anything more than you love God?
- Have you ever hated someone in your heart?
- Have you ever used the Lord’s name in vain?
- Have you ever stolen anything?

**Acts 4:12 NIV**

*“Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to mankind by which we must be saved.”*

**John 3:16-18 NIV**

*For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him. Whoever believes in him is not condemned, but whoever does not believe stands condemned already because they have not believed in the name of God’s one and only Son.*

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**John 20:30-31 NLT**

*The disciples saw Jesus do many other miraculous signs in addition to the ones recorded in this book. But these are written so that you may continue to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God,*

*and that by believing in him you will have **LIFE** by the **power of his name**.*