

# JOHN

I AM STATEMENTS

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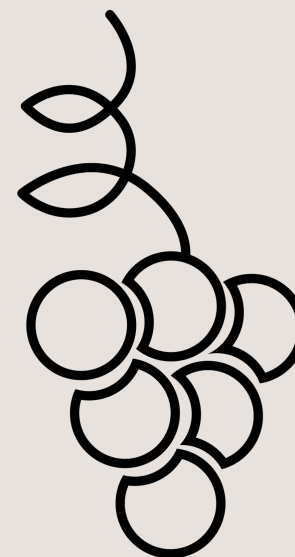
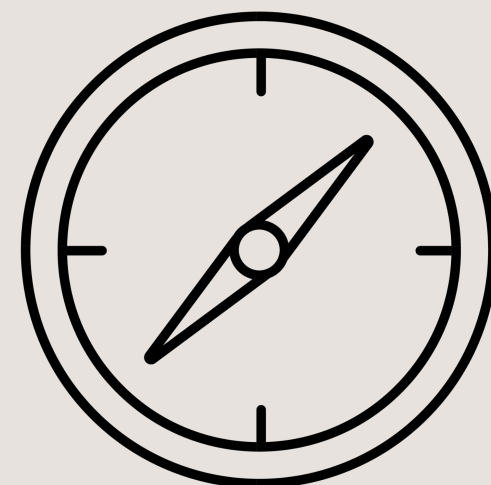
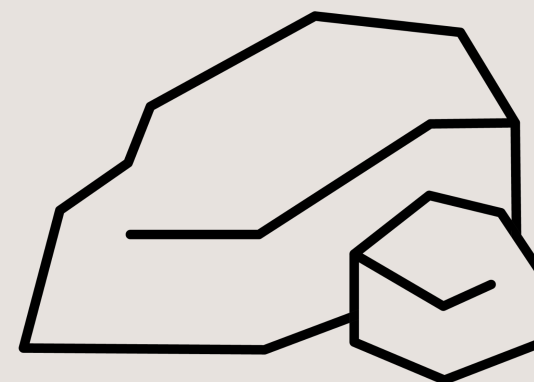
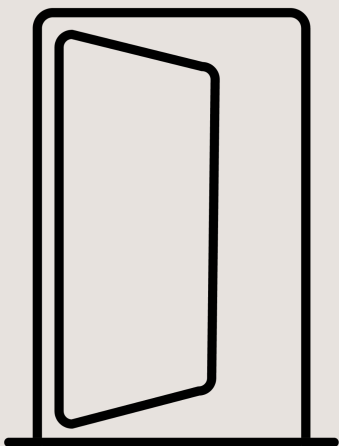
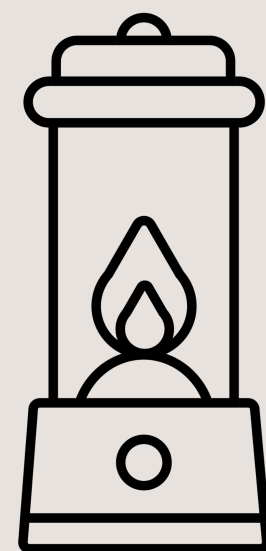
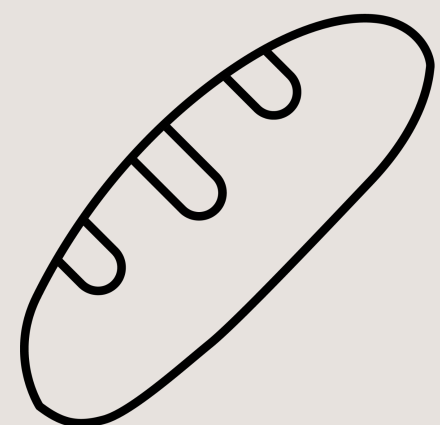
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**John 18:4-6** ESV

Then Jesus, knowing all that would happen to him, came forward and said to them, “Whom do you seek?”

<sup>5</sup> They answered him, “Jesus of Nazareth.” Jesus said to them, “**I am** he.” Judas, who betrayed him, was standing with them. <sup>6</sup> When Jesus said to them, “**I am** he,” they drew back and fell to the ground.



**John 17:3** ESV

And this is eternal life, that they know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent.

# I AM STATEMENTS



SECTION ONE







WEEK ONE

# BREAD OF LIFE

JOHN 6:26-40, 47-58

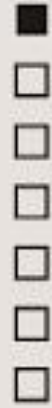


“I AM” STATEMENTS



JOHN SERIES





### John 6:24-25 NIV

Once the crowd realized that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they got into the boats and went to Capernaum **in search of Jesus.** <sup>25</sup> When they found him on the other side of the lake, they asked him, “Rabbi, when did you get here?”





## 2 Kinds of Food



### John 6:26-27 NIV

Jesus answered, “**Very truly** I tell you, you are looking for me, not because you saw the signs I performed but because you ate the loaves and had your fill. <sup>27</sup> Do not work for **food that spoils**, but for **food that endures to eternal life**, which the Son of Man will give you. For on him God the Father has placed his seal of approval.”



# Life



“*Bios*” - life extensive, quantity of life

“*Zoe*” - life intensive, quality of life



## 2 Kinds of Food



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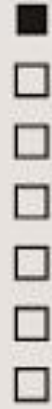
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### John 6:29 NIV

Jesus answered, “The **work of God** is this: to **believe** in the one he has sent.”





## 2 Kinds of Food

# True Bread

### John 6:32-33 NIV

Jesus said to them, “Very truly I tell you, it is not Moses who has given you the bread from heaven, but it is **my Father who gives you the true bread from heaven.** <sup>33</sup> For the **bread of God is the bread that comes down from heaven and gives life** to the world.”

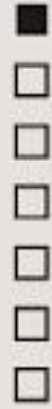


2 Kinds of Food

**True Bread**



**John 6:34** NIV  
“Sir,” they said, “always give us this bread.”



## 2 Kinds of Food

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### John 6:35 NIV

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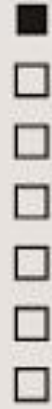
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#### John 6:40 NIV

“For my Father’s will is that everyone who **looks to the Son** and **believes in him** shall have eternal life, and I will raise them up at the last day.”



2 Kinds of Food  
True Bread  
Life **IN** and **OF** the Bread



**John 6:47-48** NIV  
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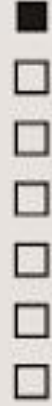




**Our Definition of Eternal Life:**  
Keep living after you die.



**God’s Definition of Eternal Life:**  
Start living and never die.



2 Kinds of Food  
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**John 6:47-48 NIV**  
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2 Kinds of Food  
True Bread  
Life IN and OF the Bread  
**Eating True Bread**



**John 6:53-55** NIV  
Jesus said to them, “Very truly I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. <sup>54</sup> Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise them up at the last day. <sup>55</sup> For my flesh is real food and my blood is real drink.”



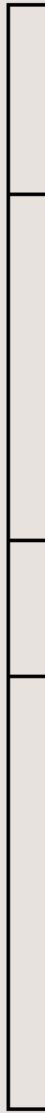
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Believe, and you have eaten already.  
For to believe in Him is to eat the living bread.  
He that believes, eats.

- A U G U S T I N E



2 Kinds of Food  
True Bread  
Life IN and OF the Bread  
Eating True Bread



**John 6:56-57** NIV  
“Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me, and I in them. <sup>57</sup> Just as the living Father sent me and I live because of the Father, **so the one who feeds on me will live because of me.**”





## John 6:35 NIV

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