

John 5:19-30

V19-23

Look at the immediate context of v16-18. What exactly is Jesus 'answering' (see v19)?

How does He describe His relationship with the Father?

What does this mean that the Son is able to do? (What are the 'greater works' outlined in v21-22?)

What response should seeing this lead to (v20b and v23)?

V24

What present certainty and future assurance does this lead to for those who trust Jesus?

V25-30

What does Jesus say has now come? What is still to come? How are they linked?

Thinking it through

Jesus expects us to be amazed (v20) and not amazed (v28). As we consider Jesus' relationship with the Father and the role He has been given, what

A) fills your heart with awe?

B) leads us to fuller assurance?

What implications does understanding what Jesus is saying here have for our evangelism?