

Jesus, Son of God Nutrition Like None Other

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²⁵ When they found him on the other side of the lake, they asked him, “Rabbi, when did you get here?”

²⁶ 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. ²⁷ 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.” **John 6:25-27, NIV**

_____ is the result of
_____ looking for the wrong things.

²⁸ Then they asked him, “What must we do to do the works God requires?”

²⁹ Jesus answered, “The work of God is this: to believe in the one he has sent.” **John 6:28-29, NIV**

The first result of spiritual tunnel vision is the desire to
_____ what can only be received as a _____.

³⁰ So they asked him, “What sign then will you give that we may see it and believe you? What will you do? ³¹ Our ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written: ‘He gave them bread from heaven to eat.’”

³² 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. ³³ For the bread of God is the bread that comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.”

³⁴ “Sir,” they said, “always give us this bread.”

³⁵ Then Jesus declared, “I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never go hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty. ³⁶ But as I told you, you have seen me and still you do not believe. **John 6:30-36, NIV**

- Good *physical* nutrition = Receiving health-inducing, life-enhancing food into our _____ by _____.
- Good *spiritual* nutrition = Receiving Jesus into our _____ by _____.

The second result of spiritual tunnel vision is to miss the true _____ and his best _____.

¹⁸ For, as I have often told you before and now tell you again even with tears, many live as enemies of the cross of Christ.

¹⁹ Their destiny is destruction, their god is their stomach, and their glory is in their shame. Their mind is set on earthly things. ²⁰ But our citizenship is in heaven. And we eagerly await a Savior from there, the Lord Jesus Christ. **Philippians 3:18-20, NIV**

Will I focus most on feeding my _____, or feeding my _____?

³⁷ All those the Father gives me will come to me, and whoever comes to me I will never drive away. ³⁸ For I have come down from heaven not to do my will but to do the will of him who sent me. ³⁹ And this is the will of him who sent me, that I shall lose none of all those he has given me, but raise them up at the last day. ⁴⁰ 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.” **John 6:37-40, NIV**

_____ and _____ are the result of receiving good spiritual nutrition. Jesus has already taken care of _____. He will give us _____ that never ends.

MEMORY VERSE

³⁵ Then Jesus declared, “I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never go hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty. **John 6:35, NIV**

My next step: I will come to the table and eat the bread of life.

What’s your next step today?

Mark it on your Communication Card.