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"People may spend their whole lives climbing the ladder of success only to find, once they reach the top, that the ladder is leaning against the wrong wall." -Allen Raine

# John 6:30-40

So they said to him, "Then what sign do you do, that we may see and believe you? What work do you perform? <sup>31</sup> Our fathers ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written, 'He gave them bread from heaven to eat." <sup>32</sup> Jesus then said to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, it was not Moses who gave you the bread from heaven, but my Father gives you the true bread from heaven. <sup>33</sup> For the bread of God is he who comes down from heaven and gives life to the world." <sup>34</sup> They said to him, "Sir, give us this bread always."

<sup>35</sup> Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me shall not hunger, and whoever believes in me shall never thirst. <sup>36</sup> But I said to you that you have seen me and yet do not believe. <sup>37</sup> All that the Father gives me will come to me, and whoever comes to me I will never cast out. <sup>38</sup> For I have come down from heaven, not to do my own will but the will of him who sent me. <sup>39</sup> And this is the will of him who sent me, that I should lose nothing of all that he has given me, but raise it up on the last day. <sup>40</sup> For this is the will of my Father, that everyone who looks on the Son and believes in him should have eternal life, and I will raise him up on the last day."

## <u>Outline</u>

- A. The people: hungry and blind
- B. The all-satisfying bread of life
- C. How to get and keep this bread

### The people: hungry and blind

#### John 6:29

This is the work of God, that you believe in him whom he has sent.

### Psalm 78:32

In spite of all this, they still sinned; despite his wonders, they did not believe.



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# The all-satisfying bread of life

#### Exodus 3:14-15

Then Moses said to God, "If I come to the people of Israel and say to them, 'The God of your fathers has sent me to you,' and they ask me, 'What is his name?' what shall I say to them?" <sup>14</sup> God said to Moses, "I am who I am." And he said, "Say this to the people of Israel: 'I am has sent me to you."

"I AM the Light of the world" (John 8:12). "Before Abraham was, I AM" (John 8:58) "I AM the Door of the sheep" (John 10:7) "I AM the Good Shepherd" (John 10:11) "I AM the Resurrection and the Life" (John 11:25) "I AM the Way, the Truth, and the Life" (John 14:6) "I AM the true Vine" (John 15:1)

How to get and keep this bread

### 1 John 2:19

They went out from us, but they were not of us; for if they had been of us, they would have continued with us. But they went out, that it might become plain that they all are not of us.

