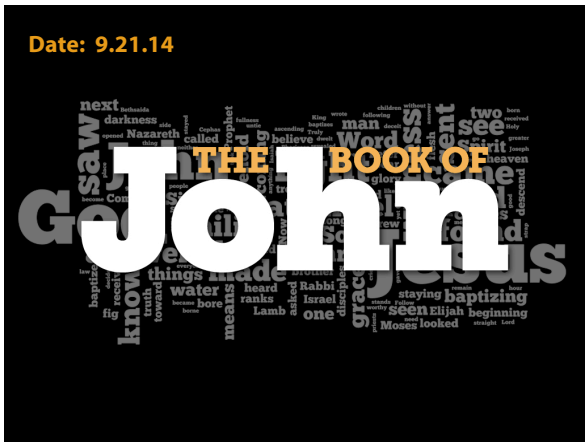

The death and resurrection of Jesus is the foundation on which Christianity rests. If Jesus didn't die and if Jesus didn't rise from the grave then the virgin birth, the miracles, and the very life and lessons of Jesus are meaningless. However, if Jesus really did live, die and rise from the grave then all of the miracles and teaching of Jesus should be treated as God's word to us. Today, in part 2, we will continue to consider that in the death of Jesus there was never a moment in which our Heavenly Father was not working to communicate that Jesus is the Christ ("the anointed One") sent to redeem humanity from the coming wrath on sin. We hope that our time today will magnify Jesus and change you.

Title: Finished But Not Done, Part 2 **Text: John 19:38-42**

I. The preparing Jesus' body (19:38–40)

1. Who the preparers are

a. Joseph of Arimathea

b. Nicodemus

2. What the preparers do

II. The placing of Jesus' body (19:41–42)

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