

John 14:1-3 (NLT)

[1] “Don’t let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God, and trust also in me. [2] There is more than enough room in my Father’s home. If this were not so, would I have told you that I am going to prepare a place for you? [3] When everything is ready, I will come and get you, so that you will always be with me where I am.

John 14:12-14 (NLT)

[12] “I tell you the truth, anyone who believes in me will do the same works I have done, and even greater works, because I am going to be with the Father. [13] You can ask for anything in my name, and I will do it, so that the Son can bring glory to the Father. [14] Yes, ask me for anything in my name, and I will do it!

One Way? One Truth?

John 14:1-14



Why Do People Say Those Things?

- They are **CONTENT** with their lives
- They deny that they are **LOST**
- They are **Convinced** they are **RIGHT**

(Life App. Comm.)

How Do People What is True?

- **Popular Opinion**
- **Intensity of Belief Makes it True**
- **Intolerance Cancels out Truth**
- **True for You but NOT for Me**

(Boa, Moody - I'm Glad You Asked)

Comparing the Path & End Destinations

Buddhism:

Path - overcome all human desire

Goal - Nirvana the extinction of desire

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Hinduism:

Path- Reincarnation

Goal - Liberation and oneness with the ALL

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Islam:

Path- Five Pillars of Islam

Goal - Paradise of sensual pleasure

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Judaism:

Path - follow the Torah, the Law of Moses

Goal - Whatever end God provides

Paul Little ~ “...a major difference between Christianity and all other religions. **Christ** offers us **his** power to live as we should. **HE** gives us forgiveness, cleansing and **his** own righteousness, all as a free gift. **He** reconciles us to God. **He does something for us we cannot do for ourselves.**”

(Know Why You Believe pg. 147)

Acts 4:12 (NIV)

Salvation is found in **NO ONE ELSE**,
for there is **NO OTHER NAME** under
heaven given to men
by which we **MUST** be **saved**.

1 Timothy 2:5-6 (NIV)

For there is **one God and **one mediator**
between God and men,**

the man Christ Jesus,

**[6] who gave himself as a ransom for all
men-the testimony given in its proper time.**

R. C. Sproul ~

In light of mankind's universal rebellion against God, the issue is not why there is only one way, but why is there any way at all?

1 John 5:14-15 (NIV)

This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us. [15]

**And if we know that he hears us--
whatever we ask--we know that we have
what we asked of him.**

Keep In Mind As We Pray:

- **Seek God's GLORY First**
- **ETERNAL Perspective**
- **We MUST Follow & Obey**
- **God's Promise of PEACE**

(LIFE APP. COMM.)

James 4:2-3 (NIV)

...You do not have, because you do not ask God. [3] When you ask, you do not receive, because you ask with wrong motives, that you may spend what you get on your pleasures.

Matthew 6:9-13 (NIV)

**...Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,
[10] your kingdom come, your will be done on
earth as it is in heaven. [11] Give us today our
daily bread. [12] Forgive us our debts, as we also
have forgiven our debtors. [13] And lead us not
into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one,
for yours in the kingdom and the power and the
glory for ever. Amen.**

We are Praying that God's...

- **Name would be HONORED**
- **Kingdom would COME**
- **WILL would be done**

John 17:1 (NIV)

After Jesus said this, he looked toward
heaven and prayed:

"Father, the time has come.

Glorify your Son,

that your Son may **glorify YOU.**