Lesson - John 5:31-40 (NIV based)

THEME - Testimonies About Christ

READ vv.31-40

v.31 why?

v.32 who is that? John or the Father?

v.34 not that I accept human testimony - mean?

v.35 lamp that burned & gate light - mean?

v.36 what work?

v.37 how has the Father testified about Jesus?

v.38 important note - the link where the religious Jews did not have the Father because they did not believe the Son

v.39 are there any particular religions today who believe this? Amish, Orthodox Jews, Jehovah's Witnesses?

vv.39-40 how could the Jews diligently study the Scriptures & miss the central principle that they must come to Jesus for eternal life & that the Scriptures testify about Jesus?

What should be our response when someone falsely or incorrectly accuses us of wrong motives or actions? A: Let God and our actions speak or testify for and about us; not become defensive (this is hard to do)

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