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**Become Trusting & Untroubled**

**John 14:1~15**

- ◆ Have you ever just wanted to go home?
- ◆ Where's our comfort when we are sick of all of this and our soul is downcast?

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◆ Psalm 43:5

◆ Why are you cast down, o my soul, and why are you in turmoil within me?

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**John 14:1**

New American Standard Bible

“Let not your hearts be troubled. Believe in God;  
believe also in me.”

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- ◆ They are troubled because of the news from Christ at the end of John 13
- ◆ And Peter's predicted failure
- ◆ Not being troubled/being comforted underlies the entirety of Chapter 14
- ◆ It is a command to not be troubled
- ◆ Do not allow it to continue
- ◆ Don't be ruled by it

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- ◆ Christ is intimately interested in the pain of His friends
- ◆ Part of our comfort is that Christ loves and cares for us

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## John 14:2~4

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<sup>2</sup> In my Father's house are many rooms. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? <sup>3</sup> And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also. <sup>4</sup> And you know the way to where I am going.”

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- ◆ Part of our comfort comes from the fact that this is not our home
- ◆ Trouble reminds us of that and cuts our heartstrings to this world

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- “With our Father” highlights the pain and fright of sin
- The damage done to our relationship with God
- Broken relationship
- How much of our identity comes from our relationship with our Father?
- Be comforted ~ God is our Father and has provided a right relationship with Him for us
- Our identity is there!

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- ◆ Many rooms ~ Part of heaven is living in love with other Christians forever!
- ◆ Be comforted ~ You're not alone!
- ◆ Bridal imagery ~ relational
- ◆ God wants to be with you!
- ◆ Christ coming is our great hope

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## John 14:5~7

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<sup>5</sup> Thomas said to him, “Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?” <sup>6</sup> Jesus said to him, “I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. <sup>7</sup> If you had known me, you would have known my Father also. From now on you do know him and have seen him.”

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- ◆ Be comforted ~ I am the way out of depravity
- ◆ Freeing, exclusive and true
- ◆ Is your heart troubled? Are you headed to heaven through Christ?
- ◆ Be comforted ~ You can know God through Christ

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## John 14:8~15

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<sup>8</sup> Philip said to him, “Lord, show us the Father, and it is enough for us.” <sup>9</sup> Jesus said to him, “Have I been with you so long, and you still do not know me, Philip? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, ‘Show us the Father’? <sup>10</sup> Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own authority, but the Father who dwells in me does his works.

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## John 14:8~15

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<sup>11</sup> Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me, or else believe on account of the works themselves. <sup>12</sup> “Truly, truly, I say to you, whoever believes in me will also do the works that I do; and greater works than these will he do, because I am going to the Father. <sup>13</sup> Whatever you ask in my name, this I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son. <sup>14</sup> If you ask me anything in my name, I will do it.

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- ◆ Believe is here 5 times; know God 3 times
- ◆ Christ is desperate for us to believe because...
- ◆ He wants us to know God because...
- ◆ He wants our joy and knows our satisfaction comes from knowing God
- ◆ Will you trust/believe in Christ in your trouble?
- ◆ Based on knowledge, experience and relationship with Him

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- Verse 12 ~ Be comforted, your works of faith done in a troubling world produce multiplied fruit
- Verse 14 ~ Be comforted, when you are troubled your needs are heard and met
- Verse 15 ~ Be comforted, you can obey God from love

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- ◆ God is with them in the midst of their suffering
- ◆ Isaiah 63:9
- ◆ Isaiah 50:4
- ◆ No trouble here must rule you, not even death.
- ◆ I know you don't know the way, but I do!

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- ◆ Do you want to be at home with God?
- ◆ Do you want to have a relationship with God more than anything else?

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you at turmoil within me? Hope in God; for I  
shall again praise Him, my salvation and my  
God. Psalm 43:5

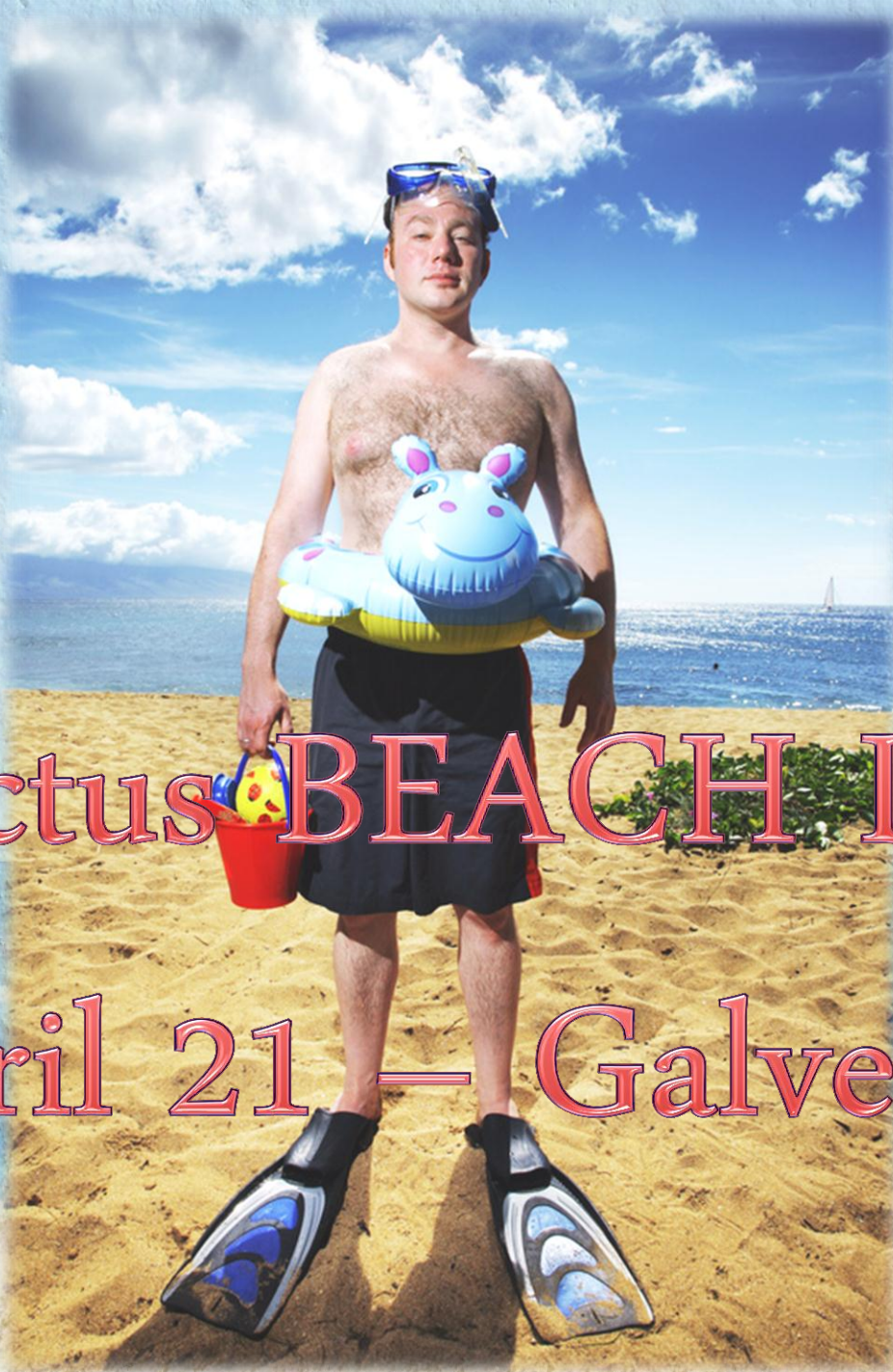
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# **BAPTISM**

## **Easter Sunday, April 8**

**Do you want to be baptized?**

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April 21 – Galveston

# Jenny Lane Transformation Meeting

## Sunday, April 22 at 9AM





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and exceeded our financial  
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**Move-in scheduled for  
April!**