

b) Describe Martha's and Mary's reaction to Jesus' arrival.

Martha

Mary

c) What do the women's reactions upon Jesus' arrival reveal about who they relied upon for comfort?

d) Whom do you rely upon for comfort?

5. a) Fill in the blanks. In John 11:25 Jesus states: _____
_____.

b) What do you **think** each part of the above statement means?

c) How do these (or have these) verses change(d) your life today?

6. a) Re-read John 5:28–29. What resurrection is Martha referring to in John 11:24?
- b) How do you **think** the resurrection Jesus talks about in John 11:25–26 is different?
7. In John 11:20–41, what stages did Martha go through to finally show she believed?
8. a) Describe Jesus' emotional state when He sees Mary weeping, the Jews with her weeping, and when He arrives at Lazarus' tomb.
- b) Why do you **think** Jesus felt this way? Be specific.

9. How does the way you live your life reflect your belief in the truth of John 11:41–42a*? (*42a refers to the beginning of verse 42, not the entire verse).
10. a) How did Caiaphas interpret the prophecy (John 11:49–53) given to him?
- b) Do you think that because of John 11:51, Caiaphas was less culpable in the plot to take Jesus' life?
11. How do you think Jesus' withdrawal in John 11:54 affected the "Jews" spiritually?