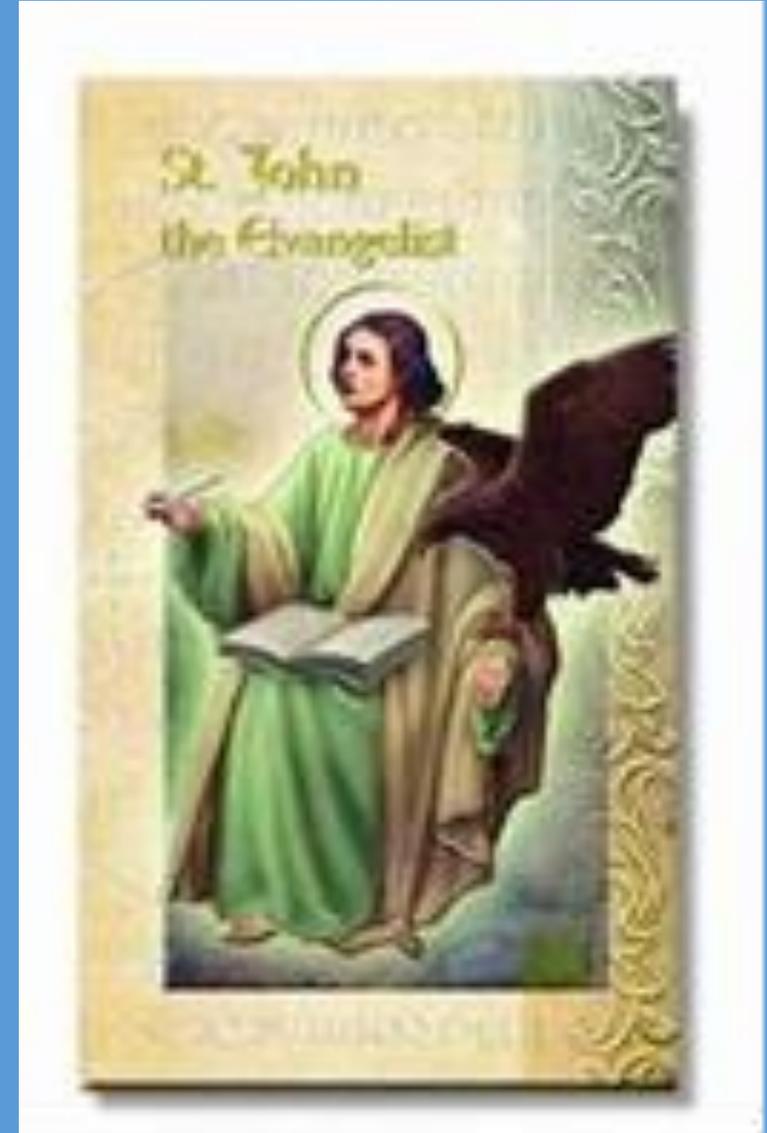


St John the Evangelist

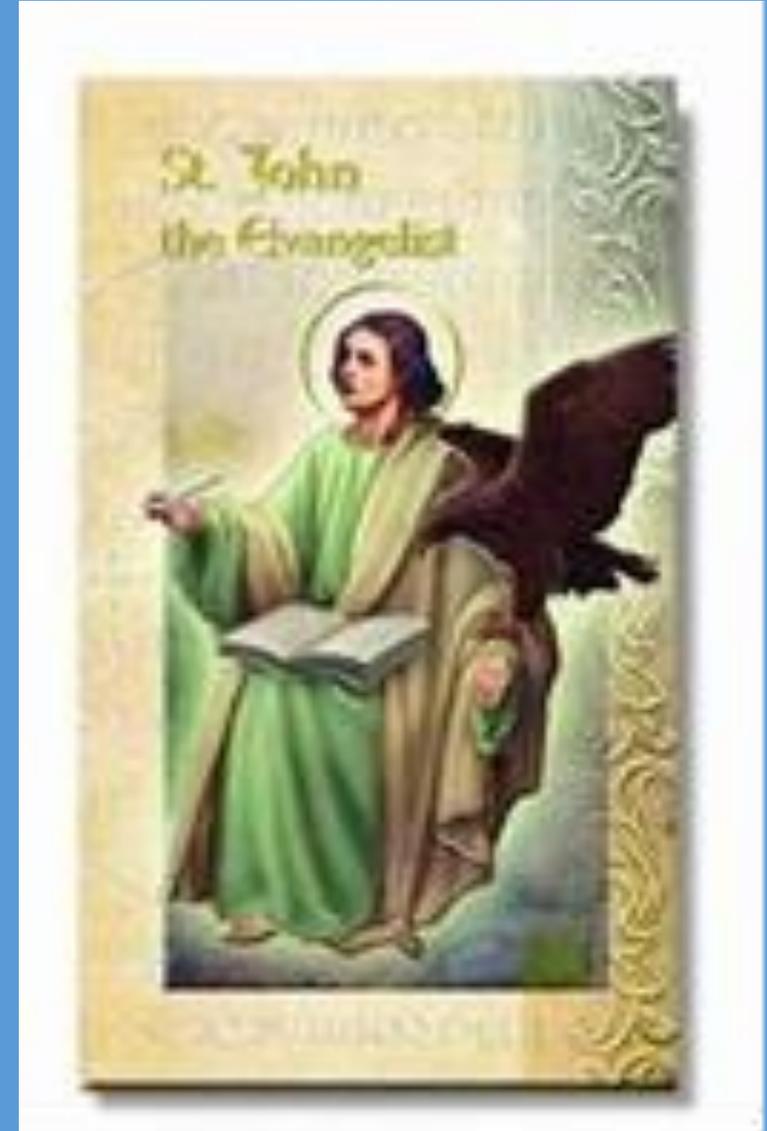
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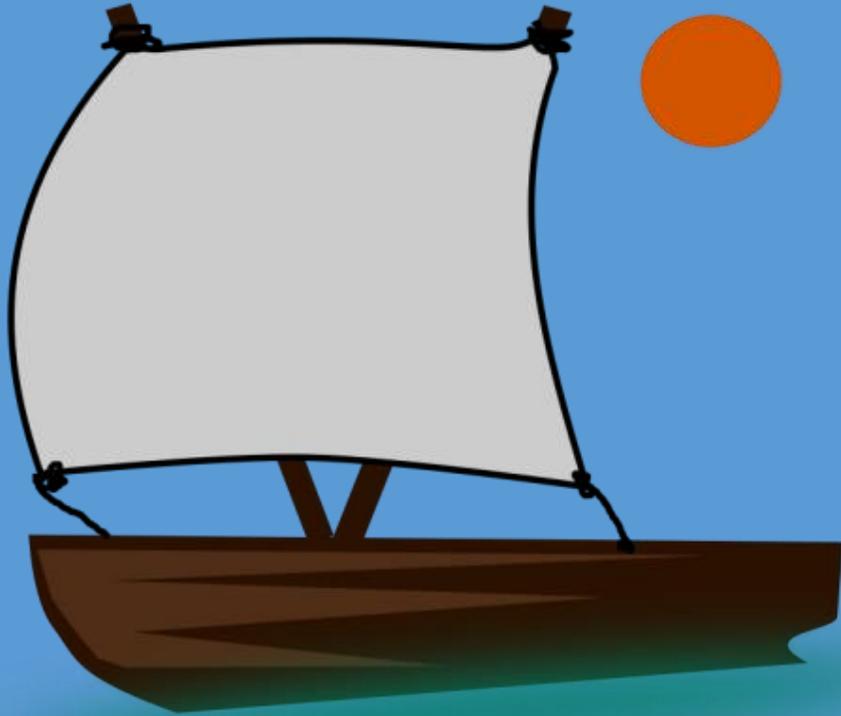


Who was
St. John?

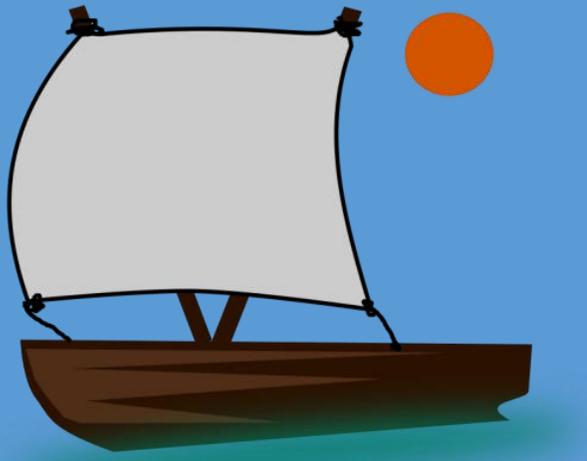
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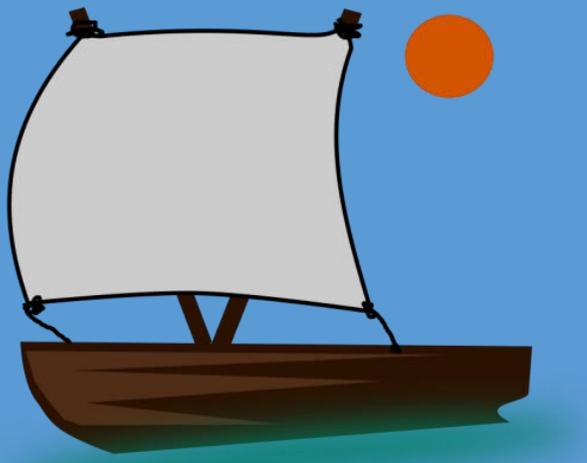


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John was the younger brother of James.

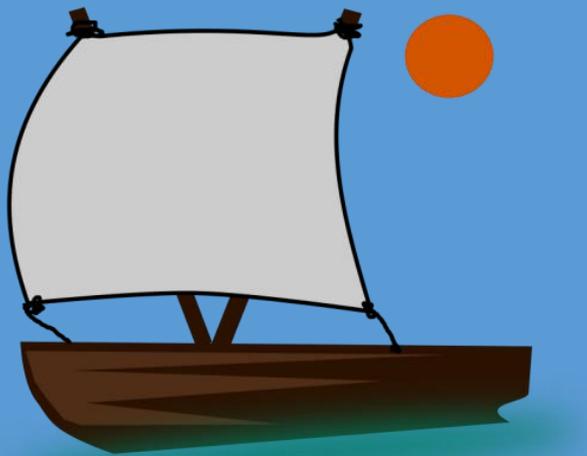
His father was Zebedee and his mother was Salome.

Zebedee (a fisherman) and his sons fished in the Sea of Galilee. The brothers were firstly disciples of John the Baptist.



How John met Jesus?

John and James were mending nets in a boat with their father who was a fisherman and Jesus called them "and immediately they left their boat and their father and followed him"



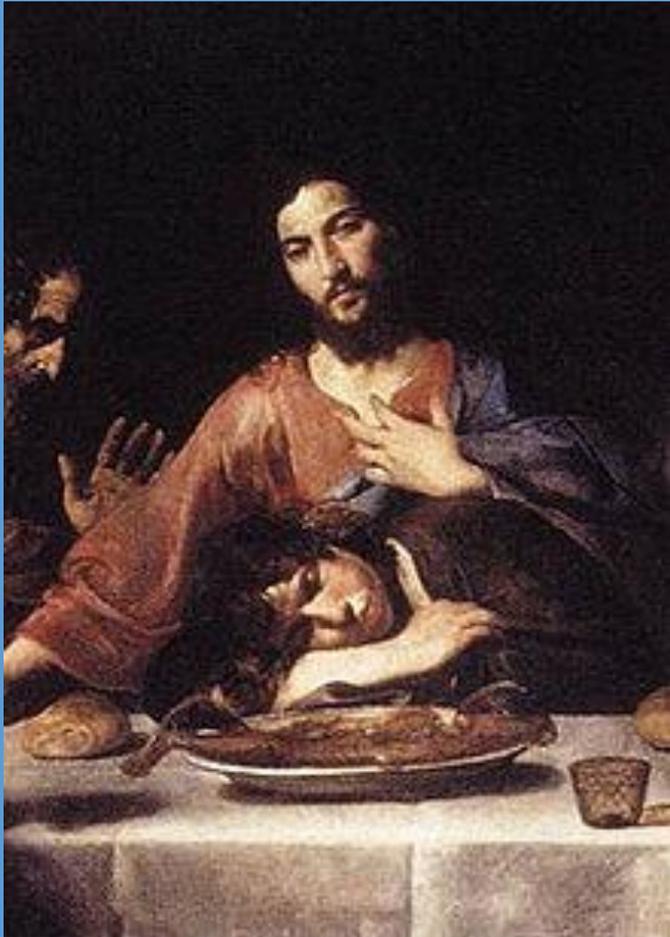
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youngest of the disciples

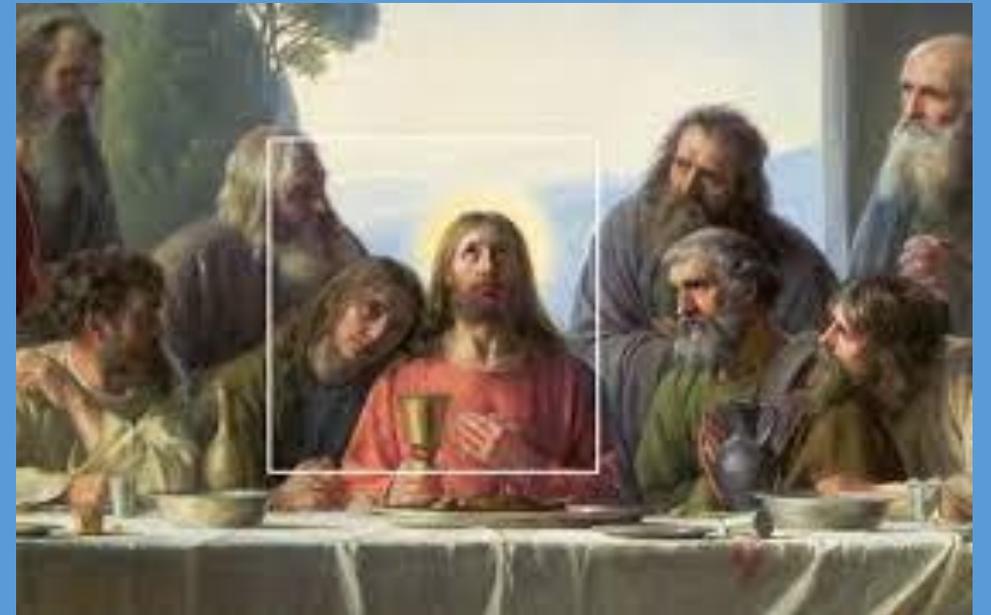
one of the inner circle
(best friends of Jesus)
with Peter and James



John was the



John was the
beloved apostle



Jesus asked John



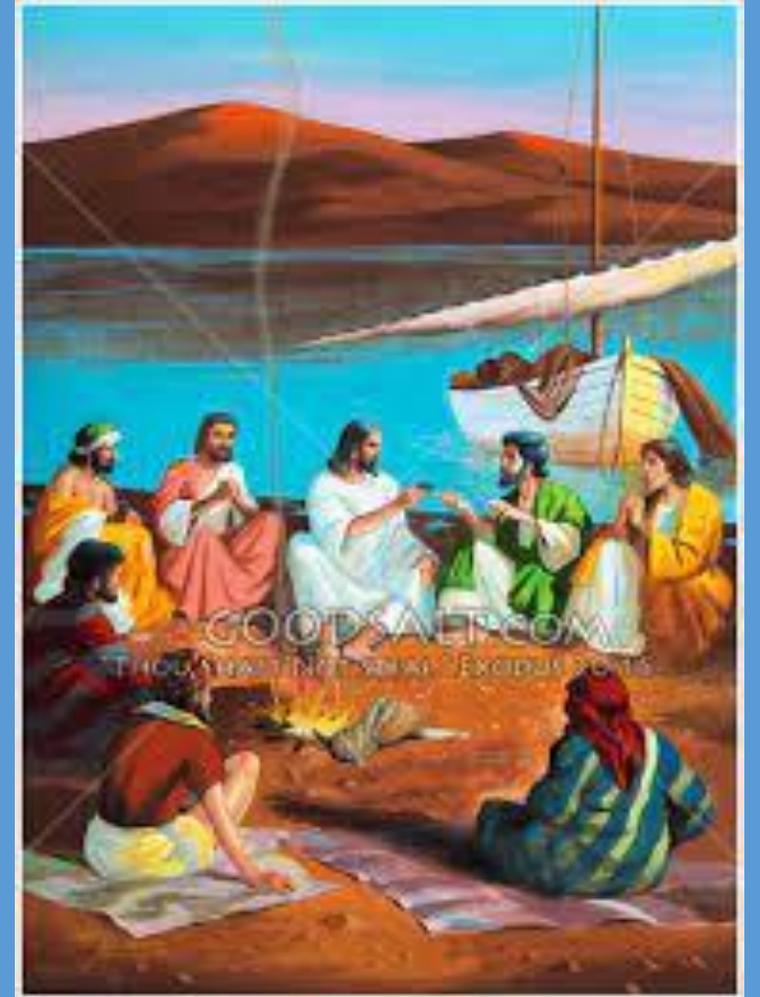
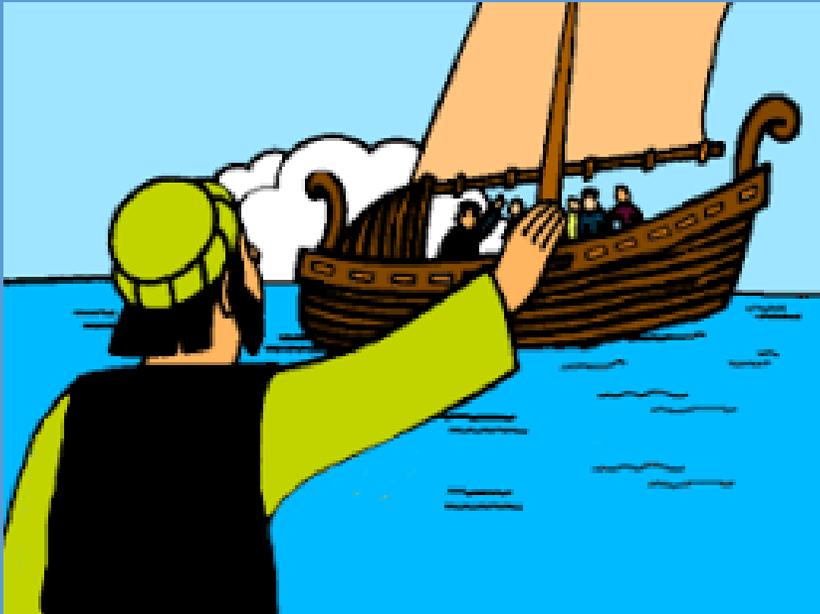
Jesus asked John

- As he is dying on the cross, Jesus asks John to look after his mother Mary.
- Jesus says to his mother, "Woman, behold your son," and to the Beloved Disciple, "Behold your mother."



John went on to

- Recognise Jesus after his death



John went on to

- spread the Word of God and lead the churches
- write the 4th Gospel

What does "Evangelist" mean?

- a person who seeks to convert others to the Christian faith, especially by public preaching.
- the writer of one of the four Gospels (Matthew, Mark, Luke or John).

Gospel Writers



St. Matthew

Gospel Writers



St. Matthew



St. Mark

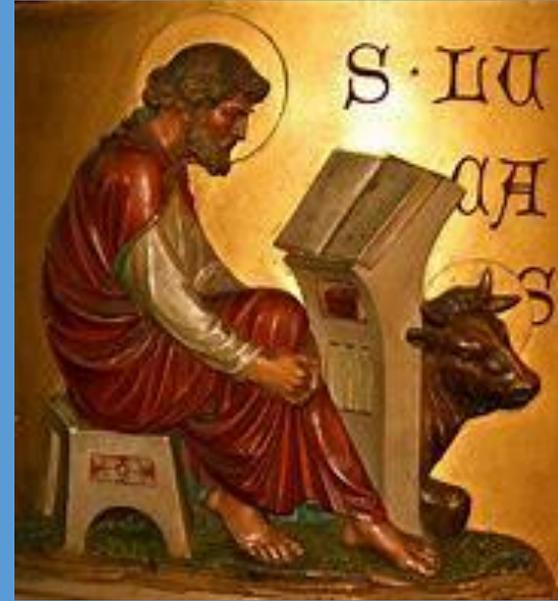
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St. Matthew



St. Mark



St. Luke

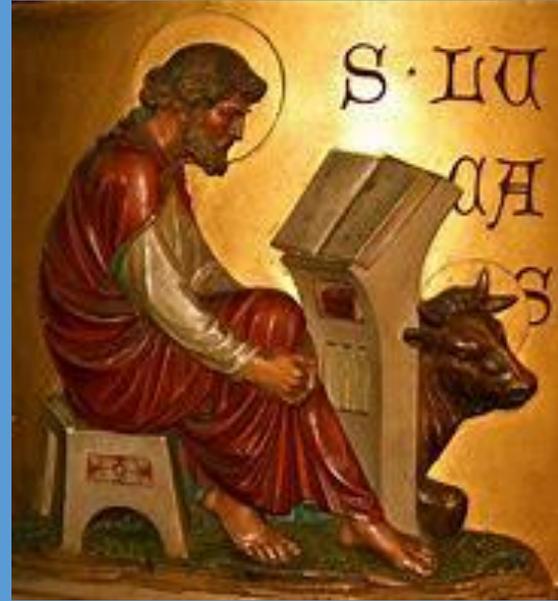
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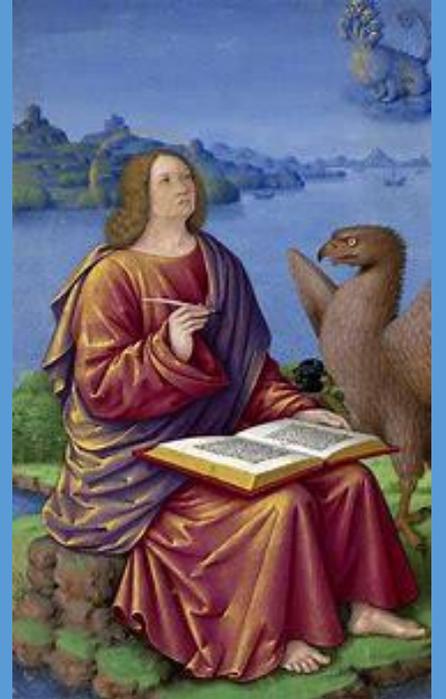
St. Matthew



St. Mark



St. Luke



St. John

John went on to

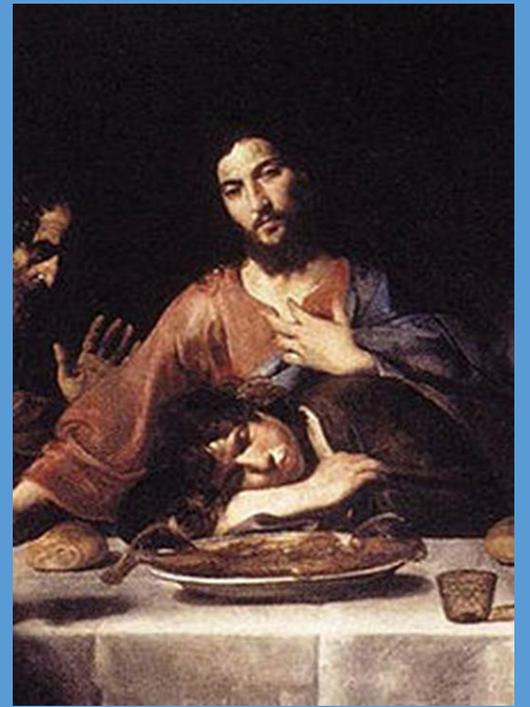
- In his old age, when unable to do more, he was carried into the assembly of the Church at Ephesus, and said, "Little children, love one another".



How can you be like St. John?



- Be a friend to Jesus
- Spread the word of God
- Recognise Jesus –
In the words and actions of ourselves and others
- Love one another



Our Motto

Lord be thy word my rule



Our School Mission Statement

Growing and Learning together in Christ



Prayer

Loving Jesus,

Thank you for your gift of St. John who through his Gospel writings helps us to see you.

Help us to always listen to your word and follow your teachings, to be true disciples, just like St. John.

Jesus, I want to be your friend, just like St. John was. Help me to recognise you in my words and actions and in the words and actions of those around me.

Thank you for the love I have in my life. Guide me to always live like you and St. John and follow the commandment to love one another, help me to show love to everyone, even when I find it hard.

Thank you for always guiding us.

Amen

St. John the Evangelist Pray for us