

I Never Knew You

Getting to Know You:

- Would you rather get to know a stranger, or get to know someone you already know a little bit better?

Going Deeper:

- Read Matt 7:15-27 and make note of the contrasts Jesus makes in his teaching.
 - o How does this inform the way we view verses 21-23?
 - o How does verses 24-27 inform vs. 21- 23?
- Do you believe these verses describe a false profession of faith, or a loss of salvation? Why or why not?
 - o Look up Matt. 13:1-9, 18-23 the Parable of the Sower... how does Jesus describe the soils?
- What should we do to determine God's Will?
 - o Ask for it—Psalm 143:10
 - o Be spiritually transformed by the Word—Rom. 12:1-2
 - o Read these verses about God's Will...1 Pet. 2:15-16, 1 Thess. 4:3-7, 1 Thess. 5:16-18
- How should we define the spiritual gift of prophecy? As foretelling the future or forthtelling truth?
 - o Read Rom. 12:6, 1 Cor. 14:1-5, 38, 1 Peter 4:10-12 and discuss the gift of prophecy...how does this gift manifest itself today?
 - o How do we know God still heals today? Does the gift of healing still exist today? How do you know this?

- Read Matt. 7:23—How can we ensure we know Jesus intimately and he knows us???

Taking it Home:

- How might we evaluate our lives to ensure we're doing God's will and our actions back up our words?