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# Being One As Jesus Prayed Involves...

- **Unity Defined** – *As You, Father, are in Me, and I in You*
  - **John 10:30** “I and My Father are one” - thought, action, purpose
  - **John 10:37-38** Oneness of Jesus & Father proved by actions
  - **John 14:10-11** “I am in the Father, & the Father in Me” - words
  - **John 17:22-23** “I in them, and You in Me...made perfect in one”
- **Unity’s Place** – ... *that they also may be one in Us*
  - **2 John 9** If abide in Christ’s doctrine, we are in Father & Son
  - **John 7:16-18** No unrighteousness is “in Him” – true doctrine is
  - **Ephesians 4:20-24** As “**truth is in Jesus**”
  - **1 John 2:24** In Father & Son if truth from beginning abides in us
- **Unity’s Lesson** – ...*that the world may believe that You...*
  - **Titus 2:7-8** Example must lead others to doctrine & holiness
  - **Hebrews 11:4** Example of Abel still speaks God’s righteousness
  - **1 Timothy 4:12-16** Example must lead to salvation by doctrine