Series: SENT...Living Out Missional!
#4 The Day We Were Guaranteed Victory!
John 17:1-19

- Who Would Have Thought It?

1. The **Communication** That Will **Win** In The **End**. 1-5
   - The **Person** Who Prayed It. Jesus ...looked toward heaven and prayed
   - The **Purpose** that Triggered It. Father, the time has come...
   - The **Petitions** that Fill It. Glorify your Son, that your Son may glorify you.
     ✓ The **Glorifying** of God.
     ✓ The **Giving** of Eternal Life.
   - The **Power** that Flows From It.

2. The **Challenge** We **Wrestle** With In The **World**. -6-12
   - Our **Acceptance** of His Word Changes Us From The **Inside Out**. -6-8
     ✓ The **Giving** of God’s Word. *I gave them the words you gave me…*
     ✓ The **Receiving** of God’s Word. *and they accepted them.*
     ✓ The **Understanding** of God’s Word. *They knew with certainty that I came from you…*
     ✓ The **Believing** of God’s Word. *and they believed that you sent me…*
   - Our **Position** Toward the World Changes When We **Belong** to **Jesus**. -9-12
     ✓ Our **Position**-- they are still in the world…
     ✓ Our **Protection**--by the power of your name…
     ✓ Our **Partnership**--that they may be one as we are one

3. The **Characteristics** of One Who Wins **His Race**. -13-19
   He Experiences…
   - **Joy** In Spite of **Circumstances**. - so that they may have the full measure of my joy within them.
   - **Victory** Over **Sin** and **Satan**. v.15 *My prayer is that . . . you protect them from the evil one.*
   - **Growth** in Practical **Holiness**. v.17 *Sanctify them by the truth: your word is truth.*
   - Personal **Involvement** in **Mission**. v.18-19 *As you sent me into the world, I have sent them into the world.*
   - In Your Life...Who is **Influencing** Who?

We're dreaming of being a church that... **Imitates** the life and ministry of Jesus engaging our culture, going to people where they are and loving them relentlessly. Luke 7:36-50