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## **BELIEVE**

### *"Spiritual Answers for Separation Anxiety"*

**INTRO:** *Jesus continued His farewell address by addressing the anxiety His disciples could experience after His death and ascension.*

**I. After His \_\_\_\_\_, Jesus returned to Heaven, leaving His \_\_\_\_\_ on earth to carry on His work.**

*Jesus repeatedly promised His earthly departure (Cf. 13:33, 36).*

**II. Jesus' physical \_\_\_\_\_ could cause \_\_\_\_\_.**

*How can Jesus' disciples effectively function in a world without Him?*

**III. Don't be \_\_\_\_\_; Jesus has provided things that in His physical absence bring \_\_\_\_\_**

**(14:1-31).** *What has Jesus provide to alleviate possible anxiety?*

**A.** A heavenly \_\_\_\_\_ *prepared* by Jesus (14:1-11). *Jesus had to "leave" or else His disciples had no hope of heaven.*

**B.** A heavenly \_\_\_\_\_ *promised* by Jesus (14:12-14). *Jesus' physical absence does not mean that we have lost the ability to communicate with Him.*

**C.** A heavenly \_\_\_\_\_ *petitioned* by Jesus (14:15-26). *The Holy Spirit is another Helper "of the same kind" who initiates us into spiritual union with the Trinity.*