

John 12, 23-26  
Section G16 (Short)

## **A Reading from the Holy Gospel According to John**

Jesus answered them,

“The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified.

Amen, amen, I say to you,

unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies,  
it remains just a grain of wheat; but if it dies,  
it produces much fruit.

Whoever loves his life loses it,

and whoever hates his life in this world  
will preserve it for eternal life.

Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am,  
there also will my servant be.

The Father will honor whoever serves me.

### **The Gospel of the Lord**