Title: Selfie time

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The world, it seems, is much vainer than we could possibly have imagined - there were more than 24 billion selfies that were posted on Google's servers last year.

It said more than 200 million people upload images to the application each month who are responsible for an extraordinary 24 billion selfies.

## An out of touch society

Selfie takers think other people's selfies are rather selfish, but rate their own selfies very highly.



## A new focus

"the average millennial will take 25,700 in their lifetime; it is claimed that females aged 16 to 25 spend five hours taking selfies per week; and on average, 93 million selfies are taken worldwide each day."

http://all-that-is-interesting.com/selfie-deaths

A strange number 49

## Selfies vs. Other Accidental Deaths

# of deaths worldwide (2015 estimates)

Cause	Deaths/yr
Vending machines	2
Shark attacks	8
American football	12
Mount Everest	17
Skateboarding	28
Selfies	28
Bee/wasp stings	58
Airplane crashes	513
Erotic asphyxiation	625

# An out of touch society

John 14:7 if you had known Me, you would have known My Father also.

Jesus is God's "selfie"

David Householder, seven secrets of a meaningful life

## Selfie #1

John 5:19 Jesus was completely dependent upon His Father.

Am I?

What does the mirror of my prayer life say?

## Selfie #2

John 5:20:2:24 Jesus trusted the Father's love for Him more than any human being's.

Do I?

What goes on in my heart when I don't get what I want?

## Selfie #3

John 5:20 "Jesus imitated the Father.

Am I imitating Christ?

Who am I imitating? Who has taught me the greatest lessons?

## Selfie #4

John 5:20 "Jesus had confidence re the future because He had confidence in the Father.

What/who determines how I feel about tomorrow?

## Selfie #5

John 5:21 "Jesus had the Father's mission – giving life and destroying death.

Am I on the Father's mission?

## Selfie #6

John 5:22-23 "Jesus was not in competition with the Father.

Where is pride standing in the way?

## Selfie #7

John 5:30 "Jesus lived for His Father's will.

Do I seek the Father's will for family, calling, church, community?

## Selfie #8

Genesis 1:26-27; 2:7 God made a mirror out of mud

**2 Corinthians3:8** And we, who with unveiled faces all reflect the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into His image with intensifying glory, which comes from the Lord, who is the Spirit.