

## 1 John 5

1. According to verse 1, how is one “born of God?”
  - a. If a person failed to read through verse 3 of this chapter, what misconception might he reach from verse 1?
  - b. How do we know that we love the children of God?
  - c. What constitutes love for God?
  - d. What did John mean when he said that God’s commandments are “not burdensome?”
2. Who overcomes the world, and how does he do it? (vs. 4-5)
3. By what two substances did Christ come, and what is the significance of each one?
4. *Optional* - What translation question exists regarding verse 7?
5. What “three” bear witness upon the earth?
6. What two “testimonies” are contrasted by John, and which one is “greater?”

7. What does a person have if he “has the Son?” (12, 13)
  - a. How does one “have” Christ?
  
8. What “confidence” do we have towards Christ?
  - a. According to v. 14, what condition must be met in order for God to answer one’s prayers?
  
  - b. According to 1 John 3:22, what must one do in order for God to answer his prayers?
  
  - c. What, according to James 1:6 and James 4:3?
  
9. Using Bible information, either in this book or others, what sins “lead to death,” and what sins do not?
  
10. We saw how John defined sin in 3:4; How does he define sin in 5:17?
  
11. What do those who are “born of God” not purposefully and habitually do?
  
12. Who is the “evil one” of 5:19 (as in 3:12), and what is his relationship to the “world?” (cp. John 14:30; 2 Cor. 4:4; Eph. 2:2)
  
13. *Thought Question*- Who is “the true God” of verse 20?