

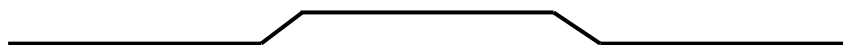
A letter from Hilarion -

Three Key Word Groups

1. _____ (sin) -
2. _____ (seen) -
3. _____ (seed) -

* The _____ of Jesus transforms the _____ of God's children.

1. His _____ (2:28 - 3:3) -



“Beloved, we are God’s children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that when he appears we shall be like him, because we shall see him as he is. And everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure.” 1 John 3:2-3

Four Big Ideas

- Our identity is _____ - “Beloved, we are God’s children now”
 - Our future is _____ - “what we will be has not yet appeared”
 - Our faith becomes _____ - “when he appears, we shall be like him”
 - Our hope is _____ - “everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure”
2. His _____ (3:4-10) -
 - He appeared to _____ (4-7) -
 - the _____ (4) -
 - the _____ (5) -
 - the _____ (6-7) -
 - He appeared to _____ (8-10) -
 - the _____ (8a) -
 - the _____ (8b) -
 - the _____ (9) -

“By this it is evident who are the children of God, and who are the children of the devil: whoever does not practice righteousness is not of God, nor is the one who does not love his brother.” (3:10)

What did the early church do?