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This Is How We Know

1 JOHN





Batteries - expected

Kazoos - stand out

“And this is the testimony, that God gave us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life.”

1 John 5:11-12

“I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, that you may know that you have eternal life.

“And this is the confidence that we have toward him, that if we ask anything according to his will he hears us. And if we know that he hears us in whatever we ask, we know that we have the requests that we have asked of him.”

1 John 5:13-15

“If anyone sees his brother committing a sin not leading to death, he shall ask, and God will give him life—to those who commit sins that do not lead to death.

“There is sin that leads to death; I do not say that one should pray for that. All wrongdoing is sin, but there is sin that does not lead to death.”

1 John 5:16

“We know that everyone who has been born of God does not keep on sinning, but he who was born of God protects him, and the evil one does not touch him.”

1 John 5:18

“We know that we are from God, and the whole world lies in the power of the evil one.

“And we know that the Son of God has come and has given us understanding, so that we may know him who is true; and we are in him who is true, in his Son Jesus Christ. He is the true God and eternal life.”

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1 John 5:14-15

“Beloved, if our heart does not condemn us, we have confidence before God; and whatever we ask we receive from him, because we keep his commandments and do what pleases him.”

1 John 3:21-22

“And he said to them, ‘When you pray, say:
“Father, hallowed be your name. Your
kingdom come.”””

Luke 11:2

“Or which one of you, if his son asks him for bread, will give him a stone? Or if he asks for a fish, will give him a serpent?”

“If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father who is in heaven give good things to those who ask him!”

Matthew 7:7-11

“And they went to a place called Gethsemane. And he said to his disciples, ‘Sit here while I pray.’ And he took with him Peter and James and John, and began to be greatly distressed and troubled.

“And he said to them, ‘My soul is very sorrowful, even to death. Remain here and watch.’

“And going a little farther, he fell on the ground and prayed that, if it were possible, the hour might pass from him.

“And he said, ‘Abba, Father, all things are possible for you. Remove this cup from me. Yet not what I will, but what you will.’”

Mark 14:32-36

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1 John 5:16-17

“If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.”

1 John 1:9

“My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous.”

1 John 2:1

“I do not say one should pray for that ...”

1 John 5:16b

“I have manifested your name to the people whom you gave me out of the world. Yours they were, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word.

“Now they know that everything that you have given me is from you. For I have given them the words that you gave me, and they have received them and have come to know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me.

“I am praying for them. I am not praying for the world but for those whom you have given me, for they are yours. All mine are yours, and yours are mine, and I am glorified in them.

“And I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, keep them in your name, which you have given me, that they may be one, even as we are one.”

John 17:6-11

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- **battery** - We don't practice sinning.
(1:6, 2:29, 3:4-10)

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“Little children, keep yourselves from idols.”

1 John 5:21

“That which was from the beginning, which we have heard, which we have seen with our eyes, which we looked upon and have touched with our hands, concerning the word of life—

“the life was made manifest, and we have seen it, and testify to it and proclaim to you the eternal life, which was with the Father and was made manifest to us—

“that which we have seen and heard we proclaim also to you, so that you too may have fellowship with us; and indeed our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son Jesus Christ.”

1 John 1:1-3

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“By this you know the Spirit of God: every
spirit that confesses that Jesus Christ has
come in the flesh is from God, and every spirit
that does not confess Jesus is not from God.”

1 John 4:2-3

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“And we have seen and testify that the Father
has sent his Son to be the Savior of the
world.”

1 John 4:14

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from God, and whoever loves has been born
of God and knows God.”

1 John 4:7

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“And by this we know that we have come to
know him, if we keep his commandments.”

1 John 2:3