



That You May Know...

A Study in First John

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Part 18: Know Promises

1 John 5:13 (ESV)-"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."

REVIEW

Overwhelming Evidence For Jesus

External Evidence

Supernatural Testimony

Internal Evidence

Written Testimony

Notes: _____

Promises For The Believer

1. GOD HEARS US

1 John 5:14 (ESV)-And this is the confidence that we have toward him, that if we ask anything according to his will he hears us.

John 9:31 (ESV)-We know that God does not listen to sinners, but if anyone is a worshiper of God and does his will, God listens to him.

Prayer is national, not mechanical.

2. GOD ANSWERS US

1 John 5:15 (ESV)- 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. If anyone sees his brother committing a sin not leading to death, he shall ask, and God will give him life...

Mark 11:24 (ESV)-Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours.

God responds to prayers for His will and His people.

3. GOD PROTECTS US

1 John 5:18-19 (ESV)- 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. We know that we are from God, and the whole world lies in the power of the evil one.

John 17:7 (ESV)- I do not ask that you take them out of the world, but that you keep them from the evil one.

The very best of the world and the very worst of the world are confined by the devil.

4. GOD ENLIGHTENS US

1 John 5:20 (ESV)-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.

Because we live in a fallen world our minds are in need of renewal.

Here Is The Point: The believer can rely on these promises of God in a fallen world.