



# That You May Know...

## A Study in First John

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## Part 4: Know Obedience

*I 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

#### To Know Forgiveness We Need to See...

Our Deception

Our Dependence

Our Denial

Our Deliverance

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## Through Obedience We...

### 1. EXPERIENCE ASSURANCE

I John 2:3-4 (ESV)- And by this we know that we have come to know him, if we keep his commandments. Whoever says “I know him” but does not keep his commandments is a liar, and the truth is not in him,

John 15:8 (ESV)- By this my Father is glorified, that you bear much fruit and so prove to be my disciples.

*Our obedience is a result of our relationship not the cause.*

### 2. EXPRESS LOVE

I John 2:5 (ESV)-but whoever keeps his word, in him truly the love of God is perfected...

John 14:15 (ESV)-If you love me, you will keep my commandments.

*Our obedience is about our love for Him, not His love for us.*

### 3. ENJOY INTIMACY

I John 2:5 (ESV) but whoever keeps his word, in him truly the love of God is perfected. By this we may know that we are in him

John 15:10 (ESV)-If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love.

*Our obedience prevents interrupted relationship.*

### 4. EXEMPLIFY JESUS

I John 2:1-2 (ESV) whoever says he abides in him ought to walk in the same way in which he walked

Ephesians 5:1-2 (ESV)-Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children. And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

*Our obedience points others to the best way to live.*

**Here Is The Point:** The key to fellowship with God is continued obedience.