

# Teaching Notes

Series: Sticking With Jesus

Week 9

## 1 John 5:13-21

**Vs 13** I have written this to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, so that you may know you have eternal life.

**We can settle our eternal destiny \_\_\_\_\_ and face final judgment with \_\_\_\_\_.**

**NLT John 3:18** "There is no judgment awaiting those who trust him. But those who do not trust him have already been judged for not believing in the only Son of God.

**Vss 14-15** And we are confident that he hears us whenever we ask for anything that pleases him. <sup>15</sup> And since we know he hears us when we make our requests, we also know that he will give us what we ask for.

**We have a \_\_\_\_\_ line of communication with our Heavenly Father.**

**Vss 16-17** If you see a Christian brother or sister sinning in a way that does not lead to death, you should pray, and God will give that person life. But there is a sin that leads to death, and I am not saying you should pray for those who commit it. <sup>17</sup> All wicked actions are sin, but not every sin leads to death.

**Heb 6:4-6 (NLT)** For it is impossible to bring back to repentance those who were once enlightened—those who have experienced the good things of heaven and shared in the Holy Spirit, <sup>5</sup> who have tasted the goodness of the word of God and the power of the age to come—<sup>6</sup> and who then turn away from God. It is impossible to bring such people back to repentance; by rejecting the Son of God, they themselves are nailing him to the cross once again and holding him up to public shame.

**NIV 1 Peter 3:15** But in your hearts set apart Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect.

**There are various ways we \_\_\_\_\_ Christ.**

**Vs 18** We know that God's children do not make a practice of sinning, for God's Son holds them securely, and the evil one cannot touch them.

**God's followers \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ from sin!!**

**Vs 19** We know that we are children of God and that the world around us is under the control of the evil one.

**Living under the control of the evil one means we are living apart from God.**

**Vs 20** And we know that the Son of God has come, and he has given us understanding so that we can know the true God. And now we live in fellowship with the true God because we live in fellowship with his Son, Jesus Christ. He is the only true God, and he is eternal life.

**\_\_\_\_\_ reveals the true God.**

**Vs 21** Dear children, keep away from anything that might take God's place in your hearts.

**Keep away...**

**From anything...**

**That might take God's place.**

**Flirting with \_\_\_\_\_ is never a freebie, it's going to \_\_\_\_\_ us something!!**

**NLT Mark 8:36** And how do you benefit if you gain the whole world but lose your own soul in the process?