

# 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> JOHN

## INTRODUCTION – PART I

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The Gospel According to John

The Epistles of John

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### John 1:1-5

<sup>1</sup> In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and **the Word was God**. <sup>2</sup> He was in the beginning with God. <sup>3</sup> All things came into being through Him, and apart from Him nothing came into being that has come into being. <sup>4</sup> In Him was life, and the life was the Light of men. <sup>5</sup> The Light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not comprehend it.

### John 1:6-13

<sup>6</sup> There came a man sent from God, whose name was John. <sup>7</sup> He came as a **witness**, to **testify** about the Light, **so that all might believe** through him. <sup>8</sup> He was not the Light, but *he came* to **testify** about the Light. <sup>9</sup> There was the true Light which, coming into the world, enlightens every man. <sup>10</sup> He was in the world, and the world was made through Him, and the world did not know Him. <sup>11</sup> He came to His own, and those who were His own did not receive Him. <sup>12</sup> But as many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God, *even* to those who believe in His name, <sup>13</sup> **who were born, not of blood nor of the will of the flesh nor of the will of man, but of God.**

### John 1:14-18

<sup>14</sup> And **the Word became flesh**, and **dwelt among us**, and **we saw His glory**, glory as of the only begotten from the Father, full of grace and truth. <sup>15</sup> John **\*testified** about Him and cried out, saying, "This was He of whom I said, 'He who comes after me has a higher rank than I, for He existed before me.'" <sup>16</sup> For of His fullness we have all received, and grace upon grace. <sup>17</sup> For the Law was given through Moses; grace and truth were realized through Jesus Christ. <sup>18</sup> No one has seen God at any time; the only begotten God who is in the bosom of the Father, He has explained *Him*.

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### 1 Corinthians 15:1-8

<sup>1</sup> Now I **make known** to you, brethren, **the gospel** which I **preached** to you, which also you **received**, in which also you **stand**, <sup>2</sup> by which also you **are saved**, if you **hold fast** the word which I preached to you, unless you **believed in vain**. <sup>3</sup> For I **delivered** to you as of first importance **what I also received**, that

**Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures,** <sup>4</sup> **and that He was buried, and that He was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures,** <sup>5</sup> and that

**He appeared** to Cephas, then to the twelve. <sup>6</sup> After that **He appeared** to more than five hundred brethren at one time, most of whom remain until now, but some have fallen asleep; <sup>7</sup> then **He appeared** to James, then to all the apostles; <sup>8</sup> and last of all, as to one untimely born, **He appeared** to me also.

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### John 20:30-31

<sup>30</sup> Therefore **many other signs Jesus also performed in the presence of the disciples, which are not written in this book;** <sup>31</sup> **but these have been written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing you may have life in His name.**

### John 21:24-25

<sup>24</sup> This is **the disciple who is testifying to these things and wrote these things, and we know that his testimony is true.** <sup>25</sup> And **there are also many other things which Jesus did, which if they \*were written in detail, I suppose that even the world itself \*would not contain the books that \*would be written.**

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