

II John

- 1) What did the writer call himself? (choose one)
 - a) The pastor
 - b) The preacher
 - c) The elder
 - d) The apostle
- 2) “I was very glad to find some of your children _____ in _____, just as we have received commandment to do from the Father.”
- 3) What is the commandment that we had from the beginning? “...that we _____ one another.”
- 4) “And this is _____, that we _____ (live) according to His commandments.”
- 5) When you obey God, what does it demonstrate?
- 6) Deceivers (false teachers) deny that Jesus Christ has come in the flesh. This means that they might say:
 - a) Jesus wasn’t really God.
 - b) Jesus wasn’t really a man, but a spirit (He didn’t actually die on the cross or rise from the dead)
 - c) Both of these are false teachings from the deceivers.
- 7) “Anyone who goes too far and does not abide in the teaching of Christ, does not _____; the one who abides in the teaching, he has both the Father and the Son.” (Some people we think are Christians are false believers who never really trusted in Christ!)
- 8) Look at Revelation 3:11; “I am coming quickly; hold fast what you have, in order that no one take your crown.” Is it possible to lose crowns that you have earned?
- 9) Based on Revelation 4:10, what special thing might we be able to do with the crowns that we retain when we reach heaven?
- 10) Do you want to lose any of your rewards?
- 11) Look at verse 9. If a person starts to teach false doctrine about Jesus (like saying that Jesus is not God), does that indicate that the person has the Lord as his Savior or that he is a counterfeit believer?
- 12) If you know someone teaches what is false, should you have him or her stay overnight at your house just to be friendly and to help them out?
- 13) If people come to your door teaching that Jesus was not God, would it be proper to invite them in and give them refreshments?
- 14) Would it be right to give them a blessing as they leave like, “God be with you.” or “God bless you.”?
- 15) If you help them or encourage them in any way, what does verse 11 say you are actually doing?
- 16) How many times is the word “truth” used in this book? (You may want to circle them in your Bible.)
- 17) Wouldn’t verse 12 be a nice way to end a short note of encouragement that you send to someone?
- 18) How would you word that verse if you were writing an e-mail message?
- 19) Read verse 1 again along with verse 13. Since the writer does not name the person he is writing to, and the church is “the bride (female) of Christ,” it seems like the “chosen lady” might refer to a church. If this is the case, who would her “children” be?
- 20) Who would her “chosen sister” mentioned in verse 13 be? (choose one)
 - a) Another lady she specially picked to be her friend
 - b) Another church
 - c) John’s sister
- 21) Do you have another church (besides your own) where you have some close friends?