YES or NO

N_ _ 1. Are we familiar now with the kinds of bodies we will have in heaven?
Y_ _ 2. Do you hope one day to see Jesus as He is?
N_ _ 3. Is one who lives a life given over to sin pure?
Y_ _ 4. Does the one abiding in Christ commit himself to live a life practicing righteousness just as He is righteous?
N_ _ 5. Should the one who is born again of God continue to live a life practicing sin?
Y_ _ 6. Is it important that our love be demonstrated by more than words?
Y_ _ 7. Do you endeavor to show your love in deed and in truth?
Y_ _ 8. Do the commandments of God include praying according to His will?
Y_ _ 9. Does the commandment to believe on the name of Jesus Christ include also keeping all His commandments?
Y_ 10. Is having a proper relationship with God (abiding in Him, and He in us) dependent upon us keeping His commandments?

TRUE OR FALSE

T_ _ 1. The world doesn’t really know Christians because it does not know God.
R_ _ 2. One with the hope of seeing God should purify himself by a life obeying (following) the truth. (cf. 1Peter 1:22)
F_ _ 3. After being cleansed by the blood of Christ (1John 1:7) one does not have to practice righteousness to be righteous. (3:7)
F_ _ 4. John is teaching in 1John 3:9 that it is impossible for a child of God to sin.
T_ _ 5. John is teaching in 1John 3:9 that it is inconsistent for a child of God to give himself over to a life practicing sin, and still be righteous.
T_ _ 6. Loving one another in word and truth is a very important matter.

(Print please the verse(s) number that provides the answer in the margin.)

Studies in 1st John 3:1-24

Children of God: Love One Another: Confidence Before God

1. According to verse 1, how is God’s great love shown? Calling us children _ Why does the world not know us? It doesn’t know God _ When Christ is revealed, what will God’s children be like? _ Christ _

2. What does the one hoping to see God do? Purifies self _ How is sin defined? Lawlessness _ Why was Christ manifested? To take away our sins _ Who does not live a life devoted to sinning? Who abides in Him?

3. Who is righteous? Christ / He who practices righteousness Who sinned from the beginning? The devil Why was the Son of God manifested? To destroy the works of the devil What of one born of God? Doesn’t practice sin

4. What of one who does not love his brother? Is not of God _ What is the message we’ve heard from the beginning? Love one another Who murdered his brother? Cain Why? His works were evil

5. Over what should we not marvel? That the world hates us Who abides in death? Who does not love his brother What does no murderer have? Eternal Life

6. What did Christ do for us? He laid down His life What should we do for the brethren? Lay down our lives How should we not love? In word and tongue only But how? In deed and truth

7. What does God know? All things We can only have confidence toward God, if what? Our heart does not condemn us

8. Why can we be confident to receive what we ask of God? We keep His commandments _ do those things pleasing in His sight

9. What commandment from God does John emphasize here? Believe on His Son Jesus Christ and love one another

10. Who abides in “Him” (God)? He who keeps His commandments And where does God abide? In him who does so How do we know God abides in us? By the Spirit whom He has given

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SELECT THE CORRECT ANSWER(s)

2_ 1. Out of His love, the Father calls us: 1) to be lost; 2) His children; 3) aliens and foreigners.

1_ 2. What we shall be: 1) has not yet been revealed; 2) will be nothing like Him; 3) will never see Him as He is.

3_ 3. The one with hope of seeing God: 1) has nothing to do; 2) can continue practicing sin without fear; 3) seeks to purify himself.

2,3_ 4. To abide in Christ means: 1) one never ever commits a sin; 2) does not live a life practicing sin; 3) to practice righteousness.

1_ 5. The devil sinned: 1) from the beginning; 2) after Adam was put out of the garden; 3) only after the great flood of Noah’s day.

ALL 6. Cain: 1) murdered his brother; 2) was of the wicked one; 3) did evil works.

2_ 7. Seeing a brother in need, one should: 1) shut up his heart from him; 2) not refuse to share to world’s goods; 3) show his love in word and tongue.

ALL 8. If our own heart condemns us: 1) God is greater than our hearts; 2) we can not have confidence toward God; 3) God knows it.

ALL 9. We can have confidence in our prayers, when: 1) we keep His commandments; 2) we love one another; 3) ask according to His will.

ALL 10. One keeping God’s commandments: 1) abides in Him; 2) God abides in him; 3) knows He abodes in us by the Spirit He gave.

MATCH CORRECTLY (Group 1)

Verse:

_ __ 1. Our Father’s love 4__Lawlessness
_ __ 2. The world 3__Purifies self
_ __ 3. Those with hope 8__Love one another
_ __ 4. Sin 1__Called us children (sons) of God
_ __ 5. Manifested 10__Is a murderer
_ __ 6. One abiding in Christ 9__The world hates you
_ __ 7. The devil 2__Does not know Him
_ __ 8. Message from beginning 5__To take away sin
_ __ 9. Don’t marvel 7__sinned from the beginning
_ __ 10. Hates brother 6__Does not practice sin

MATCH CORRECTLY (Group 2)

_ __ 1. We know love 6__Do things in His sight
_ __ 2. Love not 2__In word and tongue
_ __ 3. Little children 7__Have confidence toward God
_ __ 4. God 5__Who keeps His commandments
_ __ 5. Ask and receive 9__As He gave us commandment
_ __ 6. Pleasing 1__He laid down His life
_ __ 7. Heart not condemns 10__By the Spirit given
_ __ 8. His commandment 8__Believe on His Son
_ __ 9. Love one another 3__Love in deed and truth
_ __ 10. Know He abides 4__Greater than our hearts