

# So Great a Salvation

1John 1.1-2.11

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## Introduction

- John is giving new Christians instructions on how to live out their faith

## Main Points: We can experience the joy of salvation through

1. \_\_\_\_\_ -- 1.1-4

- responding to the manifold witness of God
- John 5.30-47 – witnesses to Jesus
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- faith is born of the \_\_\_\_\_ and the \_\_\_\_\_ of God
  - Ephesians 2.8
  - Romans 10.17
  - 1Thessalonians 2.13

2. \_\_\_\_\_ -- 1.5-10

- acknowledging sin and seeking forgiveness
- Romans 10.9-13
- you may as well confess your sin; it's not like God doesn't know

3. \_\_\_\_\_ -- 2.1-6

- knowing God, loving God, and obeying God are \_\_\_\_\_ terms
- propitiation
  - When the NT says “propitiation,” then, it means that Jesus’ death on the cross for the sins of mankind put away God’s wrath against his people once and for all.<sup>1</sup>
- John 15.1-11 – abide appears 10 times
- obedience is possible because Jesus set the \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_ – 2.7-11

- God is love, therefore we must love
- John 21 – Jesus and Peter – “Do you love me?”
- there is likely only one \_\_\_\_\_ on heaven’s entrance exam

## Conclusion

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<sup>1</sup> Elwell, W. A., & Beitzel, B. J. (1988). [Propitiation](#). In *Baker encyclopedia of the Bible* (Vol. 2, p. 1784). Grand Rapids, MI: Baker Book House.

