



SERMON DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Speaker: Chris Royalty // Sunday: August 14, 2022

- 1) Begin your time by briefly praying and asking the Holy Spirit to help you as you discuss and study.
- 2) Read 1 John 5:6-12 together.
- 3) What stuck out to you as you read? Is there anything you don't understand? Is there anything you'd like to discuss?
- 4) Think of someone you know who does not believe in Christ. What are the indications that person wants more evidence? What are the indications of a hard, rebellious heart?
- 5) How does Jesus' baptism reveal Him as the Son of God? Why did Jesus need to be baptized?
- 6) Some conclude that since Jesus was crucified, He couldn't have been God's Son. Why does John use the crucifixion as evidence in favor of His divinity?
- 7) Jesus said the Spirit would be coming to glorify Him. How does the Spirit still work to testify to Jesus? Where should we expect to see the Spirit working?
- 8) Why is personal testimony of conversion such a powerful witness to Jesus' deity?
- 9) Why is a person's present testimony of Jesus' lordship just as important or more important than their remembering a past experience?
- 10) What does it mean for the Son to be eternal life? Where does Jesus claim this for Himself?
- 11) End your time in prayer. Ask God to help you apply the things you've discussed and learned during this time of study.

* Some of these questions taken from, Daniel L. Akin, *Exalting Jesus in 1,2,3 John* (Nashville, TN: Holman Reference, 2014).