

Test the Spirits

Scripture: 1 John 4:1-6

Do not believe every spirit, but test the spirits. (4:1)

Test 1 - What about Jesus? (4:2-3)

Test 2 - What about the world? (4:4-6)

ONE THING

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At Home Study Guide

For the week of August 16, 2020

God is light. God is love. Both are simple statements with profound implications. John digs into these truths in the letter called 1 John. Pray and think over this 9 week series about how God's light and God's love affect how to relate to God, others, and the world.

1. Read John 7:17. Discernment is first based on knowing God and knowing his will, not some spiritual magic trick. In what ways are you striving to know God better?
2. Those who are following God listen to others that are following God, or from God (as John says a few times in times in this passage). Check yourself and others around you to see if you are following people who are from God for your spiritual direction.
3. One of my favorite verses is 1 John 4:4. How does this verse give you confidence today in your spiritual walk? I encourage you to commit it to memory as a weapon you can use in spiritual battle.

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