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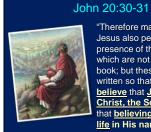
### **Answering Ten Questions**



- 1) Who wrote it? John
- What do we know about the author? Eyewitness
  When was it written? A.D. 85-95

- Where was it written from? Ephesus
  To Whom was it written? Gentile unbelievers

- Why was it written? Evangelism
  What is it about? Jesus gives life to believers
  How does the writer accomplish his goal? Selective history
- 9) What is inside (outline)? 5 part outline
  10) What makes the book different? Emphasis on believe

"Therefore many other <u>signs</u> Jesus also performed in the presence of the disciples, which are not written in this book; but these have been written so that you may <u>believe</u> that <u>Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God</u>; and that <u>believing</u> you may have <u>life</u> in His name."

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# Presentation of the Son of God (John 1:19-51)

- I. By John the Baptist (19-28)
- II. To John the Baptist (29-34)
- III. To Peter and Andrew (35-42)
- IV. To Philip and Nathaniel (43-51)






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# Water to Wine in Cana (2:1-11) Occasion (1-3) Observation (4) Orders (5-7a) Obedience (7b-8) Opinion (9-10) Outcome (11) Wilmington, Outline of the Bible, 562




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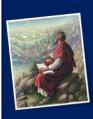
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### **SLBC Statement of Faith**

Article 3.6-God has provided the remedy for our disobedience by sending His Son, Jesus Christ, to be the sacrifice for our sins. God has determined that we do not receive forgiveness as a result of our religious deeds or other good works, no matter how well intended, but only by personal faith in Jesus Christ. Those who receive Jesus Christ as their Savior are at that point born of the Spirit and are assured of an eternity in Heaven. (Romans 5:6-9; Romans 4:5; Ephesians 2:8,9; John 3:5-18).

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### Article XI—Assurance

• We believe it is the privilege, not only of some, but of <u>all</u> by the Spirit through faith who are born again in Christ as revealed in the Scriptures, to be <u>assured</u> of their salvation from the <u>very day</u> they take Him to be their Savior and that this assurance is <u>not</u> founded upon any fancied discovery of their own <u>worthiness</u> or fitness, but wholly upon the testimony of God in His <u>written Word</u>, exciting within His children filial love...

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- James 3:1-Let not many *of you* become teachers, my brethren, knowing that as such we will incur a stricter judgment.
- Titus 3:5-He saved us, not on the basis of deeds which we have done in righteousness, but according to His mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewing by the Holy Spirit.
- 1 Pet 1:23-or you have been born again not of seed which is perishable but imperishable, *that is*, through the living and enduring word of God.
- Rom 10:17- So faith *comes* from hearing, and hearing by the word of Christ.
- 2 Tim 3:15- and that from childhood you have known the sacred writings which are able to give you the wisdom that leads to salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus.
- Gen 2:16-17- The LORD God commanded the man, saying, "From any tree of the garden you may eat freely; <sup>17</sup> but from the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you shall not eat, for in the day that you eat from it you will surely die."
- Eph 2:1- And you were dead in your trespasses and sins
- 1 Cor 2:14-But a natural man does not accept the things of the Spirit of God, for they are foolishness to him; and he cannot understand them, because they are spiritually appraised
- John 2:19-21-Jesus answered them, "Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up." <sup>20</sup> The Jews then said, "It took forty-six years to build this temple, and will You raise it up in three days?" <sup>21</sup> But He was speaking of the temple of His body

John 7:39-But this He spoke of the Spirit, whom those who believed in Him were to receive; for the Spirit was not yet *given*, because Jesus was not yet glorified.

Luke 23:43-And He said to him, "Truly I say to you, today you shall be with Me in Paradise."

1 Cor 1:14-17- I thank God that I baptized none of you except Crispus and Gaius, <sup>15</sup> so that no one would say you were baptized in my name. <sup>16</sup> Now I did baptize also the household of Stephanas; beyond that, I do not know whether I baptized any other. <sup>17</sup> For Christ did not send me to baptize, but to preach the gospel, not in cleverness of speech, so that the cross of Christ would not be made void.

Eph 2:8-9-For by grace you have been saved through faith; and that not of yourselves, *it is* the gift of God; <sup>9</sup> not as a result of works, so that no one may boast.

Gen 1:2-The earth was formless and void, and darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was moving over the surface of the waters.

2 Cor 5:17-Therefore if anyone is in Christ, *he is* a new creature; the old things passed away; behold, new things have come.

Isa 55:10-11-"For as the rain and the snow come down from heaven, And do not return there without watering the earth And making it bear and sprout, And furnishing seed to the sower and bread to the eater; <sup>11</sup> So will My word be which goes forth from My mouth; It will not return to Me empty, Without accomplishing what I desire, And without succeeding *in the matter* for which I sent it.

Eph 5:26- so that He might sanctify her, having cleansed her by the washing of water with the word

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John 4:10-11-Jesus answered and said to her, "If you knew the gift of God, and who it is who says to you, 'Give Me a drink,' you would have asked Him, and He would have given you living water." <sup>11</sup> She \*said to Him, "Sir, You have nothing to draw with and the well is deep; where then do You get that living water?

John 7:38-39-He who believes in Me, as the Scripture said, 'From his innermost being will flow rivers of living water.'" <sup>39</sup> But this He spoke of the Spirit, whom those who believed in Him were to receive; for the Spirit was not yet *given*, because Jesus was not yet glorified.

Ezek 36:24-28-For I will take you from the nations, gather you from all the lands and bring you into your own land. <sup>25</sup> Then I will sprinkle clean water on you, and you will be clean; I will cleanse you from all your filthiness and from all your idols. <sup>26</sup> Moreover, I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit within you; and I will remove the heart of stone from your flesh and give you a heart of flesh. <sup>27</sup> I will put My Spirit within you and cause you to walk in My statutes, and you will be careful to observe My ordinances. <sup>28</sup> You will live in the land that I gave to your forefathers; so you will be My people, and I will be your God.

Gen 1:12-The earth brought forth vegetation, plants yielding seed after their kind, and trees bearing fruit with seed in them, after their kind; and God saw that it was good.

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Gal 5:22-23-But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, <sup>23</sup> gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law.

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Joel 2:28-29- "It will come about after this That I will pour out My Spirit on all mankind; And your sons and daughters will prophesy, Your old men will dream dreams, Your young men will see visions. <sup>29</sup> "Even on the male and female servants I will pour out My Spirit in those days.

Jer 31:31-34- "Behold, days are coming," declares the LORD, "when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and with the house of Judah, <sup>32</sup> not like the covenant which I made with their fathers in the day I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt, My covenant which they broke, although I was a husband to them," declares the LORD. <sup>33</sup> "But this is the covenant which I will make with the house of Israel after those days," declares the LORD, "I will put My law within them and on their heart I will write it; and I will be their God, and they shall be My people. <sup>34</sup> They will not teach again, each man his neighbor and each man his brother, saying, 'Know the LORD,' for they will all know Me, from the least of them to the greatest of them," declares the LORD, "for I will forgive their iniquity, and their sin I will remember no more."

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Num 21:5-9- The people spoke against God and Moses, "Why have you brought us up out of Egypt to die in the wilderness? For there is no food and no water, and we loathe this miserable food."The LORD sent fiery serpents among the people and they bit the people, so that many people of Israel died. So the people came to Moses and said, "We have sinned, because we have spoken against the LORD and you; intercede with the LORD, that He may remove the serpents from us." And Moses interceded for the people. Then the LORD said to Moses, "Make a fiery *serpent*, and set it on a standard; and it shall come about, that everyone who is bitten, when he looks at it, he will live." And Moses made a bronze serpent and set it on the standard; and it came about, that if a serpent bit any man, when he looked to the bronze serpent, he lived.

Rom 5:12-Therefore, just as through one man sin entered into the world, and death through sin, and so death spread to all men, because all sinned—

Acts 4:12- And there is salvation in no one else; for there is no other name under heaven that has been given among men by which we must be saved."

John 5:24- "Truly, truly, I say to you, he who hears My word, and believes Him who sent Me, has eternal life, and does not come into judgment, but has passed out of death into life.

Heb 13:20-21- Now the God of peace, who brought up from the dead the great Shepherd of the sheep through the blood of the eternal covenant, *even* Jesus our Lord, <sup>21</sup> equip you in every good thing to do His will, working in us that which is pleasing in His sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom *be* the glory forever and ever. Amen.