



Discussion Questions 1 John 2:1-17
Week of June 27th - July 3rd, 2010

Warm Up What are some of the things about the Summer Season that really add to your quality of life? What do you enjoy doing in Summer?

- Read 1 John 2:1, 2. How do followers of Jesus try to cover up their sin? Do you agree that sin in the life of a Jesus-Follower is worse than sin in the life of a non-believer? Why or why not? How is Jesus our Advocate?

- Read 1 John 2:3-6. Obedience is directly related to 'love of God'. Of the three reasons given for why we obey: I have to (slave/punishment), I need to (employee/paycheck), and I want to (child/parent), which of these motivate you personally and why?

- Do you agree that people who spend time worshipping God will naturally become more obedient to God? Why or why not?

- Read 1 John 2:7-11. Here is a quote to consider, "It is impossible to be in fellowship with our Father in heaven and be out of fellowship with another Jesus-Follower." Do you agree or disagree, why or why not?

- How can the followers of Jesus love one another better? How can we grow in love for one another at 'the shoreline' church?

- Read 1 John 2:12-17. Why does God hate the love of the world and the things of the world? How do you define 'worldliness'?

Wrap Up: Memorize Galatians 6:7, 8 and use it this week as a sword to fight sin and temptation to evil. Pray for one another to this end!