

1 John: "Authentic Christianity" Part 5

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"Abiding Truth for the Age of Deception"

Text: 1 John 2:18-29

Introduction: What do these people all have in common?

"It doesn't really matter what you believe as long as you are 'sincere'".

Key Point: It _____ more than sincerity to make something _____.

Defining Terms 2:18-19

v.18

"The last hour"

The 3-fold meaning of "Antichrist"

1) Antichrist is a _____.
Revelation. 13;16;19

2) Antichrist is a _____.
1 John. 4:3

3) Antichrist are _____.
1 John. 2:18

Matthew. 24:4,5,24

"Docetism" (Gnosticism)

"Cerinthus"

1 John. 2.22; 4;3

v.19

Key Point: One evidence of a true Christian is that they _____ to be with other _____ in Christ.

The Common Anointing Of Christians 2:20-23

v.20

"Know"

v.21-23

Who is Jesus Christ?

What does it mean to deny the Son? v.23

John 10:30

2 Corinthians 5:18-19

John 5:23

Abiding In Truth 2:24-27

vv. 24-25

1 Timothy 3:16

Isaiah. 9:6

Key Point: The truth is, to reject _____ is to reject _____.

vv. 26-27

Ephesians 4:11; Acts 19:9; 2:42

Beware of...

1) Extra Biblical _____.

2) And teachings which end in "_____".

Acts 17:11

Abiding In Jesus 2:28-29

vv.28-29

1) Abide

2) Appear
2 Corinthians. 5:10 & Revelation. 20:11-15

3) Asamed
2 Corinthians. 5:9

1 John 3:3

The Return of Christ gives us great motivation to: