

"Tuned In To Truth"

-1 John 4:4-6-

Introduction:

- Who do you view/listen to most? What do you view/listen to most? Why?
- What spirit are you following/learning from? Spirit of truth or spirit of error?

In 1 John 4:4-6, we see three encouragements which assure us of our spiritual teacher.

1) You Have Defeated the Deceivers (v. 4):

- If you are from _____ then you have already overcome the _____.
- You have overcome because of the _____ within you.
- The Holy Spirit is _____ than the _____.

Notes:

2) You Don't Listen to the Liars (v. 5):

- False teachers are from the _____ and they speak _____.
- People of the world _____ to the _____ teachers.
- Children of _____ cannot also be of the _____.

Notes:

3) You Pay Attention to the Apostles (v. 6):

- The Apostles were from _____ and they spoke God's _____.
- Children of God _____ to God's _____.
- People of the _____ do not listen to God's _____.

Notes:

Conclusion:

- If you have the Spirit of truth, then:
 - You _____ God's word (v. 2).
 - You do not _____ to the world (v. 5).
 - You _____ to God's word (v. 6).
- If you have the spirit of error, then:
 - You do not _____ God's word (v. 3).
 - You _____ to the world (v. 5).
 - You do not _____ to God's word (v. 6).

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