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We find the word, *know*, mentioned 40 times in 1 John.

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We find the word, *you*, mentioned 46 times in 1 John.

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Assurance is a personal necessity.

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"If you could have salvation and not know it, you could lose it and not miss it.

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Several Reasons for Doubt:

1. Lack of Biblical Understanding

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Several Reasons for Doubt:

2. Clinging Sins

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...let us lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us...

—Hebrews 12:1 ESV

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Several Reasons for Doubt:

3. Accusation

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"I have never met anyone anywhere who was of any good to the cause of Christ who did not have assurance of salvation." —D.L. Moody

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Assurance rests on
persuasive testimony.

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Salvation is all about the work of the
Savior, not the worth of the sinner.

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¹⁷For if, because of one man's
trespass, death reigned through
that one man, much more will
those who receive the abundance
of grace and the free gift of
righteousness reign in life through
the one man Jesus Christ...

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¹⁹For as by the one man's
disobedience the many were
made sinners, so by the one
man's obedience the many
will be made righteous.
—Romans 5:17, 19 ESV

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Human Achievement
Divine Accomplishment

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You therefore must be perfect,
as your heavenly Father is perfect.
—Matthew 5:48 ESV

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Salvation is guaranteed by the
residence of the Spirit, not the
resolve of the saint.

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¹³In him you also, when you heard
the word of truth, the gospel of
your salvation, and believed in
him, were sealed with the
promised Holy Spirit, ¹⁴who is the
guarantee of our inheritance
until we acquire possession of it,
to the praise of his glory.
—Ephesians 1:13-14 ESV

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The Spirit himself bears witness
with our spirit that we are children
of God... —Romans 8:16 ESV

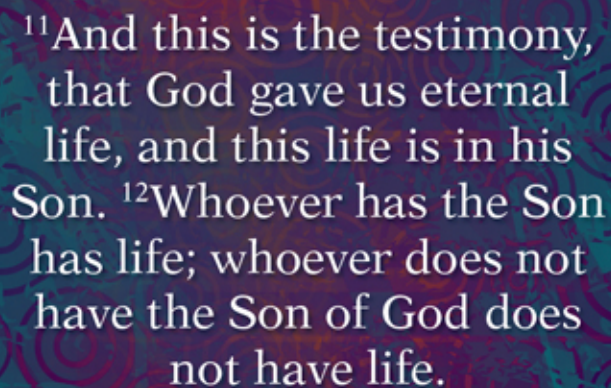
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Salvation is based on God's authority,
not our sincerity.

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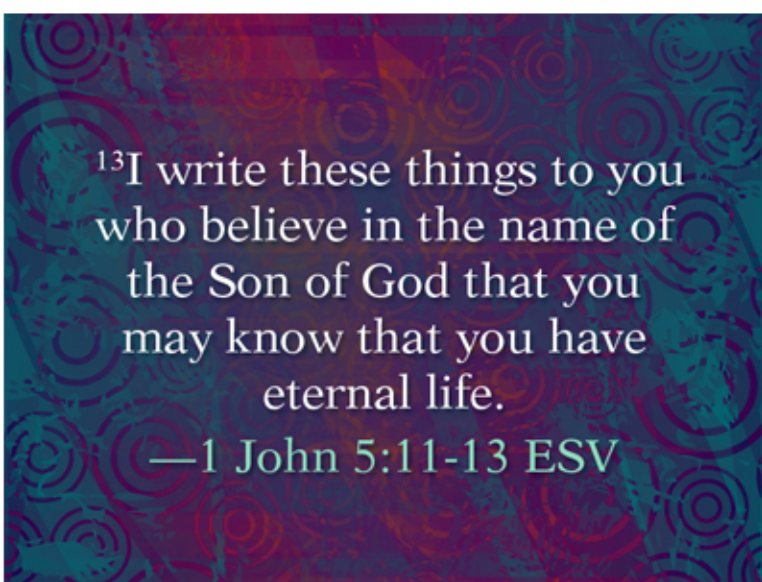
But to all who did receive him, who
believed in his name, he gave the right to
become children of God... —John 1:12 ESV

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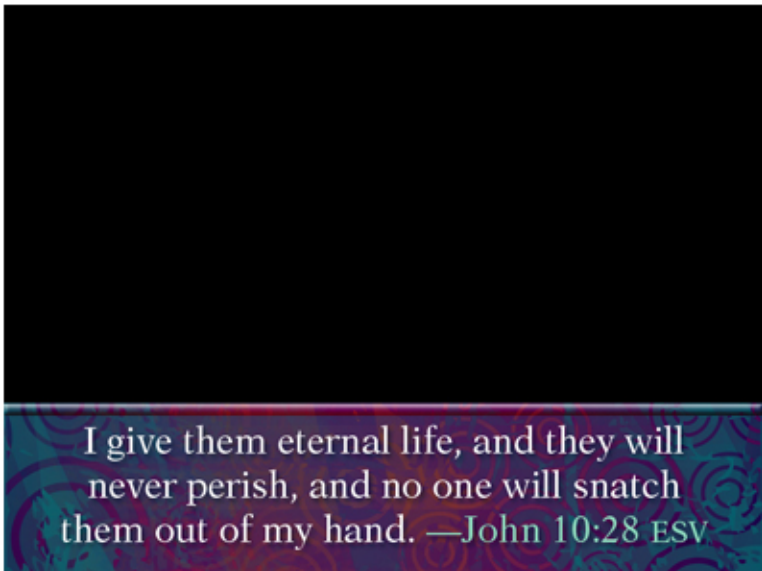
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I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them out of my hand. —John 10:28 ESV

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