

1 John:

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I WAS THERE!

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1 John Overview:

- Written by John the apostle around 90 A.D.
- Two big thoughts: God is light and love
- Firm against Gnosticism and loving to believers
- Inner-change: light/dark, love God/world, Christ/Antichrist, righteousness/sin, truth/falsehood...

▶ A life that is _____.

- Gnosticism – spirit good, physical bad
 - Jesus physically dying and resurrecting is central to Christianity.
- We all need a _____.

▶ A life that is _____.

- I will pray, care and share for _____.
- We long for _____.
 - With each other.
 - With the _____ through Christ.

▶ A life of deeper _____ . *Psalm 16:11, John 15:11*