

# The Book of 1<sup>st</sup> John Speaks to Christian Men about Assurance of Salvation

Week One  
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## **Introduction:**

**Joh 10:28-30** And I give unto them eternal life; and they shall never perish, neither shall any *man* pluck them out of my hand. My Father, which gave *them* me, is greater than all; and no *man* is able to pluck *them* out of my Father's hand. **30** I and *my* Father are one.

Author: John the Apostle    Timing: 90-95AD    Audience: The believers at the Church

The book of 1 John was written for several reasons; which we will explore this week below. The underlying theme of the book is confirming true faith and having confidence in our salvation.

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1. a) Describe the relationship John had with Jesus. b) Where did John meet Jesus? c) How did Jesus refer to him? John 13:23, John 19:26, John 20:2, John 21:17:20

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2. a) Who is John's Brother? Acts 12:2 b) Who is their Father? Mat 10:2-4 See intro by Gill.

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3. How many books of the Bible did John write? Name them.

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4. About when did John write the Book of 1<sup>st</sup> John? Where was he? See intro by Gill.

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5. Why did John write this Book? See Intro by Gill.

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6. What Book did John write on the Island of Patmos? Why was he there?

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7. What themes are repeated throughout the book of 1<sup>st</sup> John according to Scofield?

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8. When was the Gospel of John written relative to this book?

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9. Describe John role in the crucifixion of Christ? What relationship did he have with Mary the Mother of Jesus? John 19:26-27

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**Summary:**

**This introduction to the book of 1<sup>st</sup> John discusses God's human ghost writer, the time and setting, and other things about the nature of the book.**

**Thank you for attending,**

**Pat Turner**