

Study Objectives



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The Sabbath Rest Experiential Christianity

- Open
- Web Site Materials
 - Resources, PDF, Video & Sessions
- Necessity of Divine Rev/Communication
 - Prov. Paul Eph/Col.
- 1 JN Flyover
 - Lay of the Land: Reading with Focus
 - Relevance to Doing an Intro.
- 1 JN 1.1-4 Kipling Demo
- Q & A

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Study Method



Building Blocks of Faith

- Methodical Bible Study: Basic & Advanced Step
- Kipling in Experience
- Epistolary Method: Experience of Resident Life
- Know by the Knowing Experience

Blood of Christ



Building Blocks of Faith

- Incarnate God; Birth God/Man; New Creation
- Reality of the Blood; Human; Man
- Curse/LIFE
- Blood of Old/Blood of New
- Cry of the Heart "Abba Father"; Peace with God
- Experience of LIFE

Fellowship of LIFE



Building Blocks of Faith

- Have LIFE
- Testimony of the Father
- Having Believed Evidence of Faith
- Promise of the Spirit

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Building Blocks of Faith

- Definitions
- Synonyms
- Apostolic/Scriptural Unfolding – NT Epistles Interpretive Lens
- Exhortational Foundation

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Need MUST Have: **Divine Rev/Communication**

Heb 4:11 ¶ Let us therefore **strive to enter that rest**, that no one fall by the same sort of disobedience.

1Jo 5:14 ¶ And this is the confidence which we have in him, that if **we ask anything according to his will** he hears us.

15 And if we know that he hears us in whatever we ask, we know that we have obtained the requests made of him.

What are the things for which you pray?



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Pr 2:1 ¶ My son, if you receive my words and treasure up my commandments with you,

2 making your ear attentive to wisdom and inclining your heart to understanding;

3 yes, if you cry out for insight and raise your voice for understanding,

4 if you seek it like silver and search for it as for hidden treasures;

5 then you will understand the fear of the LORD and find the knowledge of God.

6 For the LORD gives wisdom; from his mouth come knowledge and understanding;

7 he stores up sound wisdom for the upright; he is a shield to those who walk in integrity,

8 guarding the paths of justice and preserving the way of his saints.

Eph 1:15 ¶ For this reason, because I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints,

16 I do not cease to give thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers,

17 that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and of revelation in the knowledge of him,

18 having the eyes of your hearts enlightened, that you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance in the saints,

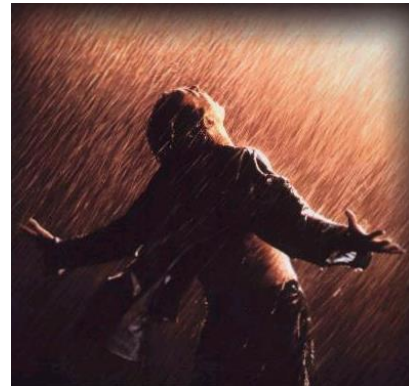
19 and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power in us who believe, according to the working of his great might

20 which he accomplished in Christ when he raised him from the dead and made him sit at his right hand in the heavenly places,

21 far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in that which is to come;

22 and he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church,

23 which is his body, the fulness of him who fills all in all.



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 15 from whom every family in heaven and on earth is named,
 16 that according to the riches of his glory he may grant you to be strengthened with might through his Spirit in the inner man,
 17 and that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith; that you, being rooted and grounded in love,
 18 **may have power to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth,**
 19 **and to know the love of Christ which surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled with all the fulness of God.**
 20 Now to him who by the power at work within us is able to do far more abundantly than all that we ask or think,
 21 to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations, for ever and ever. Amen.

Col 1:9 ¶ And so, from the day we heard of it, we have not ceased to pray for you, **asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of his will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding,**
 10 **to lead a life worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God.**
 11 May you be strengthened with all power, according to his glorious might, for all endurance and patience with joy,
 12 ¶ giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified us to share in the inheritance of the saints in light.
 13 He has delivered us from the dominion of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son,
 14 in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.



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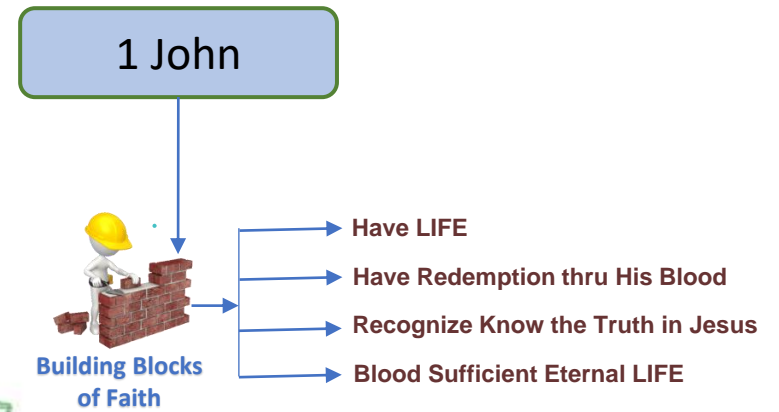
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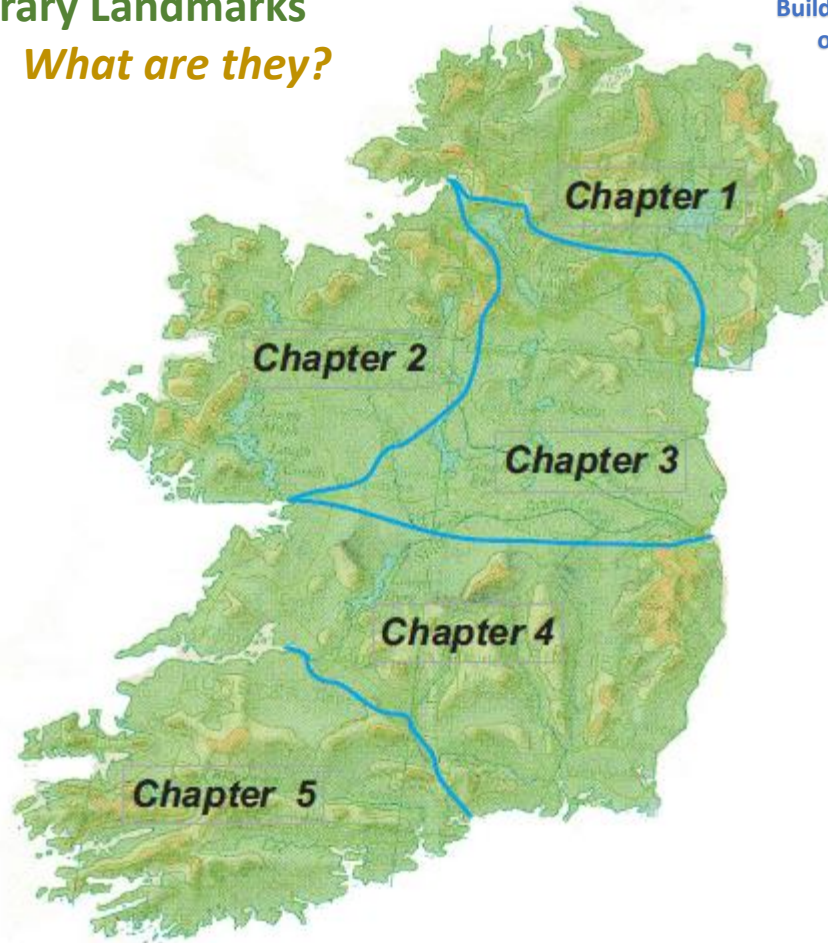
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Observing the Literary Landmarks

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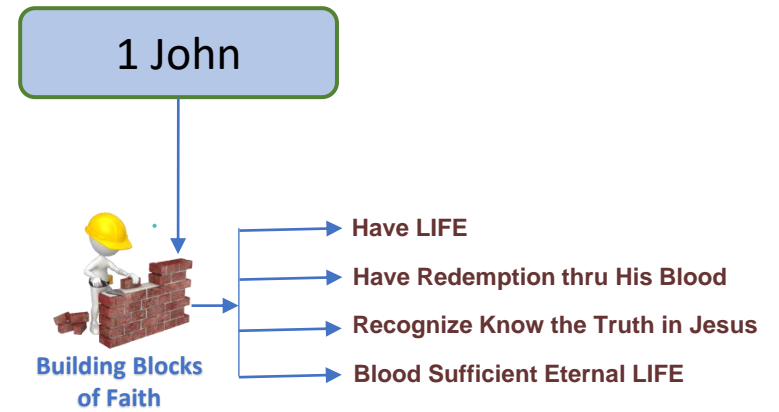
Author Readers Historical
Context Purpose
Themes/Topics Key Words
Key Phrases Atmosphere
Structure

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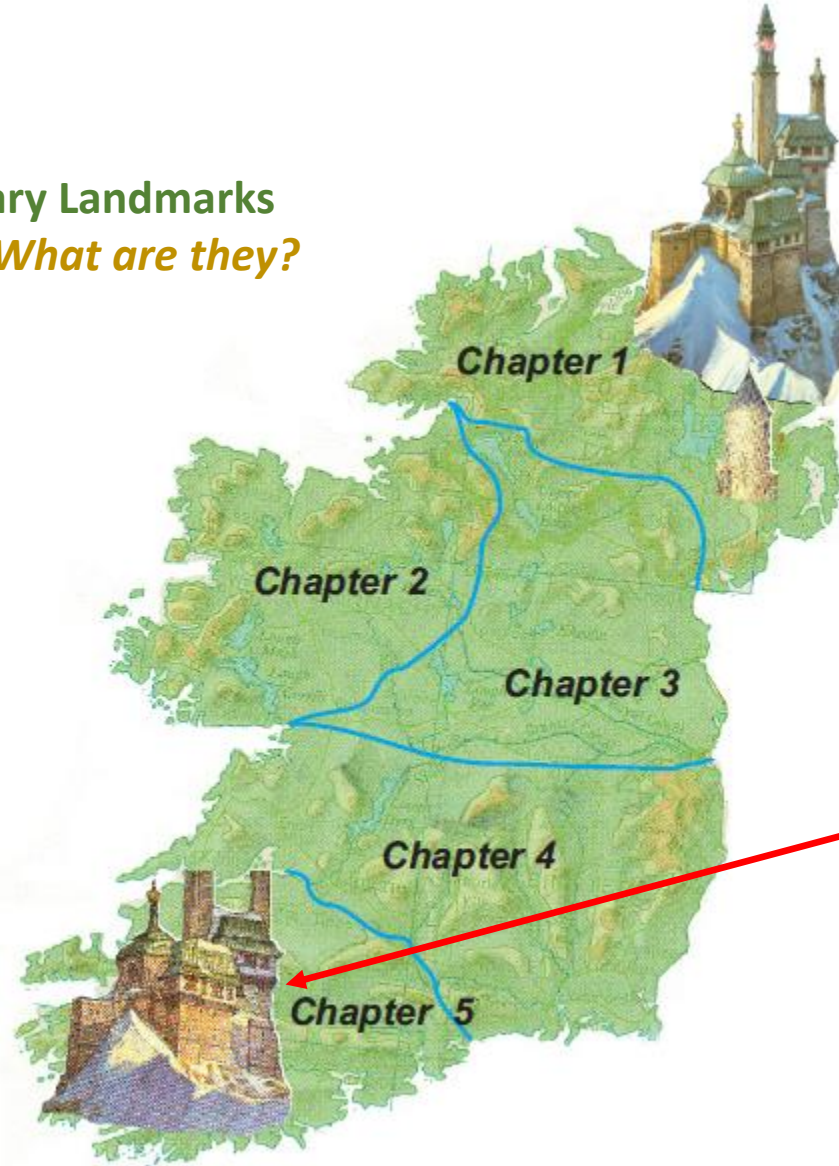
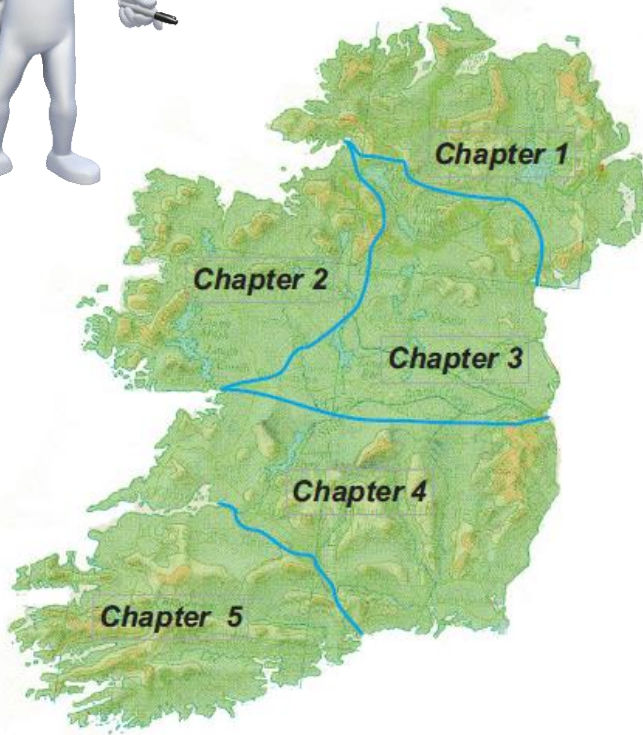
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The Gate Into the Epistle
1 JN 1.1-4 Paragraph 1

Content inside the Gates
 dictated by 'right of passage'.

The Gate out of the Epistle
1 JN 5.18-21 Paragraph Last

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Enough Time Spent In-country

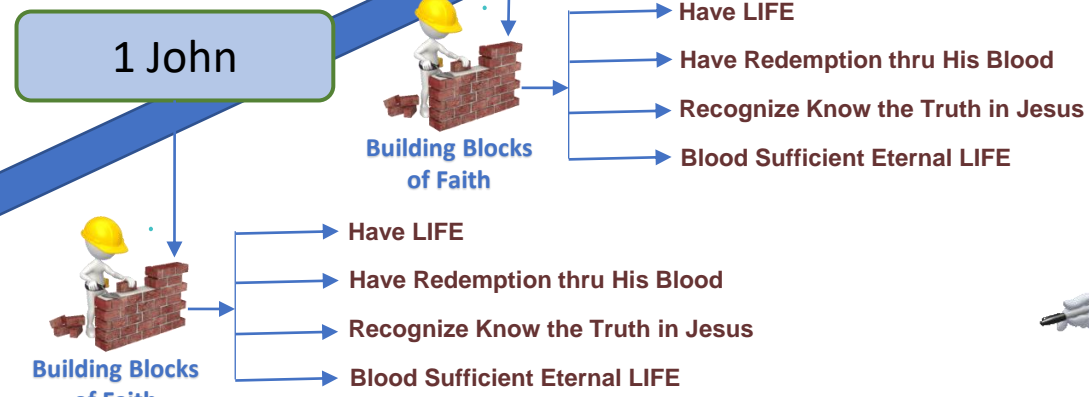
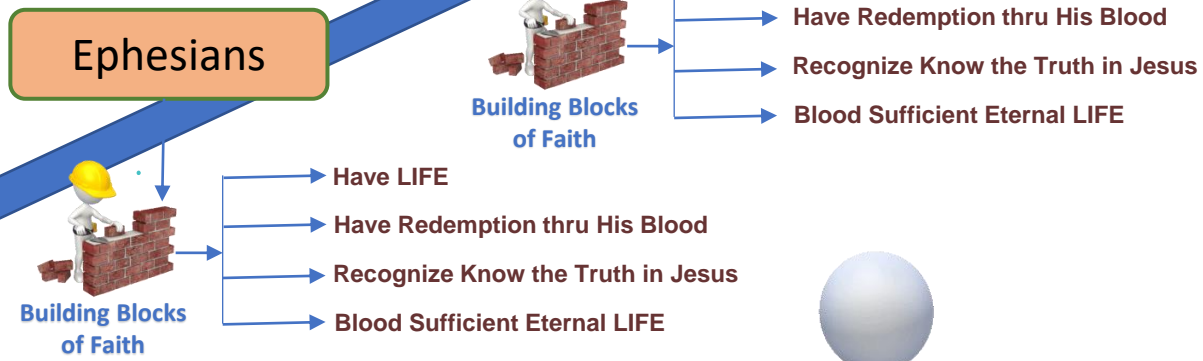
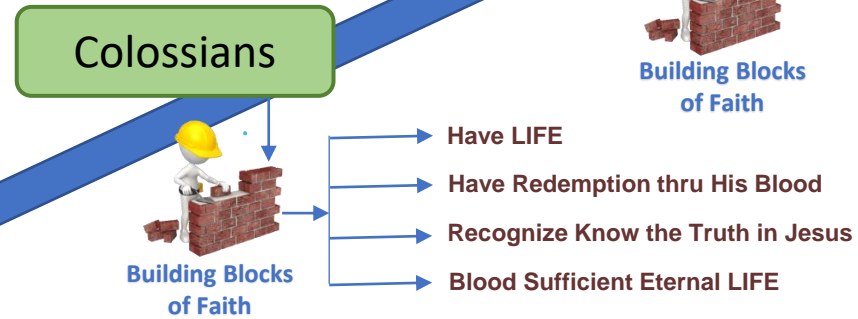
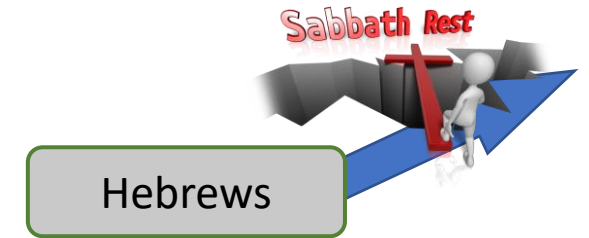
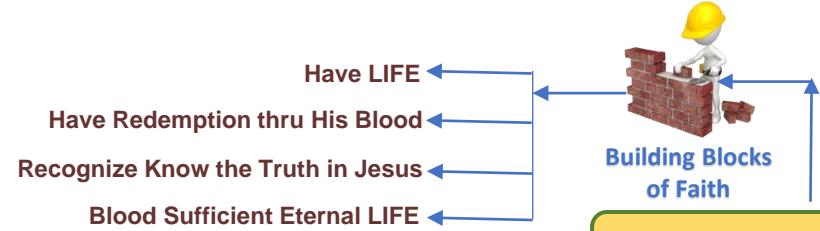
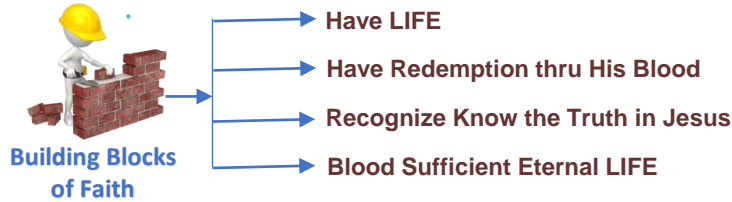
Map would yield a proper understanding of the actual Country.

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- ❑ 1 JN 1.1-4 Chart Function & Use
- ❑ Review & Progress

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Strive to Enter that REST

Discern Pitfalls

Heb 5:14 But solid food is for the mature, for those who have their faculties trained by practice to distinguish good from evil.

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Charted Demo Approach

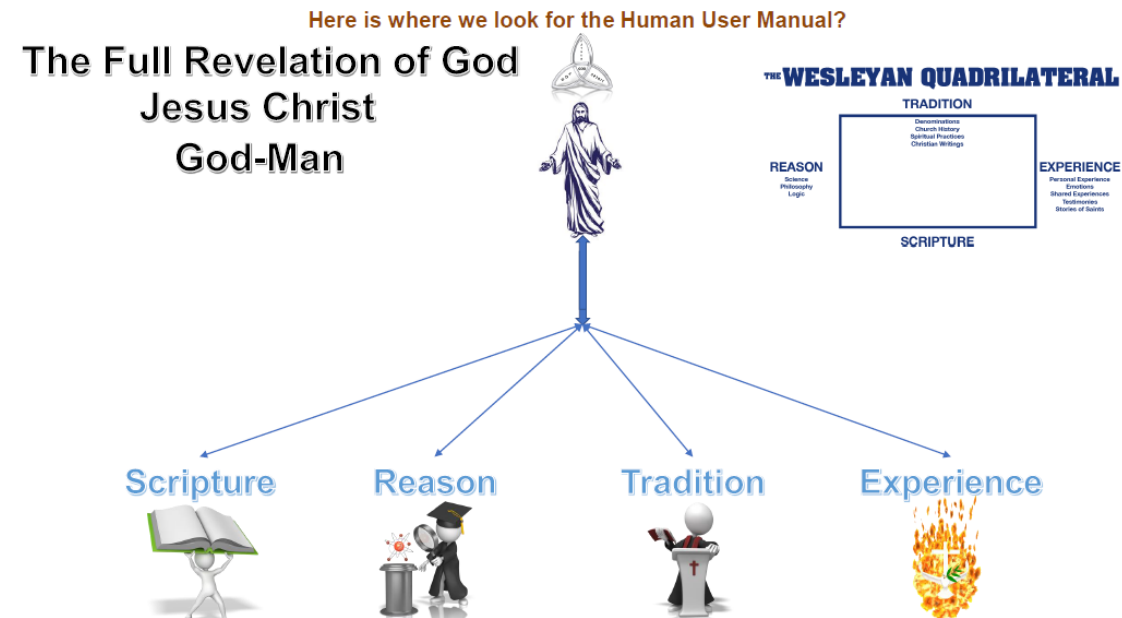


1Jo 1:1 ¶ That which was from the beginning, which we have heard, which we have seen with our eyes, which we have looked upon and touched with our hands, concerning the word of life--

2 the life was made manifest, and we saw it, and testify to it, and proclaim to you the eternal life which was with the Father and was made manifest to us--

3 that which we have seen and heard we proclaim also to you, so that you may have fellowship with us; and our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son Jesus Christ.

4 And we are writing this that our joy may be complete.



Information from

Author: John
Christ
Scripture
Reason
Tradition
Experience

Primary Sources for John

1 John
2 & 3 John
Gospel John

Secondary Sources for John

NT

Third Sources

Bks OT

Fourth Sources

Wesleyan Quad

Key Words/Concepts

That which
beginning
Physical senses
Word of life
manifest
Saw it
Testify proclaim
Eternal life
Father
Son Jesus Christ
Fellowship
Joy complete

WHAT?

What is the 'that'?
What does 'beginning' reference?
What is the significance of indicating physical senses?
What does 'word of life' mean?
What does 'manifest' in this context mean?
What does 'saw it' mean?
What is 'testify' and 'proclaim' in relation to 'manifest' and 'life'?
What is 'eternal life'?
What is conveyed by 'Father' and his Son Jesus Christ?
What does 'fellowship' mean in this context?
What is 'joy' and 'made complete'?

What is the 'that'?

What information am I given about the 'that'?
What are my sources of information?
How would I Categorize this information
Doctrine
Belief
Theory
Opinion
Experience
Testimony
Witness

What does 'beginning' reference?

What information do I have from John?
What are my sources of information?
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Why?

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Where?

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When?

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