

Connection Group

2 John

John wants the Church to live victoriously despite adversity. What two points does John highlight as the means for the church to walk in victory? (See 2nd John verse 4 for point #1 and verse 5 for point #2)

Just as John desires for the church to walk in victory, he also wants us to be aware of adversity. Read verse 7. What is our adversity? When does the bible describe as the days of the antichrist or last days (Hebrews 1:1-2, 9:26; 1 John 2:18, 4:13)? Do we face this type of adversity today? How should we respond?

2 John 4-6 emphasizes a command believers are to follow. John 13:34 provides the commandment 2 John 4-6 is referencing. According to John 13:34, How far is our love to extend? Why is this example so important for the church? How can our desire to live out this example allow the church to live in victory?

Galatians 2:11-15 Paul shares a story that illustrates the struggle to live in truth and love. Why does Paul use Peter as an example? Is Paul's point for us to think less of Peter? How important is love and truth in this passage?

According to Galatians 2:11-14, What caused Peter and Barnabas to give in to temptation? How would you encourage them, if you were Paul? Why is the Fear of the Lord important to living a godly Life? In your own biblical study, how does God give us an identity that can allow us to live with boldness for Him despite the peer pressure of others?

It is important to understand 2 John 10-11 in context. What do you believe 2 John 10-11 teaching us? Is it okay to invite others into your home? Why or why not?

Knowing John wants to exhort the church to live a victorious life of truth and love, why are the final 2 verses so fitting? verse 12-13