Topic: Children of God

I John 3:1-10

I. God the Father loves us (I John 3: 3-1)

- A. Be certain you are His Child (1)
- B. Be confirmed to His character (2)
- C. Be confirmed to consecration (3)

II. God the Son died for us (I John 3:4-8)

- A. Christ appeared and dealt with sin (4-5)
- B. Christians abide in Chrost and do not live in sin (6)
- C. The devil is a deceiver so pursue righteousness (7)
- D. The devil is a sinner who has been defeated (8)

III. God the Holy Spirit lives in us (I John 3:9-10)

- A. God's children have experienced a new birth (9)
- B. God's children have one another (10)

Study Questions

- 1. How were believers to respond to those who persisted in sin?
- 2. When will things be made known to believers?
- 3. Why did Christ appear?
- 4. What is the evidence of spiritual rebirth?
- 5. What did John say about believers?

Research Question

What are the two books in the New Testament that do not contain the name of the writer?