

Walking in Truth and Love

Having joy in Christ and leading others to do the same.

Sermon Questions

1. How would you define truth? _____
2. The three letters (1, 2, 3 John) are written in the context of false teachers bringing unrest to the church. (Yes/No)
3. What is “the truth” that John speaks about in this letter? _____
4. We are in a battle where the unrighteous suppress the truth; _____ the truth for a lie; and do not obey the truth. Therefore we must _____ the truth; expose the lie; and obey the truth.
5. Love and truth are like two sides where too much of one diminishes the other. (Yes/No)
6. We lose hold of truth and love when we lose focus on _____.
7. What is a good motivation for praying for good health?

8. List at least one reason why people left Paul: _____
9. List at least two passages that teach a direct connection between or parenting and our children walking in the truth: _____
10. Elders are called to have _____ who are believers (1 Tim 3:4–5; Titus 1:6).
11. What must be at the center of our homes and church if we are to walk in truth together?

Discussion/Meditation Questions

1. Can you relate to the joys (or the heartbreak) of seeing your children (physical or spiritual) walking in the truth? How does this help us to prioritize our lives?
2. How does Christ ensure we are anchored in truth and love without falling into some of the traps mentioned in the sermon?
3. Is there something that you must take action on in your family (or in the church) in light of this reminder of walking in the truth?
4. What was your most significant take-away from this passage and sermon? Share this with another brother or sister in the fellowship.

Extras for the Children

What song did you enjoy the most today? _____

What did you learn about God today? _____

What words did you not know today? _____

