



A Study of 1 John

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Lesson 9: "5th Test: Do You Love the World?" 1 John 2:15-17

Read 2 Corinthians 4:4. Notice how Satan is described—what are the different ways we see Satan operating in the world today? Make note of any traps into which you find yourself falling.

Read James 4:4. A _____ of the _____ is an enemy of God.

Do you realize that when you side with the world you are siding with God's enemy?

Make a list of the following areas in your life:

- Lusting after the world:
- Proudful:
- Succumbing to the flesh:

Compare those areas with the following verses:

Galatians 2:20

Luke 9:23

Galatians 5:24

1 Peter 4:1-11

Ephesians 4:20-24

John 12:25

Note how you are to live as a Christ follower through the examination of the above Scriptures.

Ask the Lord to reveal areas of sin in your life where you need to be refined and repentant. Thank Him for His gracious work and providence in your life.

Answers for fill in the blank question: friend, world