CAN WE KNOW FOR SURE? SALVATION 1 John 2:3-6

Obedience. 1 John 2:3-4

- <u>True</u> obedience. 1 John 2:3; 3:22, 24; 5:2-3; Matt. 28:19-20; John 13:12-17; Eph. 4:32; Matt. 5-7; John 8:31
- <u>False</u> obedience. 1 John 2:4; 1:6, 10; Titus 1:15-16; James 2:19; Matt. 7:21-23; Mark 1:24; 7:9

Love (motivation for obedience). 1 John 2:5

- Have to obey (<u>slave</u>). Matt. 20:27
- Need to obey (<u>employee</u>). Matt 20:26
- Want to obey (<u>love</u>). 1 John 2:5; John 14:15, 21, 23; 15:10; 1 John 2:1-2; John 1:14; Eph. 2:8-9; 4:32; 1 Pet. 3:9; 1 Cor. 6:19-20; Jer. 31:3

Walk. 1 John 2:6

- The walk of <u>Christ</u>. 1 John 2:6; Phil. 3:3-8; Gal. 4:4; John 17:4; 4:34; 5:30; 6:36
- The walk of <u>believers</u>. 1 John 2:6; 1 Pet. 2:21; Eph. 5:1; 4:32; Matt. 11:30; 16:24; John 15:1-10; 2 Pet. 3:18; Eph. 4:13-17; 5:1; 8, 15

Application.

- Step by step, <u>day</u> by day.
- Strengthen your <u>love</u> for God.
- Stay the course.