

# Christ the Life Giver Notes

John 1:10-13

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**Main Point:** When you receive and believe in Christ, you become a child of God.

**Jesus is not \_\_\_\_\_ by Most** (vs. 10).

1. The majority of people simply ignore the incarnation of Immanuel, not recognizing the "He was in the world."
2. To "know" means "to \_\_\_\_\_, recognize, or know relationally."

**Jesus is Rejected by His Own** (vs. 11).

1. Jesus came to His own people, but they rejected Him and even \_\_\_\_\_ Him.
2. God's people are the \_\_\_\_\_ people according to Deuteronomy 7:6.
3. The word "receive" means "to receive with \_\_\_\_\_, to welcome into one's home."
4. It also has the idea of "\_\_\_\_\_ and taking with."
5. While many are not interested in Jesus, others are incensed by Him and still others reject Him because they find Him to be repugnant (Isaiah 53:2-3).
6. The idiom "came to his own" means "to come \_\_\_\_\_."
7. Jesus came "home" to His own people who lived in the land promised to them, and they wouldn't take Him in.

**Received by Some** (vs. 12).

1. The word "all" reminds us that Jesus came for \_\_\_\_\_, not just for Jews.
2. It doesn't matter what you've done or how long you've been doing it, you can still \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus.
3. We must yield ourselves fully to Him by \_\_\_\_\_ on Him totally.
4. While it's important to acknowledge who Christ is in your head and even be affected emotionally in your heart, the key is to engage your \_\_\_\_\_ and commit yourself unreservedly and wholeheartedly to Him.
5. To believe means to "\_\_\_\_\_ in, rely on, and lean into."
6. The idea is to fully surrender to the Savior, to give yourself up to Him, to take yourself out of your own keeping and entrust yourself into His keeping.
7. The Bible says we must believe in \_\_\_\_\_ (John 6:29, 8:30, Acts 10:43).
8. The phrase "He gave the right" means God "gave of His own good will by bestowing on us that which we don't deserve."
9. The word "right" refers to "\_\_\_\_\_, privilege, and power."
10. Being a child of God is not a benefit we are automatically born with, it is a right \_\_\_\_\_ to us by a higher authority.
11. Born again believers are granted full permission, privilege, and power as God's children because we have been \_\_\_\_\_ into the forever family of God.

**You Can Be Regenerated by God (vs. 13).**

1. We are not saved...

- We are not saved by our \_\_\_\_\_.
- We are not saved by our \_\_\_\_\_.
- We are not saved by hard \_\_\_\_\_.

2. Nicodemus

- Impressive heredity.
- Overwhelming holiness
- Extremely hard worker.
- He wanted to know how to get to Heaven.
- Jesus told him, he needed to be \_\_\_\_\_ again from above (John 1:3, 3:7).