



# HTC SMALL GROUP

## *Discussion Questions*

**Sermon Title:** LIFE IN THE SON

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**Scripture:** 1 JOHN 5:1-15

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### **Read verses 1 John 5: 1-15**

1. This passage begins with themes we have looked at in previous chapters like being a child of God, love, and obedience. What insights or challenges do you get from verses 1-2?
2. Can you think of any commands that have felt like a burden for you? How does vs. 3 speak to that? What does Matthew 11:28-30 say about being burdened?
3. Why does overcoming the world help lift the burden of obedience?
4. **What does verse 7 mean when it says that “the Spirit, the water and the blood” testify in agreement?**
5. **Verse 9 says that God’s testimony is greater than man’s.** How have people switched this and made man’s greater?
6. **What is God’s testimony?**
7. **How does your testimony affirm God’s testimony?**
8. Have you ever had doubts about whether or not you are truly saved? What Bible verses caused those doubts? How does vs. 13 remove uncertainty over salvation?
9. Based on verses 14-15, what is essential if the Lord is to hear and answer our prayers? How does this shape the way we approach prayer?
10. **What topics from our discussion really challenge you? How can you apply what you’ve learned?**