The Test

2Co 13:5 Examine yourselves, to see whether you are in the faith. Test yourselves. Or do you not realize this about yourselves, that Jesus Christ is in you?—unless indeed you fail to meet the test!



David Letterman's Top 10 List

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Top 10 Evidences you are born again

Top 10 Evidences you are not born again

- 10) You walk in the light
- 1Jn 1:5 This is the message we have heard from him and proclaim to you, that God is light, and in him is no darkness at all.
- 1Jn 1:6 If we say we have fellowship with him while we walk in darkness, we lie and do not practice the truth.
- 1Jn 1:7 But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin.
- 1Jn 1:8 If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.
- 1Jn 1:9 If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.
- 1Jn 1:10 If we say we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us.
- 10) You walk in darkness

- 9) You Keep His Commandments
- 1Jn 2:1 My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous.
- 1Jn 2:2 He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world.
- 1Jn 2:3 And by this we know that we have come to know him, if we keep his commandments.
- 1Jn 2:4 Whoever says "I know him" but does not keep his commandments is a liar, and the truth is not in him,
- 1Jn 2:5 but whoever keeps his word, in him truly the love of God is perfected. By this we may know that we are in him:
- 1Jn 2:6 whoever says he abides in him ought to walk in the same way in which he walked.

9) You do not keep His Commandments

- 8) You Love your Brothers
- 1Jn 2:9 Whoever says he is in the light and hates his brother is still in darkness.
- 1Jn 2:10 Whoever loves his brother abides in the light, and in him there is no cause for stumbling.
- 1Jn 2:11 But whoever hates his brother is in the darkness and walks in the darkness, and does not know where he is going, because the darkness has blinded his eyes.

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- 1Jn 3:11 For this is the message that you have heard from the beginning, that we should love one another.
- 1Jn 3:12 We should not be like Cain, who was of the evil one and murdered his brother. And why did he murder him? Because his own deeds were evil and his brother's righteous.
- 1Jn 3:13 Do not be surprised, brothers, that the world hates you.
- 1Jn 3:14 We know that we have passed out of death into life, because we love the brothers. Whoever does not love abides in death.
- 1Jn 3:15 Everyone who hates his brother is a murderer, and you know that no murderer has eternal life abiding in him.
- 1Jn 3:16 By this we know love, that he laid down his life for us, and we ought to lay down our lives for the brothers.
- 1Jn 3:17 But if anyone has the world's goods and sees his brother in need, yet closes his heart against him, how does God's love abide in him?
- 1Jn 3:18 Little children, let us not love in word or talk but in deed and in truth.
- 8) You Hate your Brothers

- 7) You Continue in the Faith
- 1Jn 2:18 Children, it is the last hour, and as you have heard that antichrist is coming, so now many antichrists have come. Therefore we know that it is the last hour.
- 1Jn 2:19 They went out from us, but they were not of us; for if they had been of us, they would have continued with us. But they went out, that it might become plain that they all are not of us.

• 7) You leave the Faith

• 6) You Declare The Son (Jesus)

• 1Jn 2:23 No one who denies the Son has the Father. Whoever confesses the Son has the Father also.

• 6) You Deny the Son

- 5) You Practice Righteousness
- 1Jn 2:29 If you know that he is righteous, you may be sure that everyone who practices righteousness has been born of him.

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- 1Jn 3:4 Everyone who makes a practice of sinning also practices lawlessness; sin is lawlessness.
- 1Jn 3:5 You know that he appeared in order to take away sins, and in him there is no sin.
- 1Jn 3:6 No one who abides in him keeps on sinning; no one who keeps on sinning has either seen him or known him.
- 1Jn 3:7 Little children, let no one deceive you. Whoever practices righteousness is righteous, as he is righteous.
- 1Jn 3:8 Whoever makes a practice of sinning is of the devil, for the devil has been sinning from the beginning. The reason the Son of God appeared was to destroy the works of the devil.
- 1Jn 3:9 No one born of God makes a practice of sinning, for God's seed abides in him, and he cannot keep on sinning because he has been born of God.
- 1Jn 3:10 By this it is evident who are the children of God, and who are the children of the devil: whoever does not practice righteousness is not of God, nor is the one who does not love his brother.
- 5) You Practice Sinning

- 4) You have the Holy Spirit
- 1Jn 3:23 And this is his commandment, that we believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as he has commanded us.
- 1Jn 3:24 Whoever keeps his commandments abides in God, and God in him. And by this we know that he abides in us, by the Spirit whom he has given us.
- This is how we know:
- 1Jn 4:4 Little children, you are from God and have overcome them, for he who is in you is greater than he who is in the world.
- 1Jn 4:5 They are from the world; therefore they speak from the world, and the world listens to them.
- 1Jn 4:6 We are from God. Whoever knows God listens to us; whoever is not from God does not listen to us.
 By this we know the Spirit of truth and the spirit of error.
- 4) You do not have the Holy Spirit

- 3) You have God's Love in You
- 1Jn 4:10 In this is love, not that we have loved God but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins.
- 1Jn 4:11 Beloved, if God so loved us, we also ought to love one another.
- 1Jn 4:12 No one has ever seen God; if we love one another, God abides in us and his love is perfected in us.
- 1Jn 4:13 By this we know that we abide in him and he in us, because he has given us of his Spirit.
- 1Jn 4:14 And we have seen and testify that the Father has sent his Son to be the Savior of the world.
- 1Jn 4:15 Whoever confesses that Jesus is the Son of God, God abides in him, and he in God.
- 1Jn 4:16 So we have come to know and to believe the love that God has for us. God is love, and whoever abides in love abides in God, and God abides in him.
- 1Jn 4:17 By this is love perfected with us, so that we may have confidence for the day of judgment, because as he is so also are we in this world.
- 1Jn 4:18 There is no fear in love, but perfect love casts out fear. For fear has to do with punishment, and whoever fears has not been perfected in love.
- 1Jn 4:19 We love because he first loved us.
- 1Jn 4:20 If anyone says, "I love God," and hates his brother, he is a liar; for he who does not love his brother whom he has seen cannot love God whom he has not seen.
- 1Jn 4:21 And this commandment we have from him: whoever loves God must also love his brother.
- 3) You have Hate Abiding in You

- 2) You have Faith that Overcomes Fear
- 1Jn 5:1 Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the Father loves whoever has been born of him.
- 1Jn 5:2 By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments.
- 1Jn 5:3 For this is the love of God, that we keep his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome.
- 1Jn 5:4 For everyone who has been born of God overcomes the world. And this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith.
- 1Jn 5:5 Who is it that overcomes the world except the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

• 2) You have Fear that Overcomes Faith

- 1) You Believe in the Son of God
- 1Jn 5:10 Whoever believes in the Son of God has the testimony in himself.
 Whoever does not believe God has made him a liar, because he has not believed in the testimony that God has borne concerning his Son.
- 1Jn 5:11 And this is the testimony, that God gave us eternal life, and this life is in his Son.
- 1Jn 5:12 Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life.
- 1Jn 5:13 I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God that you may know that you have eternal life.
- 1) You do not Believe