

THE FIRST EPISTLE OF JOHN

PURPOSE: TO ENABLE BELIEVERS TO BE SURE OF SALVATION, 5:13			
Prologue	Walking in the Light Tested by Righteousness, Love and Belief	Divine Sonship Family Tested By Righteousness, Love, and Belief	Interrelationship of Love, Belief, and Righteousness
The Apostolic Gospel	(1:8-2:6) Tested by Righteousness	(2:29-3:10) Tested by Righteousness	(4:7-5:3a) Love (5:3b-21) Belief
	(2:7-17) Tested by Love	(3:10-24) Tested by Love	
	(2:18-28) Tested by Belief	(3:24-4:6) Tested by Belief	
	First Cycle of Tests	Second Cycle of Tests	Third Cycle of Tests
1:1-4	1.5-2:28	2:29-4:6	4:7-5:21

Adapted from Robert Law, *The Tests of Life*