

Light, Love, & Life Series:
How The Incarnation Helps Us Live Out The Sacred
The Current and Future Hope of Eternal Life
1 John 2:25-29

- I. The Promise of Eternal Life (25)
 - A. What is eternal life?
 - B. How can we truly comprehend this hope-filled blessing?
- II. The Source For Our Guidance In Eternal Life (26-27)
 - A. Beware of the false teachers trying to deceive you (in the true nature of the gospel)
 - B. “The anointing” – likely a reference to the person of the Holy Spirit
 - 1. He abides in us
 - 2. He teaches us
 - 3. “No need for anyone to teach you”
- III. The Present and Future Hope (28)
 - A. We must abide in Jesus presently – eternal life beings now
 - B. We must abide for confidence in the future coming – eternal life is just that – eternal
- IV. The Practice of Righteousness (29)
 - A. He is righteous
 - B. If we abide in Him and live as He lived, we will practice righteousness, demonstrating we are born of Him
 - C. It is important to note, practicing righteousness does not cause us to be born of God – it reflects that we have been born of God