

First words:

A. John writes to the authentic fellowship because of

1. We know the _____ - **1 John 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.*

2. We know the _____ - **1 John 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.*

3. We know the _____ - **1 John 2:20** - *But you have been anointed by the Holy One, and you all have knowledge.*

B. John writes to the authentic fellowship because of

1. We know the _____ - **1 John 2:21** - *I write to you, not because you do not know the truth, but because you know it, and because no lie is of the truth.*

2. Who doesn't know the _____ - **1 John 2:22-23a** - *Who is the liar but he who denies that Jesus is the Christ? This is the antichrist, he who denies the Father and the Son.²³ No one who denies the Son has the Father.*

3. Who knows the _____ - **1 John 2:23b** - *Whoever confesses the Son has the Father also.*

4. We know how to stay in the _____ - **1 John 2:24-25** - *Let what you heard from the beginning abide in you. If what you heard from the beginning abides in you, then you too will abide in the Son and in the Father.²⁵ And this is the promise that he made to us—eternal life.*

C. John writes to the authentic fellowship because of

1. We know the _____ – **1 John 2:26** - *I write these things to you about those who are trying to deceive you.*

2. We know the _____ – **1 John 2:27**- *But the anointing that you received from him abides in you, and you have no need that anyone should teach you. But as his anointing teaches you about everything, and is true, and is no lie—just as it has taught you, abide in him.*

So...What's it to me?

AUTHENTIC
fellowship

— A STUDY FROM THE BOOK OF 1ST JOHN —

One in Christ . Walking in the Light . Loving one Another . Living in Truth

“We Can Handle the Truth!!!”
1 John 2:18-27

1 JOHN 1:3

So that you too may have FELLOWSHIP with us; and
indeed our fellowship is with the FATHER and with
His SON JESUS CHRIST

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