

### **NOTES:**

# 1, 2, & 3 JOHN

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#### KEY THEMES

1 John focuses on the basics of the Christian life. 2nd John focuses on loving God and loving others. 3rd John encourages steadfastness in the face of persecution.

#### 1 JOHN 1:9

"If we confess our sins he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness."



## SYNOPSIS:

All three letters are written to encourage the church. They are encouraged to overcome, being reminded that Christ is greater than the evil in the world. They are encouraged to love one another. They are encouraged to remain steadfast in the face of opposition.