

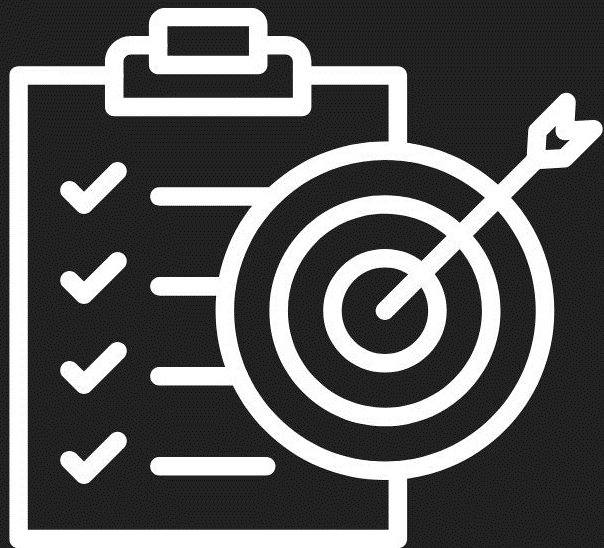
CERTAIN ETERNITY



THE LETTER OF FIRST JOHN

**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 John 5:13



GOAL 1:

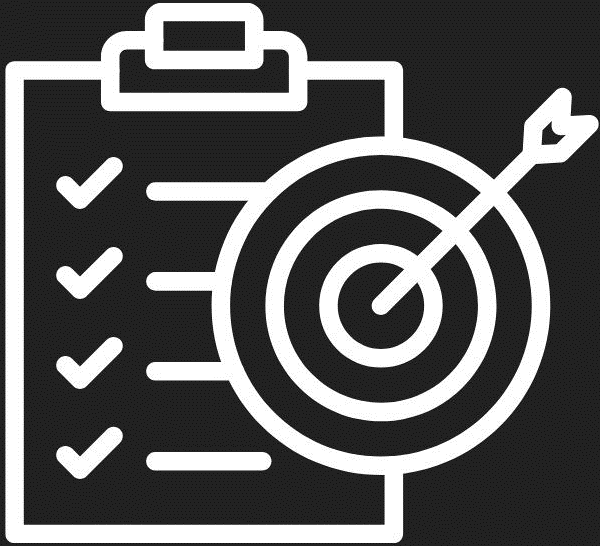
Know and Live
A Certain Eternity

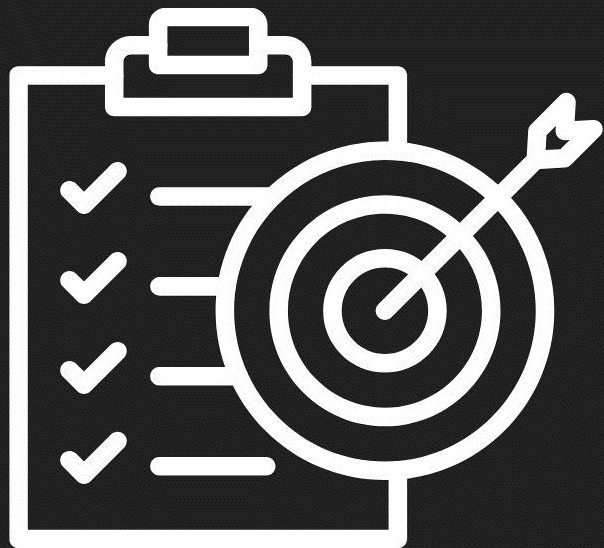
(Over 30 evidences of a transformed heart!)

GOAL 2:

Know and Live

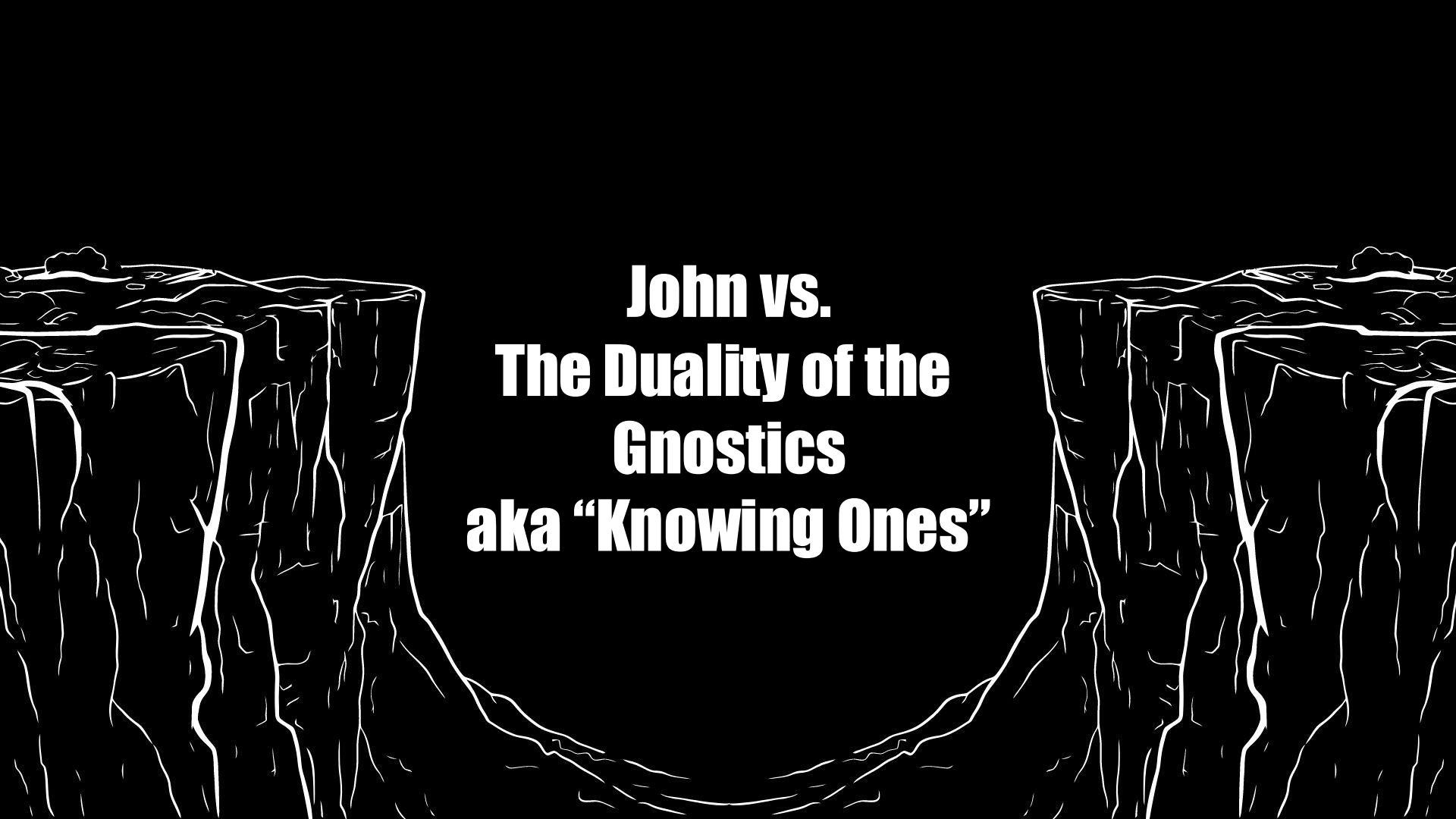
**Yahweh's Kingdom
versus
the kingdom of the
world**





GOAL 3:

Know and Live
Good Theology



**John vs.
The Duality of the
Gnostics
aka “Knowing Ones”**

Christology

**Jesus is fully God:
preeminent, immutable
&**

**Jesus is fully man:
heard, seen, touched**



**“That which was from the beginning,
which we have heard,
which we have seen with our eyes,
which we looked upon
and have touched with our hands,
concerning the word of life...”**

1 John 1:1

**In the beginning was the *Word*, and the *Word* was
with God, and the *Word* was God.**

John 1:1

**And the *Word* became flesh and dwelt among us, and
we have seen his glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father,
full of grace and truth.**

John 1:14

**He is clothed in a robe dipped in blood,
and the name by which he is called is The *Word* of God.**

Revelation 19:13

Most popular affectionate nicknames around the world

Arabic

حبي (My love)
حبيبي (My dear)
روحي (My soul)
عمري (Sweetie)
حياتي (My life)

Chinese

宝贝 / 宝宝 (Baby)
亲爱的 (Honey)
老公 (Husband)
甜心 (Sweetheart)
老婆 (Wife)

Dutch

Liefje (Sweetheart)
Lieverd (Darling)
Schat (Treasure)
Schatje (Baby)
Babe

German

Schatz (Treasure)
Maus (Mouse)
Schätzchen (Baby)
Hase (Hare)
Babe

Greek

αγάπη μου (My love)
Μωρο μου (My baby)
αγάπη (Love)
μωρο (Baby)
ψυχη μου (My soul)

Hebrew

יבוב (Bobby)
בייב (Babe)
ילש מייח (My life)
ימאמ (Sweetie)
קתומ (Honey)

English Overall

Babe
Honey
Baby
Sweetie
Love

English - Australia

Babe
Honey
Baby
Love
Sweetie

English - Canada

Honey
Babe
Sweetie
Baby
Love

Italian

Amore (Love)
Tesoro (Treasure)
Amo (I love)
Cucciola (Puppy)
Piccola (Small)

Japanese

ハニー (Honey)
ベイビー (Baby)
愛 (Love)
ダーリン (Darling)
ディーア (Deer)

Polish

Kochanie (Baby)
Kotek (Kitten)
Kotku (Kitty)
Misiu (Bear)
Skarbie (Honey)

English - UK

Babe
Darling
Love
Honey
Baby

English - U.S.

Baby
Honey
Babe
Sweetie
Love

French

Bébé (Babe)
Cheri (Dear)
Mon Amour (My love)
Mon Coeur (My heart)
Chaton (Kitten)

Portuguese

Bebé (Baby)
Amor (Love)
Querido/a (Dear)
Fofinho (Cute)
Princesa (Princess)

Spanish

Amor (Love)
Bebe (Baby)
Cariño (Dear)
Cielo (Darling)
Corazon (Heart)

Ukrainian

Сонечко (Ladybug)
Зайка (Bunny)
Котик (Cat)
Коханий (Beloved)
милий (Nice)

**By the word of the Lord the heavens were made, and by
the breath of his mouth all their host.**

Psalm 33:6

**By faith we understand that the universe was created
by the word of God, so that what is seen was not made out of
things that are visible.**

Hebrews 11:3

“And God said...”

Genesis 1-3

**For by him all things were created, in heaven
and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or
dominions or rulers or authorities—all things were created
through him and for him.**

Colossians 1:16

**In the beginning was the Word, and the Word
was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the
beginning with God. All things were made through him, and
without him was not any thing made that was made. In him
was life, and the life was the light of men. The light shines in
the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it.**

John 1:1-5

**Long ago, at many times and in many ways,
God spoke to our fathers by the prophets,
but in these last days he has spoken to us
by his Son, whom he appointed the heir of all things,
through whom also he created the world.**

Hebrews 1:1-2

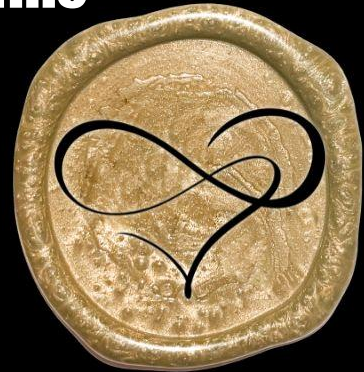
“The Word! Thoughts remain invisible and inaudible until they are clothed in words. With words, what we think and feel and are can be known. And just as our words reveal us, so, too, the Lord Jesus, as “the Word of life” clothes and reveals the great thoughts and feelings of God regarding our sin and our salvation.”

John Phillips



In summary, Greek philosophers, in attempting to understand the relationship between God and the universe, spoke of an unknown mediator between God and the universe, naming this mediator, “Logos”. John tells them that this mediator unknown to them is our Lord Jesus, and thus he uses the same name ‘Lógos.’”

Marvin Vincent



Zoe = Life!



If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth. For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.

Colossians 3:1-4

Do I appreciate God's relatability through Jesus?



**Apply
the
Word**

**And he made from one man every nation of
mankind to live on all the face of the earth,
having determined allotted periods and the boundaries of their
dwelling place, that they should seek God, and perhaps feel their
way toward him and find him.**

Yet he is actually not far from each one of us

Acts 17:26-27

**Seek the Lord while he may be found;
call upon him while he is near**

Isaiah 55:6

**Have I received the true,
eternal life that only Jesus Christ offers?**



**Apply
the
Word**

**Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth,
and the life. No one comes to the Father except
through me."**

John 14:6

Do I live as if Christ is my life?



Apply
the
Word

He must increase, but I must decrease.

John 3:30

For to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain.

Philippians 1:21

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