Evidences of Genuine Salvation

from the Epistle of 1 John

* God wants all of his children to have assurance of their salvation What Are the proofs that you are a child of God?

- 1. <u>BELIEF</u> IN JESUS AS THE CHRIST (MESSIAH) 1 John 5:1
- 2. PERSONAL <u>RECEPTION</u> OF THE SON OF GOD 1 John 5:10-13
- 3. <u>OBEDIENCE</u> TO GOD'S COMMANDS 1 John 2:3; 1 John 2:5; 1 John 3:24
- 4. <u>CONTINUANCE</u> IN THE FAITH 1 John 2:19; 1 John 2:24-25
- 5. A LIFESTYLE OF <u>RIGHTEOUSNESS</u> 1 John 2:29
- 6. A <u>NEW NATURE</u> WHICH DOES NOT PRACTICE SIN 1 John 3:9; 1 John 5:18
- 7. A <u>LOVE</u> FOR THE BRETHREN 1 John 3:14-15; 1 John 3:18-19; 1 John 4:7
- 8. THE <u>HOLY SPIRIT'S</u> CONFIRMING <u>WITNESS</u> 1 John 3:24; 1 John 4:13 Evidences of Genuine Salvation