

Come and See: The New Birth  
John 2:23 - 3:21

In God, Love, Not Law, Sets the Course - Jo 3:16

- God is not against the world, but for it
- Love sees the need behind the fault

God's Love Is a Holy Passion for Oneness - I Cor 6:17; Jo 17:11,21,22

- God so loves us that He'd rather die than live without us! - Ro 5:8-10; 8:32; Ga 2:20

Flesh Can Never, On Its Own, Participate in Spirit - Jo 3:3,6; Ro 8:8

- No human being can ever raise himself to God's level - Jo 3:13
  - ...the life that comes from Adam can never get to God
- We must be born again/from above - Jo 3:7
  - ...origin determines destiny - Jo 3:3,8:14,23

New Birth Is Both a Necessity and a Mystery - Jo 3:3,7,8

- It is not like being born again... it is being born again

A Personal Response Is Required - Jo 3:16

- "Whoever": the greatest of all invitations - Jo 4:14; Ro 10:13; I Jo 5:1
  - ...comes from God Himself
  - ...open to all
- "Believes into Him": only His Life and His walk can put us right with God"
  - ...receives the gift of My non-perishable Life - Jo 3:16
- We will die and spend eternity in the "life" of our most recent birth
  - ...from below or from above!