## True Love Tells... us undoubtedly and unequivocally that we are eternally secure 1 John 5

Why can followers of Jesus Christ live confidently in a world of uncertainty?

Followers of Jesus can live confidently in a world of uncertainty because...

- I. They have been given victory over the world: their faith 1 John 5:1-5.
- II. They have been given victory over death: the life and death of Christ 1 John 5:6-12.
  - a. Water, blood and Spirit (John 1:26,31,33, 19:31-37).
  - b. Overcoming death- eternal life.
- III. They have been given victory over the devil: the intercessory ministry of Christ and the church 1 John 5:13-21.
  - a. The intercessory ministry of Christ and the church vs. 13-17.
  - b. Victory over the devil- Unmasking the enemy.

Stop taking Satan's bait of doubt, fear and anxiety! Instead, live confidently, Trusting Christ's eternal security.

- 1. Are you willing to stand up to the peer pressure of the world confidently trusting God's word in faith? You have been called to be a witness and more than an overcomer through Him who is the foundation of our faith.
- 2. Death may be an inevitable reality of this broken world but is not the ultimate reality in God's kingdom. How does your life show that you are willing to live this life relying on Chrit's eternal security knowing the best is yet to come?
- 3. When the devil attacks you with lies or temptations, prayer is the shield of faith that extinguishes his flaming arrows (Ephesians 6:16). Pray today so that you may stand firm today and tomorrow.