

# 1 John Pt. 11

## So You May Know You Believe

1. Believers \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ by acknowledging \_\_\_\_\_.

### 1 John 4:1-6 (NIV)

<sup>1</sup> Dear friends, do not believe every spirit, but test the spirits to see whether they are from God, because many false prophets have gone out into the world.

<sup>2</sup> This is how you can recognize the Spirit of God: Every spirit that acknowledges that Jesus Christ has come in the flesh is from God,

<sup>3</sup> but every spirit that does not acknowledge Jesus is not from God. This is the spirit of the antichrist, which you have heard is coming and even now is already in the world.

<sup>4</sup> You, dear children, are from God and have overcome them, because the one who is in you is greater than the one who is in the world.

<sup>5</sup> They are from the world and therefore speak from the viewpoint of the world, and the world listens to them.

<sup>6</sup> We are from God, and whoever knows God listens to us; but whoever is not from God does not listen to us. This is how we recognize the Spirit of truth and the spirit of falsehood.

### What you use as a base to test the spirits

2. Acknowledge that in Jesus, \_\_\_\_\_ came into the \_\_\_\_\_.

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### How do you test the spirits

3. Look to see if Jesus is getting the \_\_\_\_\_ .  
**John 5:46; Luke 24:44-45; Revelation 1:8.**

4. Look to see if Jesus is \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ .  
**Philippians 2:8-11.**

5. Look to see if \_\_\_\_\_ is receiving the \_\_\_\_\_ .  
**Psalms 77:11; Acts 2:22; John 11:40-42; 1 Corinthians 1:22-23.**

6. Look to see if Jesus is \_\_\_\_\_ all the \_\_\_\_\_ .  
**Ephesians 2:1-2, 4-5, 9.**

7. Look to see if \_\_\_\_\_ has the \_\_\_\_\_.  
**Isaiah 14:13-14; 2 Corinthians 12:9-10.**

8. The reason why God does not show himself for our eyes to see is because  
he wants us to have an understanding of what His \_\_\_\_\_ looks like.  
His Heart is \_\_\_\_\_ when He came in the \_\_\_\_\_.