



1 John 4:1-6 “Beloved, do not believe every spirit, but test the spirits, whether they are of God; because many false prophets have gone out into the world. ²By this you know the Spirit of God: Every spirit that confesses that Jesus Christ has come in the flesh is of God, ³and every spirit that does not confess that Jesus Christ has come in the flesh is not of God. And this is the spirit of the Antichrist, which you have heard was coming, and is now already in the world. ⁴You are of God, little children, and have overcome them, because He who is in you is greater than he who is in the world. ⁵They are of the world. Therefore they speak as of the world, and the world hears them. ⁶We are of God. He who knows God hears us; he who is not of God does not hear us. By this we know the spirit of truth and the spirit of error.”

约翰一书4:1 亲爱的弟兄啊，一切的灵，你们不可都信，总要试验那些灵是出于神的不是，因为世上有许多假先知已经出来了。4:2 凡灵认耶稣基督是成了肉身来的，就是出于神的，从此你们可以认出神的灵来；4:3 凡灵不认耶稣，就不是出于神，这是那敌基督者的灵。你们从前听见他要来，现在已经在世上了。4:4 小子们哪，你们是属神的，并且胜了他们，因为那在你们里面的，比那在世界上的更大。4:5 他们是属世界的，所以论世界的事，世人也听从他们。4:6 我们是属神的，认识神的就听从我们；不属神的，就不听从我们。从此我们可以认出真理的灵和谬妄的灵来。

1. We Must Be Discerning Because SATAN IS ACTIVE 我们必须有分辨真假的能力，因为撒旦在做工

约翰一书 4:1

1 John 3:24 “And by this we know that He abides in us, by the Spirit whom He has given us.”

约翰一书 3:24 遵守神命令的，就住在神里面，神也住在他里面。我们所以知道神住在我们里面，是因他所赐给我们的圣灵。

*Acts 17:11-12 “These [the Bereans] were more fair-minded than those in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with all readiness, and searched the Scriptures daily to find out whether these things were so. 12 Therefore many of them believed, and also not a few of the Greeks, prominent women as well as men.”*使徒行传 17:11 这地方的人贤于帖撒罗尼迦的人，甘心领受这道，天天考查圣经，要晓得这道是与不是。17:12 所以他们中间多有相信的，又有希腊尊贵的妇女，男子也不少。

2. Test One: What Do They Say ABOUT JESUS CHRIST ? 试验一：他们如何评论耶稣？

约翰一书 4:2-3

Two Aspects John Brings Out: 约翰指出了两个方面：

1. Jesus IS GOD 耶稣是神
2. Jesus WAS MAN 耶稣是人

3. Test Two: Is THE BIBLE their Sole Authority 试验二：圣经是否是唯一的权威？

约翰一书 4:4-6

Two Types of People Compared Here: 这里比较了两种人

1. Those of THE WORLD 属世界的
2. Those of GOD 属神的