

1 John 5:13:21 ¹³These things I have written to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, that you may know that you have eternal life, and that you may continue to believe in the name of the Son of God. ¹⁴Now this is the confidence that we have in Him, that if we ask anything according to His will, He hears us. ¹⁵And if we know that He hears us, whatever we ask, we know that we have the petitions that we have asked of Him. 16 If anyone sees his brother sinning a sin which does not lead to death, he will ask, and He will give him life for those who commit sin not leading to death. There is sin leading to death. I do not say that he should pray about that. ¹⁷All unrighteousness is sin, and there is sin not *leading* to death. ¹⁸We know that whoever is born of God does not sin; but he who has been born of God keeps himself, and the wicked one does not touch him. ¹⁹We know that we are of God, and the whole world lies under the sway of the wicked one. ²⁰And we know that the Son of God has come and has given us an understanding, that we may know Him who is true; and we are in Him who is true, in His Son Jesus Christ. This is the true God and eternal life. ²¹Little children, keep yourselves from idols. Amen. 约翰一书 5:13 我将这些话写给你们信奉 神儿子之名的人,要叫你们知道自己有永 生。5:14 我们若照他的旨意求什么,他就听我们,这是我们向他所存坦然无惧的心。5:15 既然 知道他听我们一切所求的,就知道我们所求于他的,无不得着。5:16 人若看见弟兄犯了不至于 神必将生命赐给他;有至于死的罪,我不说当为这罪祈求。5:17凡 死的罪,就当为他祈求, 不义的事都是罪,也有不至于死的罪。5:18 我们知道凡从 神生的,必不犯罪,从 神生的, 必保守自己(有古卷作"那从神生的必保护他"),那恶者也就无法害他。5:19 我们知道我们 神的,全世界都卧在那恶者手下; 5:20 我们也知道 神的儿子已经来到,且将智慧赐给 我们,使我们认识那位真实的,我们也在那位真实的里面,就是在他儿子耶稣基督里面。这是 真神,也是永生。5:21 小子们哪,你们要自守,远避偶像。

Why do we know we are part of the family? 我们为什么知道我们是神大家庭的一员?

- 1. We Have ETERNAL LIFE (vs 13) 我们有永生
 - 约翰一书5:13 我将这些话写给你们信奉神儿子之名的人,要叫你们知道自己有永生。
 - Principle: I "feel at home" because I have the eternal life, <u>JESUS</u>
 我"有家的感觉"是因为我有永生,耶稣
- 2. God ANSWERS OUR PRAYERS (vs 14-15)神回应我们的祷告

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Some conditions we must meet: 我们必须具备一些条件

- A. CONFESSED SIN 认罪
- B. IN GOD'S WILL 在神的旨意中

John already stated in 1 Jn. 3:21 that if our hearts to not condemn us we have confidence toward God.约翰一书 3:21 亲爱的弟兄啊,我们的心若不责备我们,就可以向神坦然无惧了。

Psalm 66:18 "If I regard iniquity in my heart, The Lord will not hear." 我若心里注重罪孽, 主必不听。1 Pet. 3:7 "Husbands, likewise, dwell with [your wives] with understanding... that your prayers may not be hindered." 彼得前书 3:7 你们作丈夫的也要按情理和妻子同住("情理"原文作"知识"),因她比你软弱("比你软弱"原文作"是软弱的器皿"),与你一同承受生命之恩的,所以要敬重她,这样,便叫你们的祷告没有阻碍。

• Principle: I "feel at home" because I have the confidence that <u>GOD HEARS ME</u> when I pray to Him. 我"有家的感觉",因为我有信心,我向神祷告时神会聆听我的祷告

3. We Don't PRACTICE SIN 我们不要继续被罪引领

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Three enemies that seek to lead us to sin: 引我们犯罪的三个敌人

- A. SATAN 撒旦
- B. The "FLESH" 肉体
- C. The "WORLD" 世界
- Principle: I "feel at home" because I am no longer a part of this world and cannot <u>CONTINUE</u> <u>TO PRACTICE SIN</u>.我们"有家的感觉"。因为我们不再属这个世界,我们不能<u>继续的过被</u> 罪引领的生活
- 4. The Christian Life is the REAL LIFE (vs 20-21) 基督徒的生活是真实的生活

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• Principle: I "feel at home" because God has <u>OPENED MY EYES</u> to the real life I have in Jesus Christ.我"有家的感觉",因为神开了我的眼,让我看到了在基督里的真实生活