



## I John 2:29-3:10 | Amplify Week 4 | 7.13.2014

1. Read I John 2:29-3:10.
2. Tell about a time you felt truly cherished by a parent. Or if you are a parent, tell of a time when you've truly cherished your child.
3. John 3:1-2 tells us we are children of God. What implications does this truth have on our lives? In other words, how should we live as children of God?
4. Nate said on Sunday that every lost person is a lost child of God. If this is true, what implications does it have? How should we treat those who don't yet know the Lord? What lost child of God do you need to speak to this week?
5. In the family of God, you can be vulnerable. Has this vulnerability been your experience within the Christian community. Why or why not? (Answer: See vs. 1: "the reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him." Christians should have the deepest community possible among humans. If they don't, there's some misunderstanding of the gospel at play. Someone doesn't understand that because Jesus accepted us as we are, we can accept anyone else just as they are.)
6. Read vs. 3 and 4. What should a Christian's response be when he or she sins?
7. Why are Christianity and habitual sin incompatible according to vs. 4-10?
8. We learned on Sunday that two tests that tell you if you're a child of God are (1) Do you run to the Father through Jesus when you sin? (2) Do you run to your family in Christ when you sin? Do you find those evidences that someone is a part of God's family surprising or helpful? Why? Do you need to repent in either of those areas?
9. Pray for one another.