Introduction

Key Verse

1 John 5:13

These 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.

1 John 5:9-21 And This Is the Testimony

Vv 9-10

The Witness of Men and the Witness of God

Vv 9-10 – The Witness of Men and The Witness of God

Mark 3:28-29

"Assuredly, I say to you, all sins will be forgiven the sons of men, and whatever blasphemies they may utter; "but he who blasphemes against the Holy Spirit never has forgiveness, but is subject to eternal condemnation"--

Vv 11-13

Assurance of Life in The Son

Vv 14-15

Confidence in Prayer

Vv 14-15 – Confidence in Prayer

Prayer at its best is the expression of the total life. ... one that elevates and purifies every act of body and mind and integrates the entire personality into a single spiritual unit. Such prayer can only be the result of a life lived in the Spirit. All things else being in equal, our prayers are only as powerful as our lives.

-A. W. Tozer

Vv 14-15 — Confidence of Prayer - The Confidence and Power of Prayer

To ask

- Matt 6:8: your Father knows the things you have need of before you ask Him.
- James 4:6: you do not have because you do not ask.

To ask anything in prayer

• Philippians 4:6: Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God

To ask anything according to His will

• John 15:7: If you abide in Me, and My words abide in you, you will ask what you desire, and it shall be done for you

Vv 16-17

Praying for a Sinning Brother/Sister

Vv 16-17 – Praying for a Sinning Brother / Sister

Hebrews 6:4-6

For [it is] impossible for those who were once enlightened, and have tasted the heavenly gift, and have become partakers of the Holy Spirit, and have tasted the good word of God and the powers of the age to come, if they fall away, to renew them again to repentance, since they crucify again for themselves the Son of God, and put [Him] to an open shame.

Vv 18-19

Knowing Ourselves and The Enemy

Vv 20-21

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MEDITATION VERSE

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BENEDICTION

Eph. 6:23-24

Peace to the brethren, and love with faith, from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. Grace [be] with all those who love our Lord Jesus Christ in sincerity. Amen.