



*** OUR PRAYER FOR 2014**

1 JOHN 1:1-10

1st JOHN 1

What was from the **beginning**, what we have **heard**, what we have **seen** with our eyes, what we have **looked at** and **touched** with our hands, concerning the Word of Life— ² and the life was **manifested**, and we have seen and testify and proclaim to you the eternal life, which was with the Father and was manifested to us— ³ what we have seen and heard we **proclaim** to you also, so that you too may have fellowship with us; and indeed our fellowship is with the Father, and with His Son Jesus Christ. ⁴ These things we write, so that our joy may be made complete.

1st JOHN 1b

⁵ This is the message we have heard from Him and announce to you, that God is Light, and in Him there is no darkness at all.

⁶ If we say that we have fellowship with Him and yet walk in the darkness, we lie and do not practice the truth; ⁷ but if we walk in the Light as He Himself is in the Light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus His Son cleanses us from all sin.

JAMES 2

¹⁷ Even so **faith**, if it has no works, **is dead**, *being* by itself.

¹⁸ But someone may *well* say, “You have faith and I have works; show me your faith without the works, and I will show you my faith by my works.”

JAMES 1

²² But prove yourselves doers of the word, and not merely hearers who delude themselves. ²³ For if anyone is a hearer of the word and not a doer, he is like a man who looks at his natural face in a mirror; ²⁴ for *once* he has looked at himself and gone away, **he has immediately forgotten** what kind of person he was.

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1st JOHN 1c

⁸ If we say that **we have no sin**, we are deceiving ourselves and the truth is not in us. ⁹ If we confess our sins, He is faithful and righteous to **forgive** us our sins and to **cleanse** us from all unrighteousness. ¹⁰ If we say that we have not sinned, we make Him a liar and His word is not in us.

3 JOHN 1

3 For I was very glad when brethren came and testified to your truth, that is, how you are walking in truth. 4 I have no greater joy than this, **to hear of my children walking in the truth.**

“God is too good to be unkind, and too wise to be mistaken. And when I cannot trace his hand, I can always trust his heart.” [Charles H. Spurgeon]