



Pastor Jeff's Daily Devotion

Day 16

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Day Sixteen

1 John 5:6-12

⁶This is the one who came by water and blood—Jesus Christ. He did not come by water only, but by water and blood. And it is the Spirit who testifies, because the Spirit is the truth. ⁷For there are three that testify: ⁸the Spirit, the water and the blood; and the three are in agreement. ⁹We accept man's testimony, but God's testimony is greater because it is the testimony of God, which he has given about his Son. ¹⁰Anyone who believes in the Son of God has this testimony in his heart. Anyone who does not believe God has made Him out to be a liar, because he has not believed the testimony God has given about His Son. ¹¹And this is the testimony: God has given us eternal life, and this life is in His Son. ¹²He who has the Son has life; he who does not have the Son of God does not have life.

God's plan has been told to us for generations. His testimony is true; the testimony of His son and why He came. Whenever we put our faith and trust in Him we have this testimony in our hearts. Jesus, God's son, came as flesh and blood and lived a sinless life. This boggles the imagination to think that God could become man, but that is what He did. What Jesus did on the cross has brought life to us: eternal life. This also boggles the imagination to even think of what eternal life will be. It is life without the passage of time. There will be no past or future; only present. We have no frame of reference to even know what this would be like. No more pain, no more sickness, no more decay, no more sin; it is everything our souls long for. This life is secure for those who are in Christ. Today, as you think of this promise, all the problems that we face here on earth are but temporary. What can truly compare to the eternal life that awaits us in Jesus Christ our Lord?

Lord, let us today view everything in the context of our secure future.