

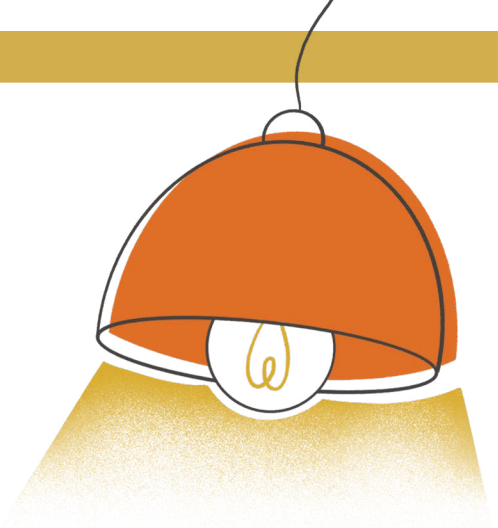
NOTES

TURN PAGE FOR WEEKLY CHALLENGE

WALK IN THE LIGHT: A STUDY OF 1-3 JOHN

THIS WEEK'S CHALLENGE:

- Read a chapter a day, 1 John 1-5.
- Each day look for and match up two key verses with their country western counterparts.
- Every day this week, ask God to help you walk in the light:
To believe what's true, to do what's right, and to love others.



Here are 2 key verses from each chapter of 1 John, rewritten with a country western twang. Find the actual verses during each days reading. If you get stuck, see me when I return for answers.

Chapter 1

The Lord is pure light, partner, and there ain't a shadow of darkness in Him at all.

You lay your sins down honest before Him, and He'll wash you clean as a Sunday morning river.

Chapter 2

And if you stumble on that lonesome road, don't you worry – you got a Defender standin' right beside the Father's throne.

Don't go chasin' after this old world, darlin' – 'cause you can't hold the world and the Father's love in the same two hands.

Chapter 3

Just look at the love He poured out on us – called us His own children, and honey, that ain't just talk.

Don't just sweet-talk your love, little one – roll up your sleeves and show it like you mean it.

Chapter 4

If a man don't know how to love, well, he don't know God – 'cause love is the very heart of who He is.

The only reason we know how to love at all is 'cause He loved us first, long before we ever turned around.

Chapter 5

Every soul born of God is gonna rise above this world – and the only horse you need to ride is faith.

I'm writin' this down so you believers know it deep in your bones – you've got eternal life, and that's no maybe.
