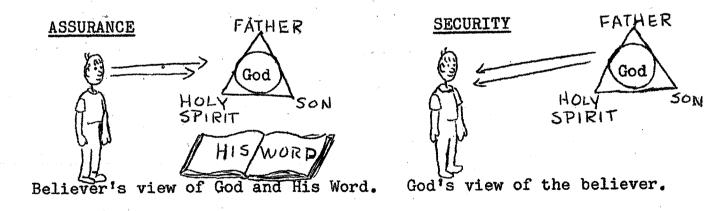


We studied in our previous lessons that the person who receives the Lord Jesus Christ as their personal Lord and Saviour has:

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We now want to study the place and reason for the believer's personal assurance of salvation.

Assurance is the complete or entire confidence and certainty that all is right in the believer's relationship to the living God.



- 1. The basis or foundation for Assurance.
 - A. The Word of God God says so.



I believe or put my trust in what God has said.

	I know I am saved right now because I believe God's promises β .
	that tell me: "Whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall
	be" Romans 10:13
	"that whosoever believeth in Him (Jesus) should not perish,
	but have everlasting" John 3:16
	"He that believeth on the Son hath (has)
	life." John 3:36
	Jesus said "And I give unto them life and they
	shall perish, neither shall pluck
	them out of my hand." John 10:28
	Jesus said "All that the Father giveth me shall come to me, and
	him that cometh to me I will in no wise (certainly not)
	" John 6:37
	"And this is the Father's will which hath sent me, that of all
	which he hath given me (Jesus) I should lose" John 6:39
	"These things have I written unto you that believe on the name
	of the Son of God, that you may that you have eternal
	life, and that you may believe on the name of the Son of God."
	I John 5:13
	God's Word gives us assurance because the witness of God is
	greater than people. 1 John 5:9
	We believe what people have told us in books. What two or three
	friends might tell you.
	Shouldn't we believe what God has said? (yes or no)
	If we don't believe God we make or call God a 1 John 5:10
•	Can God lie? (yes or no) Titus 1:2; Heb. 6:18.
	A person's word may be true but God's Word is always true.
	A person can lie but God never tells a lie.
	When does God say we receive eternal life?
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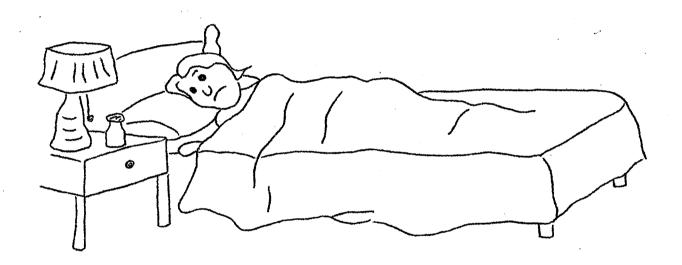
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is the Christ is born of God." 1 John 5:1	4.
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"Beloved, are we the children of God" 1 John 3:2	
A boy or girl begins physical life when they are	•
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To believe about something or someone is not the same as believing

Let us take a look at Sally ---

in someone or something.



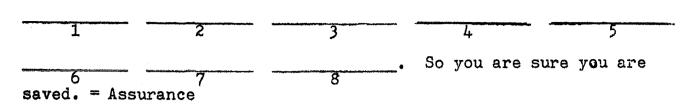
Sally has been very sick. The Doctor came to see Sally and gave her some medicine. He told her to take the medicine and she would get well. Sally believes the medicine will make her well. Does that make Sally well?

________. What must she do before she will get well?
__________.

God says that everybody has been sick with sin. In John 1:12 God says to ... 12 0 10 20 10

the Lord Jesus, or in other words, ask Him to come into your life.

Like the medicine made Sally well after she took it, so when we receive



- 1. 10th word in 1 Corinthians 1:16
- 2. 2nd word in 1 Peter 2:22
- 3. 8th word in Acts 16:30
- 4. 4th word in Genesis 1:1
- 5. 4th word in John 16:24
- 6. 6th word in 2 Corinthians 12:1
- 7. 12th word in John 1:12
- 8. 9th word in Hebrews 13:21

Everyone must believe in Him and receive Him.

This is SAVING BELIEF.

The world and the Devil give false assurance. Jer. 14:13; 14,15.



There is no God.

Everybody is going to heaven.

There is no hell.

Do the best you can and everything will be fine.

If you feel good and everything is good in school, home, friends, then all must be okay. etc. etc.