

Tape to Tom Ah Chee

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I. Introduction.

A. Accepting Christ means more than agreeing to the facts about him. (John 3:36)

B. Eternal life is something we can possess now.

II. Assurance.

A. The Devil tries to get us to question our commitment.

B. He who has the Son has life. (1 John 5:11-12; Revelation 3:20)

C. Receiving Jesus does not mean we will be made completely holy in an instance—it is a growing process that requires time. (John 3; 1 Peter 3; 1 John 2; Romans 10:9-10; John 1:12)

D. We can be assured that what God said he would do when you invited Christ in, he would continue to do.

E. We can know we have the Spirit of God when our conscience is becoming more sensitive to sin. (1 John 4:14; John 16; 15:16; 1 John 3:14)

III. Sin is a transgression of the law. Disobeying is sin. God makes a way out of temptation. (1 Corinthians 10:13)

IV. God's will.

A. He has a will for everyone who enters into his kingdom.

1. His objective is to save all men. (1 Timothy 2; 2 Peter 3:9)

2. Our objective is to be the same as God's because we are to be like Jesus. (Luke 19:10; John 20:21; 17:18; Romans 8:29; Ephesians 4:13; John 12:32)

V. Our standing before God does not depend upon our performance. (Romans 4:4-5; Titus 3:15)

VI. God created us so that we might glorify him. (Isaiah 43:7)

VII. The final translation of the Bible is the translation of the Bible into our lives.

VIII. The essence of God's commands is to love God and love people. (Romans 5:5; James 2:14)

Application questions:

1. How would you defend the assurance of salvation?

2. What is God's objective? How is your objective related to it?

3. What are some ways you can grow in translating the Bible into your life? Explain.
