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The ancients tell us, John lived the longest of the 12 disciples; the original followers of the Lord; eye-witnesses to Jesus Christ. From his first chapter to his last, John wrote about this unusual man, this more than man; who in great humility lived among us. What is knowledge? Dr. Dallas Willard of USC said, it is the necessary information, facts and understanding... giving the ability to act, in a way that feeling, opinion or mere power (brute force) cannot. Historically in western society, moral knowledge was seated in Old and New Testament law; pointing to the Messiah. Moral law, which is no longer taught in public education; was replaced by imprecise presumption thinly packaged in whim. In the previous verse. John wrote:



Jesus, confronted by Jewish leaders at the temple, answered saying to those who gathered around this heated clash:

If you abide in My word, then you are truly My disciples - those doing their math, putting it together piece by piece, 1+1+1; and you will know the truth and the truth will make you free.

- ³³ They answered him, We are the seed of Abraham, and were never in bondage to anyone: so how do you say, You will be made free?
- ³⁴ Jesus answered them, Amen! I say to you, whoever commits sin is the slave of sin.
- ³⁵ And the slave does not abide in the house forever: but the Son abides forever.
- ³⁶ Therefore if the Son makes you free, you will be free indeed.
- ³⁷I know that you are the offspring of Abraham; yet you seek to kill Me, because My word has no place in you.
- ³⁸ I speak what I have seen with My Father:

and you do what you have seen from your father.

³⁹ They answered and said to Him, Abraham is our father.

Jesus said to them, If you are offspring of Abraham, you would do the deeds of Abraham / the father of faith, and faithfulness to God.

- ⁴⁰ But as it is you seek to kill Me, a man who told you the truth, which I heard from God: this Abraham did not do.
- ⁴¹ You are doing the deeds of your father.

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Then they said to Him, We are not born of fornication; we have one Father, even God.

- ⁴² Jesus said to them, If God was your Father, you would love Me: for I proceeded and came from God; for I have not come of My own, but He sent Me.
- ⁴³ Why do you not understand what I am saying? because you are deaf to My word.
- 44 You are of your father the devil, and the desires of your father you do. He was a murderer from the beginning, and did not live in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaks a lie, he speaks of his own nature: for he is a liar, and the father of lies.
 - ⁴⁵ And because I tell you the truth, you do not believe Me.
 - ⁴⁶ Which one of you convicts Me of sin? And if I speak truth, why do you not believe Me?
 - ⁴⁷ He who is from God hears the words of God: for this reason, you do not hear them, because you are not from God.
 - ⁴⁸ The Jewish leaders answered, and said to Him, Do we not say rightly you are a Samaritan, and have a demon? / they resort to name calling, and thinking they are funny,
 - ⁴⁹ Jesus answered, I have no demon; but I honor My Father, and you dishonor Me.
 - ⁵⁰ And I do not seek My own glory: there is One who seeks and judges.
 - ⁵¹ Amen! Amen! I say to you, If a anyone keeps My word, he will never see death.
 - ⁵² Then the Jewish leaders said to Him, Now we know you have a demon. Abraham and the prophets died; and you say, If anyone keeps My word, he will not taste death / rightly they knew and affirmed what He said were not the words of a typical man or woman -- though wrongly they assumed that what He said was incorrect.
 - ⁵³ Are you greater than our father Abraham, who is dead? and the prophets who are dead? Who do you think you are?
 - 54 Jesus answered, If I brag about Myself, My bragging is nothing: it is My Father who brags about Me; of whom you say, He is your God:
 - ⁵⁵ Yet you have not known Him; but I know Him: and if I say I do not know Him, I will be like you a liar: but I know Him, and keep His word.
 - ⁵⁶ Your father Abraham rejoiced to see My day: and he saw it, and was glad.

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⁵⁷ Then the Jewish leaders said to Him,

You are not yet 50 years old, and have you seen Abraham?

⁵⁸ Jesus said to them, Amen! Amen! I say to you,

Before Abraham was born, I am.

⁵⁹ Then they picked up stones to throw at Him:

but Jesus hid Himself, and went out of the temple,

going through the center of them, and bypassing them.

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