

A. MAKING A COMMITMENT TO FOLLOW JESUS

A.1: I AM NOT SURE ABOUT MY SALVATION.

1 JOHN 5:11-13

A STORY Recently, a young high school student came into our class and announced that she had prayed to receive Jesus into her life. She shared how it was wonderful and that she was aware something had happened. However, she also shared that there were doubts that were bugging her and she wanted to know what to do.

DIGGING INTO THE BIBLE We shared with her 1 John 5:11-13:
“And this is the testimony: God has given us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. He who has the Son has life; he who does not have the son of God does not have eternal life.” The verse goes on: “These were written to you who believe in the name of the Son of God that you might have life and that you might believe in the name of the Son of God” (v.13).

COACHING QUESTIONS-DISCUSSION AND DISCOVERY

1. In this verse who gives us eternal life?
2. How does He give us eternal life?
3. Where is this eternal life?
4. How did it get into the Son?
5. What happens if we have the Son?
6. What happens if we don't have the Son?
7. What does one have to do to get the Son?

APPLICATION AND ACCOUNTABILITY

8. Describe how you invited the Son of God (JESUS) into your life
9. Where is the Son of God now?
10. In verse 13 what does God want for us as a result of your belief?
11. How are you feeling now about your decision to follow Christ?
12. What steps can you take to strengthen your faith?
13. How will memorizing this verse be a strength to your faith?