The Chapters of 2 John

Harold Willmington

Liberty University, hwillmington@liberty.edu

Follow this and additional works at: https://digitalcommons.liberty.edu/outline_chapters_bible

Part of the Biblical Studies Commons, Christianity Commons, and the Religious Thought, Theology and Philosophy of Religion Commons

Recommended Citation
https://digitalcommons.liberty.edu/outline_chapters_bible/40

This Article is brought to you for free and open access by the A Guide to the Systematic Study of the Bible at Scholars Crossing. It has been accepted for inclusion in An Alliterated Outline for the Chapters of the Bible by an authorized administrator of Scholars Crossing. For more information, please contact scholarlycommunications@liberty.edu.
SECTION OUTLINE ONE (2 JOHN 1)
John writes this epistle to "the chosen lady and to her children."

   A. The salutation (1:1-3): Grace, mercy, and peace from the Father and the Son.
   B. The commendation John commends her for the way she has raised her children in the truth.

II. HE CHALLENGES THE CHOSEN LADY (1:5-6).
   A. That she continue to love God (1:5)
   B. That she continue to obey God (1:6)

III. HE CAUTIONS THE CHOSEN LADY (1:7-11).
   A. Look out for Satan (1:7, 10-11).
      1. The deception of his ministers (1:7): They deny the incarnation of Christ.
      2. The rejection of his ministers (1:10-11)
         a. What she is to do (1:10): She is not to welcome them in any manner whatsoever.
         b. Why she is to do this (1:11): To welcome them is to share in their wicked ways.
   B. Look out for self (1:8-9).
      1. Don't forfeit your rewards (1:8).
      2. Don't forsake your Redeemer (1:9).

IV. HE COMFORTS THE CHOSEN LADY (1:12-13).
   A. What John plans to do (1:12a): He desires to personally visit her.
   B. Why John plans to do it (1:12b-13): "Then our joy will be complete."