

SUNDAY MORNING (July 8th) • “That You May Know” Good News of Fellowship, Joy, and Life (1 John 1:1-4)

“That which was from the beginning...” (1 John 1:1). Thinking back to the Gospel accounts, what sort of specific things from the life of Jesus might John have had in mind when he references:

- “Which we have heard” –
- “Which we have seen with our eyes” –
- “Which we looked upon and have touched with our hands” –

What does John mean when he references “the word of life”?

In your own words, what impact did “the word of life” have according to 1:2?

When the Bible speaks of something being “proclaimed,” what is meant?

What is the aim of John’s proclamation according to 1:3?

Draw a diagram below to illustrate the profound point being made about fellowship in 1:3.

In what way would “writing these things” make John’s “joy” complete (1:4)?