

Overcoming the World – Commitment to Jesus

♦ James 4:17 – So whoever knows the right thing to do and fails to do it, for him it is sin.

♦ **John 14:15** – If you love me, you will keep my commandments.

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- 1. God Sets the Expectations
- 2. You Determine Your Priorities
- 3. Action Based on Your Values
- 4. Outcome Worldly vs Godly Results

God Sets the Expectations

♦ 1 John 5:1 - Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the Father loves whoever has been born of him.

You Determine Your Priorities

♦ 1 John 5:2 - By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments.

Action – Based on Your Values

♦ 1 John 5:3 - For this is the love of God, that we keep his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome.

Outcome – Worldly vs Godly

♦ 1 John 5:4-5 - For everyone who has been born of God overcomes the world. And this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith. 5 Who is it that overcomes the world except the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

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♦ John 16:33 - I have said these things to you, that in me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation. But take heart; I have overcome the world.