



**PART 5: "Test the Spirits"**

Your story has a villain.

**Today's Text:**

1 John 4:1-6

Your story has a \_\_\_\_\_

Sometimes emissaries of \_\_\_\_\_ are mistaken for angels of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

How can we discern the \_\_\_\_\_ presence?

Jesus was a \_\_\_\_\_ and taught His disciples how to do the same

\_\_\_\_\_ is one of the things that John links to authentic faith

We can use John's Letters to create a rudimentary

\_\_\_\_\_

- Is Scripture taken out of context, mocked, minimized, or disregarded?
- Are attempts made to silence, shame, or shout down those who ask questions?
- Are potential allies becoming adversaries?
- Is Jesus misrepresented?
- Are alternatives being offered to taking up your cross?
- What kind of fruit do you see?

While the devil may flee when \_\_\_\_\_ (James 4:7), Scripture also reminds us that he'll look for an opportune time to \_\_\_\_\_ (Luke 4:13)

You can be \_\_\_\_\_ when he does!

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