



SERMON GUIDE

PROOF POSITIVE



Touching Lives with Dr. James Merritt

Sure Enough

Proof Positive | Week 20 | 1 John 1:1-4

Reflection Questions

1. If someone asked you right now why you are certain you have eternal life, what would you say? Could you point to something more than a feeling?

2. John says Jesus didn't just give eternal life; He is eternal life. How does that truth change the way you think about your relationship with Jesus this week?

3. Is there someone in your life who is searching for joy in the wrong places? What is one way you could point them toward the Person who is the source of real joy?

Is Your Light On?

Proof Positive | Week 21 | 1 John 1:5-10

Reflection Questions

1. John says “if we claim” three times as a warning. Is there any area of your life where your words and your walk are pointing in different directions?

2. Think about one person in your life who is currently walking in darkness. What would it look like for you to share the light with them this week in a practical, natural way?

3. Is there a sin you have been calling something other than what God calls it? What would it look like to confess it honestly this week?

Battle Stations

Proof Positive | Week 22 | 1 John 2:1-2

Reflection Questions

1. How consistently are you in God’s Word each day? What is one practical step you could take this week to make Scripture your first weapon against sin rather than your last resort?

2. Is there a sin you have been carrying guilt over, even after confessing it? How does it change things to know that Jesus, your Advocate, has already paid the penalty in full?

3. John Newton said that though he was not what he ought to be, he was not what he used to be. How would you describe where you are in your battle with sin, and what does it look like to trust Jesus more fully in that specific fight?
