

# “Obeying God’s Commands” in I John

2:3 If we do, “we have come to know him [Jesus]”.

2:4 If we do not and say “I know him [God]”, we are a liar.

2:5 If we obey His word, “God’s love is truly made complete in” us.

2:7-8, 10 The old command which we have heard and have had from the beginning, is yet also a new command whose truth is in God and us. It is to love our brother [fellow Christian].

3:22 If we do, we “receive from him [God] anything we ask”.

3:23 “And this is his command: to believe in the name of his son, Jesus Christ, and to love one another”

3:24 If we do, we “live in him [God], and he in” us.

4:21 “And he has given us this command: Whoever loves God must also love his brother.”

5:2 If we do, “we love the children of God”.

5:3 If we do, we have “love for God”.

5:3-4 “his commands are not burdensome, for everyone born of God has overcome the world.”