## 1 John Series | 1 John 2:24-47 | Discussion Notes

## Intro:

Hot Seat with Student

Stay on after discussion, we will be playing Mafia

## **Question:**

- If you had the freedom to do whatever you wanted to do, what would you do?
  - o Friends and I have no lines at cedar point
  - Personal indoor soccer field
- Read 1 John 2:24-27
- Eternal security- promise we have received v. 26- eternal life
  - o John 10:27-29
  - o John 6:37
- If you believe in Jesus, you have eternal security.
  - o (Pods) Since you have eternal security, then why not do whatever you want?
- If you have made a decision to follow Christ, it should change how you make decisions.
- When we confess to a belief in Jesus, its more than just being gifted security in heaven
  - o It is being a part of God's team on Earth
    - With this, we are a light.
- Light illustration
  - o Source- unlimited amount of time
  - o Battery- a limited amount of time
  - o Phone
    - We sometimes make decisions to take ourselves out from the source
      - Going to a party
      - What we are watching- tv and online
      - How you are speaking to your family/friends
  - o Is what I am doing making my light brighter/continue to shine? Or will it fade?
  - o Is what I am doing helping me to remain in God or am I fading away from Him?

• Pods- Is there something in your life which takes you away from the source and you start to lose your light?

## **Challenge:**

• What do you need to take out of your life to be connected to God more