



# International Bible Study Commentary

Verse-by-Verse Bible Lessons Thru the Bible

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## **1 John 2:1-6 Scripture Handout New International Version**

Assign each person in the class one or more verses to study.  
Each person should answer these two questions on their assigned verse.

1. What does this verse say?
  2. What does this verse mean to me?
- Discuss your answers with the class.

(1 John 2:1) My dear children, I write this to you so that you will not sin. But if anybody does sin, we have an advocate with the Father—Jesus Christ, the Righteous One.

(1 John 2:2) He is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not only for ours but also for the sins of the whole world.

(1 John 2:3) We know that we have come to know him if we keep his commands.

(1 John 2:4) Whoever says, “I know him,” but does not do what he commands is a liar, and the truth is not in that person.

(1 John 2:5) But if anyone obeys his word, love for God is truly made complete in them. This is how we know we are in him:

(1 John 2:6) Whoever claims to live in him must live as Jesus did.

**Write out the verse or verses you have been assigned below:**

**Answer These Questions for Class Discussion or Personal Study**

1. What does the verse say?
2. What does the verse mean to me?