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1 John 3: 4-9

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- 1. Romans 3:23 *“for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God,”*
- 2. Romans 6:23 *“For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.”*

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  - 3. 1 John 1:8 *“If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. 9 If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. 10 If we say that we have not sinned, we make Him a liar, and His word is not in us.”*
  - 4. Matthew 7:21 *“Not everyone who says to Me, 'Lord, Lord,' shall enter the kingdom of heaven, but he who does the will of My Father in heaven.”*

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