



Outline – Sunday School April 28, 2019

**Sermon Title: Christ Appeared In Order to Manifest Himself Through Us
“The Cause for Holy Living”**

Text: 1 John 3:4-10

1. He appeared to **deliver** us from *Sin*. 1 John 3:4-7
 - a. Sin is *Rebellion* against God’s Holy **Law** (Lawlessness). Rom. 3:20/James 2:9-11
 - b. The Savior *removed* sin as the Holy **Lamb**. v. 5/John 1:29/2 Cor. 5:21/Heb. 9:26-28; 10:4-14
 - c. The Savior’s *righteousness* is manifested in Holy **Living**. Eph. 5:25-27/1 Peter 2:24

2. He appeared to **destroy** the works of *Satan*. 1 John 3:8
 - a. The *Character* of Satan and his **children**. John 8:44/Eph. 2:2
 - b. The *Crushing* of Satan by Christ on the **Cross**. Gen. 3:15/Col. 2:13-15
 - c. The *Conversion* of the sinner is the consequence. Heb. 2:14-18

3. He appeared to **demonstrate** and **Do** the will of the *Sovereign*. 1 John 3:9-10
 - a. We do not live in sin because of our *identity*: Born of God. 1 John 5:18
 - b. We cannot live in sin because of the Seed’s *incorruptibility*: Union with Christ. 1 Peter 1:23
 - c. The child of Satan is manifested as a worker of *iniquity*: Lawlessness. v. 10b/3 John 1:11