

# Proofs Of Salvation

1 John 4:13-21



## **What does the Bible teach?**

We experience love because the Holy Spirit abides with us. (v. 13)

We experience love because the Son saved for us. (v. 14-15)

We know God's love because of all that he has done. (v. 16)

Because we are loved, we have no reason to fear. (v. 17-18)

Because we are loved, we are commanded to love others. (v. 19-21)

## **How should I respond?**

Live in God's love.

Love others.

Know you are saved because God loves you.

*At this stage in your experience, lay hold of the truth that God loves you, and don't let anybody steal it away from you. Circumstances may assail you; Satan may accuse you; your Christian friends may even abandon you, but God loves you just as much as He did when He gave Jesus to die for you on the cross. Your circumstances have changed, and your feelings have changed, but God's love has not changed. When you experience the love of God in your heart, then your faith will grow stronger, and you will be able to give thanks.*

— Warren W. Wiersbe