## Love Your Neighbor Overcoming 1 John 2:12-29 First Christian Church—January 29, 2017 Chuck Foreman, Teaching/Missions Pastor

Pep talk...

It's easy to get distracted and lose our focus. Sometimes all we need is a little pep talk and a reminder about what's really important and what's not, about what's true and what's not, and about what's good and what's not.

## GOD's Story - Overcoming, 1 John 2:12-29

- 1. You're doing great! (2:12-14)
- 2. Don't misplace your love. (2:15-17) "Stop loving the world!"
- 3. Don't be led astray. (2:18-27)
  - a. There are many who are anti-Christ...(vs. 18-23)
  - b. Hang onto the old story—it's the right one. (vs. 24-27)
- 4. Hang in there! (2:28-29)

You're doing great! Just stay focused on what really matters. Don't be led astray by the popular narrative of the day. Cling to the story of the eyewitnesses. Listen to the Holy Spirit within you. And keep doing what is right and good!

Right On!