John 20:31 ESV

but these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name.

1 John 1:1 ESV

1 That which was from the beginning, which we have heard, which we have seen with our eyes, which we looked upon and have touched with our hands, concerning the word of life—

1 John 3:1 ESV

3 See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are. The reason why the world does not know us is that it did not know him.

1 John 3:2-3 ESV

² Beloved, we are God's children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that when he appears we shall be like him, because we shall see him as he is. ³ And everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure.

1 Corinthians 9:24 ESV

²⁴ Do you not know that in a race all the runners run, but only one receives the prize? So run that you may obtain it.

2 Timothy 2:5 ESV

⁵ An athlete is not crowned unless he competes according to the rules.

2 Corinthians 5:10 ESV

¹⁰ For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each one may receive what is due for what he has done in the body, whether good or evil.

1 Corinthians 3:14-15 ESV

¹⁴ If the work that anyone has built on the foundation survives, he will receive a reward.
¹⁵ If anyone's work is burned up, he will suffer loss, though he himself will be saved, but only as through fire.

James 1:12 ESV

¹² Blessed is the man who remains steadfast under trial, for when he has stood the test he will receive the crown of life, which God has promised to those who love him.

1 Thessalonians 2:19 ESV

¹⁹ For what is our hope or joy or crown of boasting before our Lord Jesus at his coming? Is it not you?

1 Peter 5:4 ESV

⁴ And when the chief Shepherd appears, you will receive the unfading crown of glory.

1 Corinthians 9:25 ESV

²⁵ Every athlete exercises self-control in all things. They do it to receive a perishable wreath, but we an imperishable.

2 Timothy 4:8 ESV

⁸ Henceforth there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will award to me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have loved his appearing.

1 John 3:4-6 ESV

⁴ Everyone who makes a practice of sinning also practices lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. ⁵ You know that he appeared in order to take away sins, and in him there is no sin. ⁶ No one who abides in him keeps on sinning; no one who keeps on sinning has either seen him or known him.

2 Timothy 4:3 ESV

³ For the time is coming when people will not endure sound [a] teaching, but having itching ears they will accumulate for themselves teachers to suit their own passions,

1 John 3:7-9 ESV

⁷ Little children, let no one deceive you. Whoever practices righteousness is righteous, as he is righteous. 8 Whoever makes a practice of sinning is of the devil, for the devil has been sinning from the beginning. The reason the Son of God appeared was to destroy the works of the devil. 9 No one born of God makes a practice of sinning, for God's seed abides in him; and he cannot keep on sinning, because he has been born of God.

1 John 1:4 ESV

⁴ And we are writing these things so that our joy may be complete.

Jeremiah 5:25 ESV

Your iniquities have turned these away, and your sins have kept good from you.

Jeremiah 2:5 ESV

⁵ Thus says the LORD:

"What wrong did your fathers find in me that they went far from me, and went after worthlessness, and became worthless?