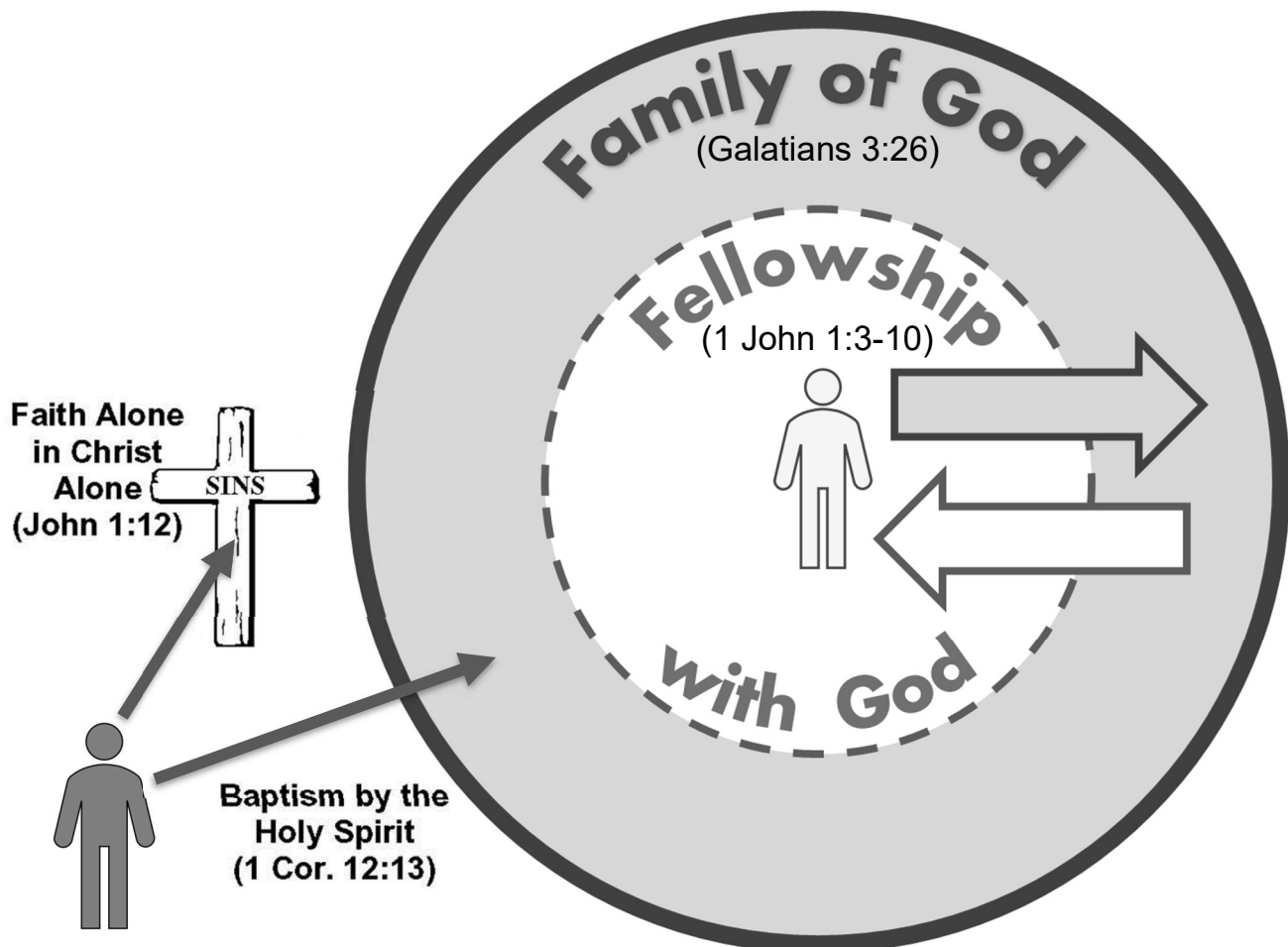


## Pure and Purifying – Implications of God’s Character

1<sup>st</sup> John 1:5-2:2

What is 1<sup>st</sup> John  
all about?

- The **purpose** of the book is so that believers would enjoy fellowship with God.
- The **theme** is twofold:
  - (1) The focus is on who God is.
  - (2) The reason for that focus is for believers to understand what fellowship with God looks like.



### A. God is light. (1:5)

- Where did John’s message come from?
- Who is the message for?
- What is the message?

**B. We walk in God's light or in darkness. (1:6-10)**

List what is associated with walking in the light	List what is associated with walking in darkness

- While God is perfect, He does not require us to achieve perfection in order to enjoy fellowship with Him. He \_\_\_\_\_ us in order to make it work.
- Family forgiveness is available based on the character of God. He is \_\_\_\_\_.
- Family forgiveness is provided for in the work of Christ. He is \_\_\_\_\_.

**C. We should not sin. (2:1-2)**

- Knowing the God of light should lead us to not sin; this is \_\_\_\_\_.
- To the child of God who might sin again, Jesus is an \_\_\_\_\_.
- There is no sin which Jesus cannot \_\_\_\_\_.