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1The|strong="G3956" elder|strong="G4245", to|strong="G2532" the|strong="G3956" chosen|strong="G1588" lady|strong="G2959" and|strong="G2532" her|strong="G0846" children|strong="G5043", whom|strong="G3739" I|strong="G1473" love|strong="G0025" in|strong="G1722" truth|strong="G0225", and|strong="G2532" not|strong="G3756" I|strong="G1473" only|strong="G3441", but|strong="G0235" also|strong="G2532" all|strong="G3956" those|strong="G3588" who|strong="G3739" know|strong="G1097" the|strong="G3956" truth|strong="G0225", ² for|strong="G1519" the|strong="G3588" truth's sake|strong="G1223", which|strong="G3588" remains|strong="G3306" in|strong="G1722" us|strong="G1519", and|strong="G2532" it|strong="G1223" will|strong="G1510" be|strong="G1510" with|strong="G3326" us|strong="G1519" forever|strong="G0165": ³ Grace|strong="G5485", mercy|strong="G1656", and|strong="G2532" peace|strong="G1515" will|strong="G2316" be|strong="G1510" with|strong="G3326" us|strong="G1722", from|strong="G3844" God|strong="G2316" the|strong="G3588" Father|strong="G3962" and|strong="G2532" from|strong="G3844" the|strong="G3588" Lord|strong="G2316" Jesus|strong="G2424" Christ|strong="G5547", ¹ the|strong="G3588" Son|strong="G5207" of|strong="G5207" the|strong="G3588" Father|strong="G3962", in|strong="G1722" truth|strong="G0225" and|strong="G2532" love|strong="G0026".

4I|strong="G3754" rejoice|strong="G5463" greatly|strong="G3029" that|strong="G3754" I|strong="G3754" have|strong="G3748" found|strong="G2147" some|strong="G1537" of|strong="G1537" your|strong="G2983" children|strong="G5043" walking|strong="G4043" in|strong="G1722" truth|strong="G0225", even|strong="G5463" as|strong="G2531" we|strong="G3754" have|strong="G3748" been commanded|strong="G1785" by|strong="G1722" the|strong="G3588" Father|strong="G3962". ⁵ Now|strong="G3568" I|strong="G3739" beg|strong="G2065" you|strong="G4771", dear lady|strong="G2959", not|strong="G3756" as|strong="G5613" though|strong="G5613" I|strong="G3739" wrote|strong="G1125" to|strong="G2443" you|strong="G4771" a|strong="G5613" new|strong="G2537" commandment|strong="G1785", but|strong="G0235" that|strong="G3739" which|strong="G3739" we|strong="G3739" had|strong="G3739" from|strong="G0575" the|strong="G2532" beginning|strong="G0746", that|strong="G3739" we|strong="G3739" love|strong="G0025" one|strong="G0240" another|strong="G0240". ⁶

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¹ + **1:3** "Christ" means "Anointed One".

This|strong="G3778" is|strong="G1510" love|strong="G0026",
that|strong="G2443" we|strong="G3778" should|strong="G2443"
walk|strong="G4043" according|strong="G2596" to|strong="G2443"
his|strong="G0846" commandments|strong="G1785".
This|strong="G3778" is|strong="G1510" the|strong="G3588"
commandment|strong="G1785", even|strong="G2532" as|strong="G2531"
you|strong="G1722" heard|strong="G0191" from|strong="G0575"
the|strong="G3588" beginning|strong="G0746", that|strong="G2443"
you|strong="G1722" should|strong="G2443" walk|strong="G4043"
in|strong="G1722" it|strong="G0846".

7For|strong="G1519" many|strong="G4183" deceivers|strong="G4108"
have|strong="G1510" gone|strong="G1831" out|strong="G1831"
into|strong="G1519" the|strong="G3588" world|strong="G2889",
those|strong="G3588" who|strong="G3588" don't|strong="G3361"
confess|strong="G3670" that|strong="G3754" Jesus|strong="G2424"
Christ|strong="G5547" came|strong="G2064" in|strong="G1722"
the|strong="G3588" flesh|strong="G4561". This|strong="G3778"
is|strong="G1510" the|strong="G3588" deceiver|strong="G4108"
and|strong="G2532" the|strong="G3588" Antichrist|strong="G0500". [8]
Watch|strong="G0991" yourselves|strong="G1438", that|strong="G3739"
we|strong="G3739" don't|strong="G3361" lose|strong="G0622"
the|strong="G3739" things|strong="G3739" which|strong="G3739"
we|strong="G3739" have|strong="G0622" accomplished,
but|strong="G0235" that|strong="G3739" we|strong="G3739"
receive|strong="G0618" a|strong="G3739" full|strong="G4134"
reward|strong="G3408". [9] Whoever|strong="G3588" transgresses
and|strong="G2532" doesn't|strong="G3756" remain|strong="G3306"
in|strong="G1722" the|strong="G3956" teaching|strong="G1322"
of|strong="G5207" Christ|strong="G5547" doesn't|strong="G3756"
have|strong="G2192" God|strong="G2316". He|strong="G2532"
who|strong="G3588" remains|strong="G3306" in|strong="G1722"
the|strong="G3956" teaching|strong="G1322" has|strong="G2192"
both|strong="G2532" the|strong="G3956" Father|strong="G3962"
and|strong="G2532" the|strong="G3956" Son|strong="G5207". [10]
If|strong="G1487" anyone|strong="G5100" comes|strong="G2064"
to|strong="G1519" you|strong="G5210" and|strong="G2532"
doesn't|strong="G3756" bring|strong="G5342" this|strong="G3778"
teaching|strong="G1322", don't|strong="G3756" receive|strong="G2983"
him|strong="G0846" into|strong="G1519" your|strong="G1487"
house|strong="G3614", and|strong="G2532" don't|strong="G3756"
welcome him|strong="G0846", [11] for|strong="G1063"
he|strong="G0846" who|strong="G3588" welcomes him|strong="G0846"
participates|strong="G2841" in|strong="G3004" his|strong="G0846"
evil|strong="G4190" deeds|strong="G2041".

12Having|strong=”G2192” many|strong=”G4183” things|strong=”G4183” to|strong=”G4314” write|strong=”G1125” to|strong=”G4314” you|strong=”G5210”, I|strong=”G2532” don’t|strong=”G3756” want|strong=”G1014” to|strong=”G4314” do|strong=”G1096” so|strong=”G2443” with|strong=”G4314” paper|strong=”G5489” and|strong=”G2532” ink|strong=”G3188”, but|strong=”G0235” I|strong=”G2532” hope|strong=”G1679” to|strong=”G4314” come|strong=”G1096” to|strong=”G4314” you|strong=”G5210” and|strong=”G2532” to|strong=”G4314” speak|strong=”G2980” face|strong=”G4750” to|strong=”G4314” face|strong=”G4750”, that|strong=”G2443” our|strong=”G2532” joy|strong=”G5479” may|strong=”G2532” be|strong=”G1510” made|strong=”G1096” full|strong=”G4137”. [13] The|strong=”G3588” children|strong=”G5043” of|strong=”G5043” your|strong=”G3588” chosen|strong=”G1588” sister|strong=”G0079” greet|strong=”G0782” you|strong=”G4771”. Amen.