

Paternity Testing

John 8:12-56

1 DNA testing your workplace: Who's your dad?

ii They judge by human standards 8:15-18

2 John's Gospel

iii They do not know Jesus or his Father 8:19-20

3 Jesus' claims

iv They will die in their sin, won't go where he's going 8:21

a Jesus' claims about himself

v They are from below, of this world 8:23-24

i Jesus is the light of the world 8:12-18

ii Jesus is a child of his father 8:16-20

iii Jesus is from above, not of this world 8:21-23

iv Jesus is 'I am' 8:24-28 see esp 24, 28, 58, 13:19, 18:6?, 1s 41:1-4, 43:9-14,

v Jesus is pleasing his father 8:29-30

b Jesus' claims about his opponents

i They have no idea where he's come from or where he's going 8:14

4 Jesus' challenge to those who have 'faith' in him

a believe that 'I am' vs not believe 8:24

b hold vs not hold 8:31-37

c Do what Abraham did vs try to kill Jesus 8:38-41

d love Jesus vs lie like your father the devil 8:42-44, Genesis 3:1-7

e hear/keep the truth/Jesus word vs reject the truth/Jesus word 8:45-59

5 What's your paternity?