

“Love Not”

The key to successful Christian living is to know _____
to love and _____ to love.

I. THE _____ IS _____.

A. Don't _____ all around you.

1. *John did not define the “world” by a list of taboos.*
2. *Jesus made it clear that the world does not love us.*

B. Don't _____ what you are supposed to _____ as
_____.

II. THE _____ IS _____.

A. No one who loves the world _____.
(v. 15b)

B. No one who loves this wicked world _____.
_____(v. 17a)

III. THE _____ IS _____.

A. Desires of the flesh.

B. Desires of the eyes.

C. Pride of life.

The Christian can live here now and serve Christ—as overcomers (2:13, 14; 5:4). We cannot be overrun with worldliness.