# ETERNAL LIFE-THE UNCOMPROMISABLE TRUTH

Compromise is often a fundamental method used to resolve personal differences.

But when it comes to the means by which we may obtain eternal life, there can absolutely be no compromise.

Our text today makes that truth uncompromisingly clear.

Text: 1 John 5:11-13

## I. THERE IS ONLY ONE WAY TO BE SAVED.

Jesus is the one and only God appointed way of Salvation.

John 14:6; John 10:9; John 3:35, 36

# II. BY NATURE, WE ARE NOT INCLINED TO SEEK JESUS.

#### **Romans 3:10-11**

Man in his sinful nature is at war with God.

# **Romans 8:7,8**

We are utterly [absolutely, completely, entirely, wholly, totally], dependent on God and His appointed way of Salvation.

John 6:44; Romans 8:29-30

# III. SIN IS THE GREAT BARRIER KEEPING US FROM GOD!

# Isaiah 59:1, 2

In our last message in this series, we looked at Biblical definitions of sin. It would be a good idea to go back and review those definitions.

## James 1:14-15

The end result of sin is always the same.

Separation from God.

#### **Romans 6:23**

# IV. HOW THE SIN PROBLEM CAN BE RESOLVED.

#### A. Confess it!

<u>To acknowledge or avow</u> the sins presence.

To own or admit to the sin. To plead guilty.

# Psalm 32:5; 1 John 1:8,9

## B. Forsake it:

To quit or leave entirely; abandon; desert: To renounce.

## Proverbs 28:13

# C. Replace it:

To substitute; To Supersede; To Supplant; To Overthrow.

# **Ephesians 3:19**