

## Living in the Last Hour 1 John 2:18-29

Main Idea: Although it is the last hour and many antichrists have arisen; abide in the apostolic teaching and learn from the Holy Spirit so that you will not be ashamed when Jesus returns.

I. In the last hour many antichrists will arise and deny Jesus as the Christ (2:18-23)

<sup>2</sup> **in these last days has spoken to us in His Son, whom He appointed heir of all things, through whom also He made the world.** Hebrews 1:2 (NASB)

<sup>3</sup> **Your gold and your silver have rusted; and their rust will be a witness against you and will consume your flesh like fire. It is in the last days that you have stored up your treasure!** James 5:3 (NASB)

<sup>18</sup> **knowing that you were not redeemed with perishable things like silver or gold from your futile way of life inherited from your forefathers,** <sup>19</sup> **but with precious blood, as of a lamb unblemished and spotless, *the blood of Christ.*** <sup>20</sup> **For He was foreknown before the foundation of the world, but has appeared in these last times for the sake of you** 1 Peter 1:18-20 (NASB)

<sup>9</sup> **If we receive the testimony of men, the testimony of God is greater; for the testimony of God is this, that He has testified concerning His Son.** <sup>10</sup> **The one who believes in the Son of God has the testimony in himself; the one who does not believe God has made Him a liar, because he has not believed in the testimony that God has given concerning His Son.** 1 John 5:9-10 (NASB)

II. Abide in the apostolic teaching and receive truth from the Holy Spirit so that you will not be ashamed when Jesus returns (2:24-28).

<sup>3</sup> **"This is eternal life, that they may know You, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom You have sent.** John 17:3 (NASB)