

Sermon Listening Guide (February 22, 2026)

Scripture: John 1:4-13

Sermon Title: “Prologue (Part 2)”

Introduction

John 1 answers the question: “Who is Jesus?”

Would you “recommend” Jesus to anyone?

A Light in Darkness

Jesus is “Logos,” life, and light (according to John 1).

In the New Testament, darkness is often associated with low points or tragedy.

The ancient people living in spiritual darkness had an opportunity to see the light of Jesus.

Jesus and the written words of God still serve as brilliant light in our dark times.

Rejected

Why were ancient people unable to recognize Jesus as Lord and Creator?

Modern technology and psychology leave little room for God in the lives of many.

Many people reject Christ today because he is not what they expect.

Receiving and Believing

“The Parable of the Sower” tells the story of the few who receive and accept God’s word.

Those who receive Christ become part of the family of God.

It is wise to note that Jesus is willing to accept any who want to join the family.

Believers go on to multiply and spread God’s word to others.

Final Thoughts

Nowhere in John 1 do we see that light and darkness are equal and opposite forces.

John 1:5 tells us the darkness cannot overcome Christ.

He still shines today.