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I John 5:1-6.

The Central theme: Believers as \_\_\_\_\_.

Definition of “Overcomer”

- Greek term: (*nikaō*) – To \_\_\_\_\_ ; To \_\_\_\_\_ To \_\_\_\_\_
- Related term: (*nikē*) - Meaning: \_\_\_\_\_

### CHARACTERISTICS OF VICTORIOUS FAITH

1. THE PROOF OF TRUE FAITH IS \_\_\_\_\_.

*Whoever believes that Jesus is the Christ is born of God, and everyone who loves Him who begot also loves him who is begotten of Him. Verse 1*

2. THE PRODUCT OF VICTORIOUS FAITH IS \_\_\_\_\_.

Which produces...

a. \_\_\_\_\_.

*<sup>2</sup> By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and keep His commandments*

*“...and everyone who loves Him who begot also loves him who is begotten of Him.”*

b. \_\_\_\_\_.

*“For this is the love of God, that we keep His commandments. And His commandments are not burdensome.” Verse 3.*

c. \_\_\_\_\_.

*<sup>4</sup> For whatever is born of God overcomes the world. And this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith. <sup>5</sup> Who is he who overcomes the world, but he who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?*

3. THE PATHWAY TO VICTORIOUS FAITH IS \_\_\_\_\_.

*This is He who came by water and blood—Jesus Christ; not only by water, but by water and blood. And it is the Spirit who bears witness, because the Spirit is truth. V. 6*