That You May Believe II

And believing you may have life!

Reason to Believe

- John 20:30-31 "And truly Jesus did many other signs in the presence of His disciples, which are not written in this book;
 - but these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that believing you may have life in His name." (NKJV)
- Written For Three Reasons:
 - That you may believe Jesus is the Christ (Gk: savior, Heb: messiah)
 - That you may believe Jesus is the Son of God (This is claim that they used to crucify Jesus for blasphemy)
 - That believing you may have life by His authority

John 2:1-23: The Signs

- John 2:1-12
 - Jesus tuned water to wine
 - Jesus revealed his glory
 - Jesus disciples believed in Him
- John 2:13-23
 - Jesus finds Gods Temple being used like a store
 - Jesus whips people and animals out of God's Temple
 - This action caused the disciples to remember a psalm of David's 69:9
 - The Jews asked for a sign of his authority to do this
 - Jesus says the sign is His resurrection
 - The disciples remembered this word after His resurrection

Jesus Knows People

John 2:24-25

- Jesus did not commit himself to all those who said they believed, because he knew their heart was not with Him
- Jesus did not need anyone to teach Him about people
- Jesus knows what is in the heart of people

Hebrews 4:12-13

"For the word of God is living and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the division of soul and spirit, and of joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart. And there is no creature hidden from His sight, but all things are naked and open to the eyes of Him to whom we must give account."