I. The Standard, v.5. God Himself.

Light means holiness, purity, No darkness or shadow. Ps 104:2 He covers self with light as a cloak. Dwells in light, 1 Tim 6:16. Reaction (1) Lower standard so we can walk in some darkness and call it light. Fake and liers, v.6. Darkness=sin.

Remove this -- Walk in darkness & do not call present(?) lifestyle

II> The Requirement., v.7. Walk in light is tailored requirement for each. Know Word to know light. 2 results: fellowship with bel and constant cleansing bec we respond to added light and realize and repent of darknesses. Stone in pond. Seniors should have more light and more responsibility. CCR at DTS. *God is, we walk in*

Light can attrach & repel   Blood for sanctification

III. The Remedy for Sin, 8-10. What sin? Principle, 8; Practice, 9-10, and personal. Confession. (1) Meaning=agree with God about specific sins. Not my view or excuses but His. (2) Results of confession: turn from sin or same sin again. What to do? Confess and use means not to repeat. Confess not merely words but true sorrow, but no guarantee won't do again. Faithful bec ever lives and just bec basis is death of X which fully paid. Oversensitive— discouragement. Insensitive/unrealitic. Solution, sensitive to Word. Be specific and examine at each stage, each largerger circle. Mature Xns easily become insensitive esp if God is blessing ministry. (3) When to confess? Eph 4:26 take inventory of day. And 1 Cor 11;27-32.

(4) What will be characteristics of confession. Verbal, Life change. Cutting in line. To one, Matt 5:24. To church Matt 18:17. Inappropriate to say some sins. Must edify, 1 Cor 14:26,40. (5) What kind of forgiveness? Family, not sal forgness. Ball game.

IV. All this Illustrated in Courtroom of God.

Standard: sin not, v. 1. Experience: we sin. Still saved? Advocate. Satan prosecuting Rev 12:10. X defense. Paid. Evidence Wounds & death. Satisfactory payment for wrath of God ag.sin. Whole world. Ref. Theology. Have good year of growth in every aarea.