

The Third General Epistle of
JOHN

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Be in sound health, even as your soul has a prosperous journey; helping one another; Demetrius

CHAPTER 1

1 The elder to the beloved Gaius, whom I love in truth.

2 Beloved, I pray for you to have a prosperous journey through all things, and be in sound health, even as your soul has a prosperous journey,

3 Because I greatly rejoiced, the brothers coming and bearing witness of you in the truth, even as you walk in truth.

4 I absolutely do not have greater joy than these, that I hear that my children are walking in truth.

5 Beloved, you do faithfully whatever you work for the brothers and for foreigners,

6 Who bore witness of your love before the face of *the* church, whom you will beautifully well do to send *them* forward worthy of God,

7 Because for his name they went out, taking nothing from the races.

8 Therefore we ought to take up this kind, in order to be fellow workers of the truth.

9 I wrote to the church, but the one loving to be first of them, Diotrephes, absolutely did not receive us.

10 Because of this, in case I come, I will remember his deeds which he does, uttering evil words of nonsense against us, and not possessing satisfaction upon these, and he absolutely does not receive the brothers, and those

willing *to do so* he stops, and throws them out of the church.

11 Beloved, do not imitate the worthless, but the inherently good. The one doing inherent good is of God, and the one doing worthlessness absolutely has not seen God.

12 Witness has been borne to Demetrius by all, and by the truth itself, and we also bear witness, and you know that our witness is true.

13 I had many things to write, but I will absolutely not to write to you with ink and pen

14 And I am hoping soon to see you, and we shall talk mouth to mouth. Peace to you. Our friends embrace you. Embrace the friends according to name.

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