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THE SECOND EPISTLE OF JOHN

¹ The elder to the electe lady and her chyldren which I love in the trueth: and not I only but also all that have knowe the trueth ² for the truthes sake which dwelleth in vs and shalbe in vs for ever. ³ With you be grace mercy and peace from God the father and from the Lorde Iesus Christ the sonne of the father in trueth and love. ⁴ I reioysed greatly that I founde of thy chyldre walkinge in trouth as we have receaved a commaundement of the father. ⁵ And nowe beseche I the lady not as though I wrote a newe commaundement vnto the but that same which we had from the begynninge that we shuld love one another. ⁶ And this is the love that we shulde walke after his commaundementes. This commaundement is (that as ye have hearde from the begynninge) ye shuld walke in it. ⁷ For many deceavers are entred in to the worlde which confesse not that Iesus Christ is come in the flesshe. This is a deceaver and an Antichrist. ⁸ Loke on youre selves that we loose not that we have wrought: but that we may have a full rewarde. ⁹ Whosoever transgresseth and bydeth not in the doctrine of Christ hath not God. He that endureth in the doctrine of Christ hath bothe the father and the sonne. ¹⁰ Yf ther come eny vnto you and bringe not this learninge him receave not to housse: nether bid him God spede. ¹¹ For he that biddeth him God spede is parttaker

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of his evyll dedes. ¹² I had many thinges to wryte vnto you neverthelesse I wolde not wryte with paper and ynke: but I trust to come vnto you and speake with you mouth to mouth that oure ioye maye be full. ¹³ The sonnes of thy electe syster grete the. Amen.

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