

John of Kronstadt Quotes

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Our wickedness shall not overpower the unspeakable goodness and mercy of God; our dullness shall not overpower God's wisdom, nor our infirmity God's omnipotence.

~John of Kronstadt

A Christian must always be kind, gracious, and wise in order to conquer evil by good.

~John of Kronstadt

Love every man in spite of his falling into sin. Never mind the sins, but remember that the foundation of the man is the same - the image of God.

~John of Kronstadt

Evil and faults are corrected by good, by love, kindness, meekness, humility, and patience.

~John of Kronstadt

Leave all human injustices to the Lord, for God is the Judge, but as to yourself, be diligent in loving everybody with a pure heart.

~John of Kronstadt

The longer we remain without confessing, the worse it is for us, the more entangled we become in the bonds of sin, and therefore the more difficult it is to give an account.

~John of Kronstadt

It is necessary to rouse the heart to pray, otherwise it will become quite dry. The attributes of prayer must be: love of God, sincerity, and simplicity.

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Your Lord is a God of mercy and bountifulness: be a source of mercy and bountifulness to your neighbors. If you will be such, you will find

salvation yourself with everlasting glory.

~John of Kronstadt

The Lord is the accomplishment of everything good that I think, feel and do.

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'With God all things are possible' (Mk. 10:27). With God the thought itself is deed. He speaks and it is. Short and clear. And all the worlds stand by the Word of God.

~John of Kronstadt

O, how easy it would appear to be to live in simplicity and love, and yet how difficult it is for our corrupt hearts to live in love!

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Our faith, trust, and love are proved and revealed in adversities, that is, in difficult and grievous outward and inward circumstances, during sickness, sorrow, and privations.

~John of Kronstadt

Physician, heal thyself. Teacher, teach yourself.

~John of Kronstadt

When you say a prayer, He (The Holy Spirit) is in every word of it, and like a Holy Fire, penetrates each word.

~John of Kronstadt

Divine service, being the high contemplation of the mind, is at the same time, and pre-eminently, the peace, the sweetness and blessedness of the heart.

~John of Kronstadt

Your own malice is the bitterest of all evils. Is it then possible to correct

malice by means of evil? Having a beam in your own eye, can you pull out the mote from the eye of another?

~John of Kronstadt

At every step there is a pretext for enmity against our brother.

~John of Kronstadt

Christ taught us truth; the Devil teaches us falsehood, and strives in every way to contradict every truth; devising various calumnies against it.

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