

A SUMMARY OUTLINE OF CHAPTER ONE

- A. John's prologue vss.1-18. In the prologue John establishes the three major themes of the gospel.
 - 1. The pre-incarnate deity of Christ, vss.1-3.
 - 2. Eternal life, its existence and impact upon the world, vss.4-5
 - 3. The witness of John the Baptist, vss.6-13.
 - 4. The incarnation of Christ, vss.14-18.

- B. The end of John the Baptists' ministry and the beginning of Christ's, vss.19-51.
 - 1. The confession of John the Baptist, vss.19-28.
 - 2. John the Baptist identifies Christ as Messiah, vss.29-36.
 - 3. The conversation of Andrew, John (the Apostle), Simon Peter, Philip, and Nathaniel, vss.37-51.