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This is an automatic Table of Contents. The trick to this is making sure to set the style of your headers to the correct header. You can use this template as your formatting or you can manually create your own table of contents matching this style.

Note: in order to have a header in your paper, you must have atleast two points per heading level.

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# Introduction = Header Level 1

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On the first page of your paper, the page number should be centered at the bottom and beginning with 1. (see bottom)

Type your introduction here. Write stuff that goes in an introduction. You get it! You’re going to do great with this paper! Use 1” margins on all sides of the document. Indent the first line of each paragraph by a half inch.

No additional space between body paragraphs.

Main text should be Times New Roman and 12-point font. The main text must also be double-spaced. Your thesis statement belongs at the end of the introduction. This paper will examine John’s revelation of Christ as the Word, the light and Savior.

Add space after each last paragraph before a new header.

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When adding quotes, if the quote is five or more lines in the same formatting of your paper, you will need to make it a block quote. Be sure to lead into your quote by giving enough context so that it does not feel out of place. Stedman explains the dynamic of a God’s grace incredibly well when he wrote,

No additional space before block quote

It is both an accomplished fact (10:10) and a continuing process (10:14), a phenomenon found frequently in Scripture. We may not understand such a mystery, but we can revel in its reality, as the writer intends us to do. All progress in the spiritual life comes from personally apprehending a fact that is already true. To put it simply, we must see what we already *are* by God's grace, in order to manifest that fact by godly behavior.[[4]](#footnote-4)

Add space after block quote to continue double space throughout paper.

Be sure to also flow out of your block quote to smoothly transition back to your own paper. The paragraph out of a block quote should not be indented as you are continuing in the same paragraph as before.

### Joshua in Exodus **= Header Level 3**

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# Conclusion = Header Level 1

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1. First name Last name, *Title of Book* (Place of publication: Publisher, Year of publication), page number. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)
2. Ibid. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)
3. Ellingworth, *Hebrews,* 8. [↑](#footnote-ref-3)
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