# "DIOTROPHES: THE MAN WHO HINDERED GOD'S WORK"

## III JOHN 9-11

1. **THE ATTITUDE OF DIOTROPHES & THE FRUIT THAT IT BORE (VERSES 9-10)**
	1. He Loved To Have The Pre-Eminence (Verse 9)
	2. He Refused To Recognize The Apostolic Authority Of John (Verse 9)
	3. He Slandered The Apostle John (Verse 10)
	4. He Even Refused To Receive John's Associates (Verse 10)
	5. He Excommunicated Anyone Who Dared To Fraternize With John And His Embassage (Verse 10)
2. **THE APPROACH OF JOHN IN ADDRESSING THE PROBLEM (VERSES 10-11)**
	1. An Exhibition Of Christ-Like Attributes Toward The Individual (Verse 10)
	2. An Admonition To The Entire Church To Make Christ-Like Choices (Verse 11)