

The Book of 2 Peter

Chapter 1

1. Verse 1 we read that this letter is “to those who have obtained like precious faith”. This letter is to Christians. Obtained-to get, gain, or procure. How are you doing with your faith? Did you ask Jesus into your heart to be Lord and Savior then bump along your way in life not really knowing God, serving Him or having a relationship with Him? Read Matthew 6:33.
2. What has been given to us in verse 3? How is it done?
3. Peter shares with us in verse 5 how we can add to our faith, with all diligence. Pray and ask God to give you a hunger for His word so that you may add to your faith. What character traits are listed here in verses 6-7?
4. What is the promise for us if we “abound in these things”?
5. In verse 9, Peter tells us why we are lacking in these areas, because” we have forgotten that we were cleansed from our old ways”. Have you forgotten? Do you remember the day you gave your heart to Jesus? What in your life has stolen the joy of the Lord? Confess it and lay it at the feet of Jesus. Start today building your faith!
6. Verse 16 warns us not to follow cunningly devised fables. The Book of 2 Peter as an overview is encouraging us to read and study the Bible. Do you know what you believe? Why you believe it? Read Proverbs 3:5-6, Hebrews 4:2, 2 Timothy 2:15-16.
7. Verses 21-22, read carefully. Chapter 2 tells us of false teachers and doctrines. This is why we need to know what the Bible says. As Peter said in verse 2, “Grace and peace be multiplied to you in the knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord.” Be encouraged! God loves you and wants to have a relationship with you! Question 5, if you don’t remember giving your heart to Jesus, it probably didn’t happen. Why don’t you do it right now? Jesus, I am a sinner, I confess my sins to you. I give you my life and open my heart to you. Be my Lord and Savior. Amen!

Chapter 2

1. False prophets, there are many out there. What warning does Peter give us in verses 1-3?
2. God will bring judgment, because of His grace and mercy; He allows people the opportunity to repent. Dwell on verse 9, what does this say about our Savior?
3. Verses 10-11 describe people that do not believe, maybe even describe people you know? Do you know Christians that act this way? Do you?
4. Deception and unbelief are the fruit a false prophet in verses 12-17. This is the opposite of how Christians should be. Pray for the people you know that have this kind of heart, Jesus wants to save!
5. Verse 19 is a horrid deception. What does this verse mean to you?

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6. Verse 20-22, Peter is telling us about false prophets who had known the way of righteousness. Have you been to a church, heard the good news of Jesus, yet heard so much guilt and condemnation (bondage as Peter says)? It can be very confusing if you don't understand Gods word. Read John 10:10.

Chapter 3

1. Verse 1-7 is a picture of what we see today with people that do not believe or do not want to believe. How does verse 5 explain this?
2. God's timeline is not like ours. How does verse 8 describe God's view of time?
3. Verse 9 brings comfort and shows God's love toward all. What words stand out to you in this verse?
4. How will the day of the Lord come in verse 10?
5. How are we to be according to verse 11? Are you?
6. Again in verse 14, we are given instruction. How will God find you?
7. Verse 18 is telling us again to grow. How is your life of grace with others? How is your knowledge? All in Jesus? Read Micah 2:8