

1 Peter 1:1-25

- 1. Why does Peter open verse 1 with an explanation of who he is?**
- 2. Why were (are) followers considered to be strangers of this world**
- 3. List the steps Peter describes in the life of a follower:**
 - a. Chosen with_____**
 - b. Sanctified by _____**
 - c. Becomes _____ to Christ**
- 4. Why should we credit God's mercy for our hope?**
- 5. When will we see the fullness of God's glory revealed?**
- 6. Peter describes trials yielding what benefits?**
- 7. Who benefits from prophecy?**
- 8. What does Peter tell us to do with our minds?**
- 9. Peter tells us to be holy. How can we as sinners achieve this?**
- 10. How should we live our lives as defined by Peter?**
- 11. What does Peter indicate about God's word?**

1 Peter 2:1-25

- 1. How can we reject the sinful good of this world and crave only that which is good?**
- 2. Peter credits Jesus as being the focus of salvation. Contrast this with those who credit Peter in the book of Matthew as the focus of being the “rock” of salvation.**
- 3. Peter describes those who rejected Christ will also face the ultimate rejection. How were they destined for such results?**
- 4. List the four characteristics Peter Indicates followers are:**
 - a. Chosen_____**
 - b. Royal _____**
 - c. A _____ nation**
 - d. People _____ to God**
- 5. In the list above, what do you notice about how each characteristic builds on a key facet of Christianity?**
- 6. How does proper living provide witness to others about God?**
- 7. Why does earthly submission to authorities provide profit to God’s kingdom?**
- 8. How can we compare our own suffering with that of Christ?**

1 Peter 3:1-22

- 1. Why do you think Peter dealt with his own submission to Christ?**
- 2. What did Peter mean by “in the same way” when he urged wives to be submissive to husbands?**
- 3. Peter appears to address women who are married to non-believers? What is unique about how he indicates these wives are to act?**
- 4. Why are purity and reverence complimentary virtues in Christian wives?**
- 5. Define “a gentle and quiet spirit”. Why is this a unique gift from God to His people?**
- 6. Why did Peter discuss Sarah as a godly example?**
- 7. How does the 1st century husband/wife relationship differ from ours? Think of the cultural framework of Peter’s time.**
- 8. What responsibilities are outlined for the Christian husband?**

- 9. Peter quoted Psalm 34:12-16 in verses 8-9. Name 5 things from that citation that assures of us “good days”.**
- 10. How has your own life experiences validates Peter’s statement in verse 12?**
- 11. What does Peter call sufferings for what is right?**
- 12. How can we always be prepared to “give an answer”**
- 13. Can Christians be overbearing or even obnoxious in how that share Christ with others? If yes, list some of the ways or examples that you have observed?**
- 14. Jesus preached to the spirits in prison. How do you interpret this verse.**