



Exiles: A Study in 1 Peter

Week 2: Living Hope | Teacher: Libin Abraham

Sermon Questions for 9.19.2021

Opener

How long would you want to tread water before being able to get out? Have you ever tried to see how long you could go?

Read

1 Peter 1:3-12; 2 Corinthians 4:17; 1 Peter 3:3-5; Isaiah 48:10

Main Points

1. Our Future is Secure.
 - a. Born again into Living Hope.
 - b. Born again into an Inheritance.
 - c. Born again for a Salvation ready to be revealed.
2. Our Present has Purpose.
 - a. Trials prove that our faith is genuine.
 - b. Suffering in the hand of God always leads to glory.

Engage with God in a Group

- How have you experienced the difference between hope and desire?
- When you read 1 Peter 1:3-12, what do we learn about suffering/trials/difficulties?
- What encouragement can we find in these verses?
- If our future is secure and our present has purpose, how does that affect how we live today, in the varied circumstances we are experiencing?

Bottom Line

Living hope is not desire, but certainty.