



## ***“Because the End is Near”***

1 Peter 4:7-11  
PART 23

### INTRODUCTION

- false prophets and their famous predictions

Mt. 24:36

- the church's eager anticipation of Christ's return

Rev. 22:20  
Phil. 3:20; Tit. 2:13

- of theological importance to us in this discussion...

+ *eminence*  
+ *immanence*  
+ *imminence*

- Peter's affirmation of “the end” drawing near

Mk. 1:15

- avoiding two errors...

### *1. Mental preparation for the end (4:7)*

Rom. 12:3

### *2. Spiritual preparation for the end (4:7)*

### *3. Relational preparation for the end (4:8-11)*

- fervent love

Lk. 22:44

- love that “covers sins”

Prov. 10:12; Jms. 5:20

- love that shows hospitality

Heb. 13:2

- love that seeks to serve

### CONCLUSION