

Series: The Testing of your Assurance

1 Peter

Wednesday Night Bible Study

7:00 PM

**Know the Truth About Trials
and
Temptations, 1:6-9**

February 3, 2021 / 21 Shevat 5781

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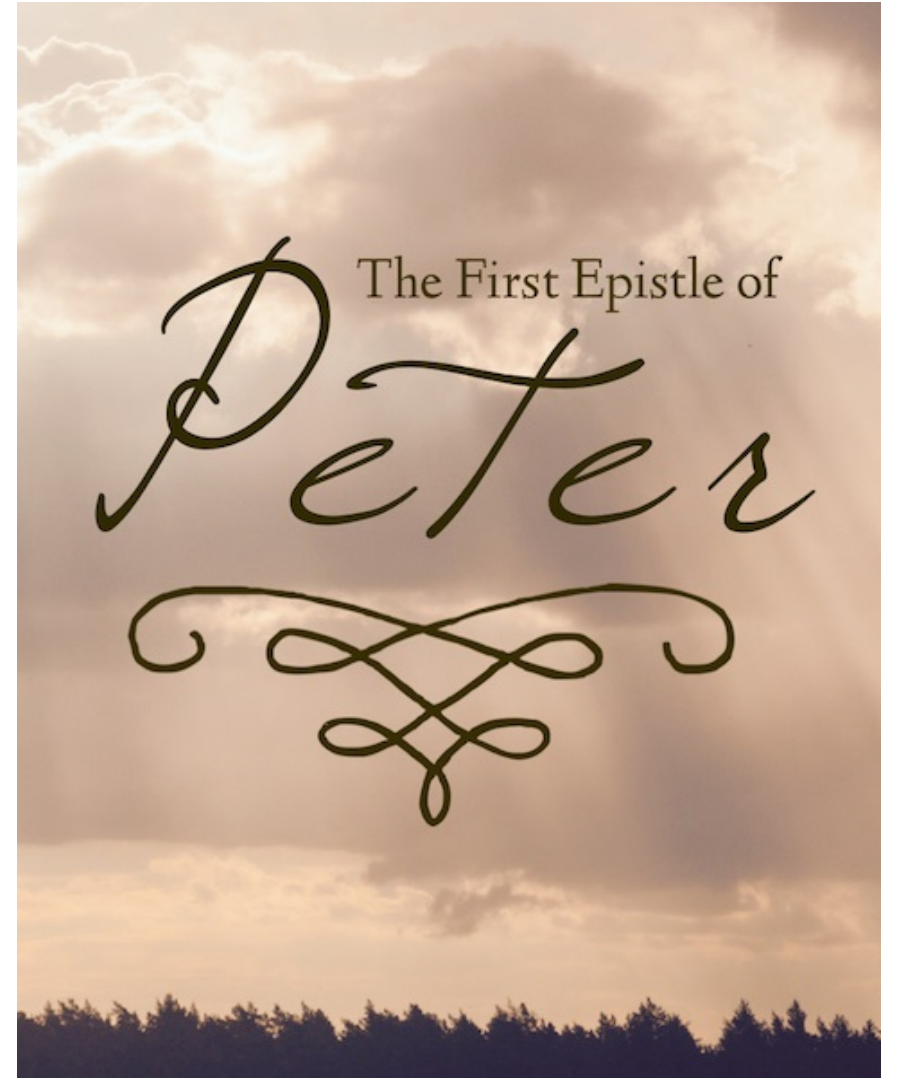
I. HOW TO BE SECURE THROUGH SUFFERING: KNOW THAT YOU ARE SAVED,

1:1-12

1. Know that You Are the Chosen of God, **1:1-2**
2. Know the Believer's Living Hope, **1:3-5**
- 3. Know the Truth About Trials and Temptations, 1:6-9**
4. Know the Wonder and Greatness of Salvation, **1:10-12**

Peter 1:5

**Who are kept by the
power of God through
faith unto salvation
ready to be revealed in
the last time.**



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Know the Truth About Trials and Temptations, **1:6-9**

1. Know the fact:

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2. Know the purpose

for trials and temptations (v.7**).**

3. Know how to conquer

trials and temptations (v.8-9**).**

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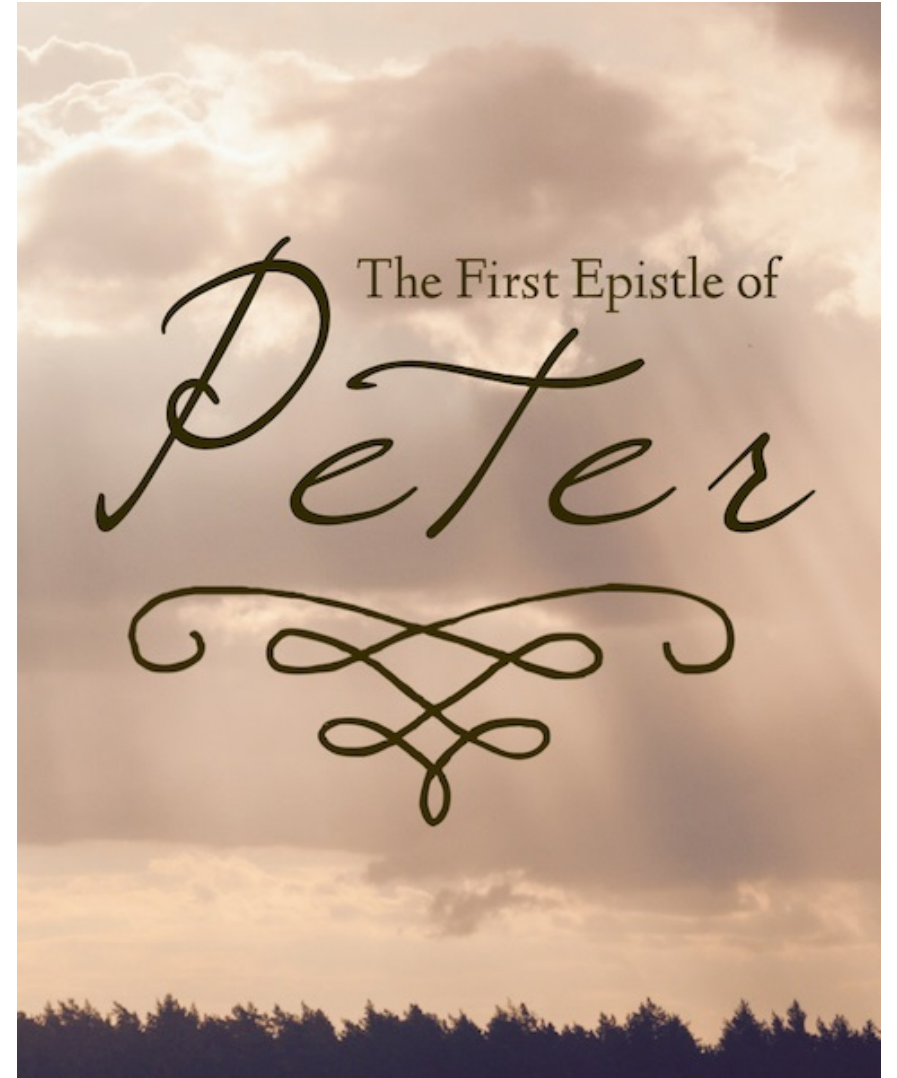
Know the Truth About Trials and Temptations, **1:6-9**

The believer has to bear added trials of persecution because of their testimony
two things that are said.

1. Trials and temptations are only for a season; they are only for a little while, for a short time. **V.6**

1 Peter 1:6

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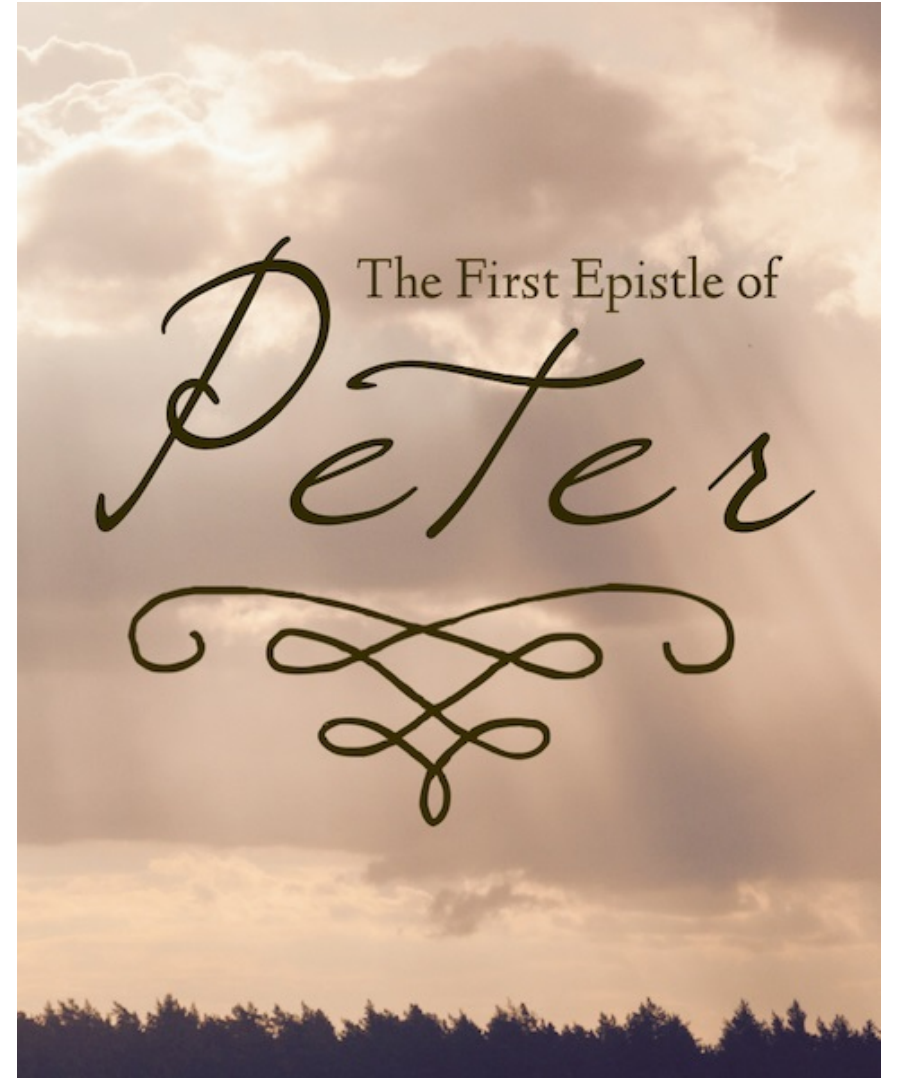
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2. Trials and temptations cause a heaviness within us. V.6

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Why not ignore the fact, think positively, and look at only the good and move on?

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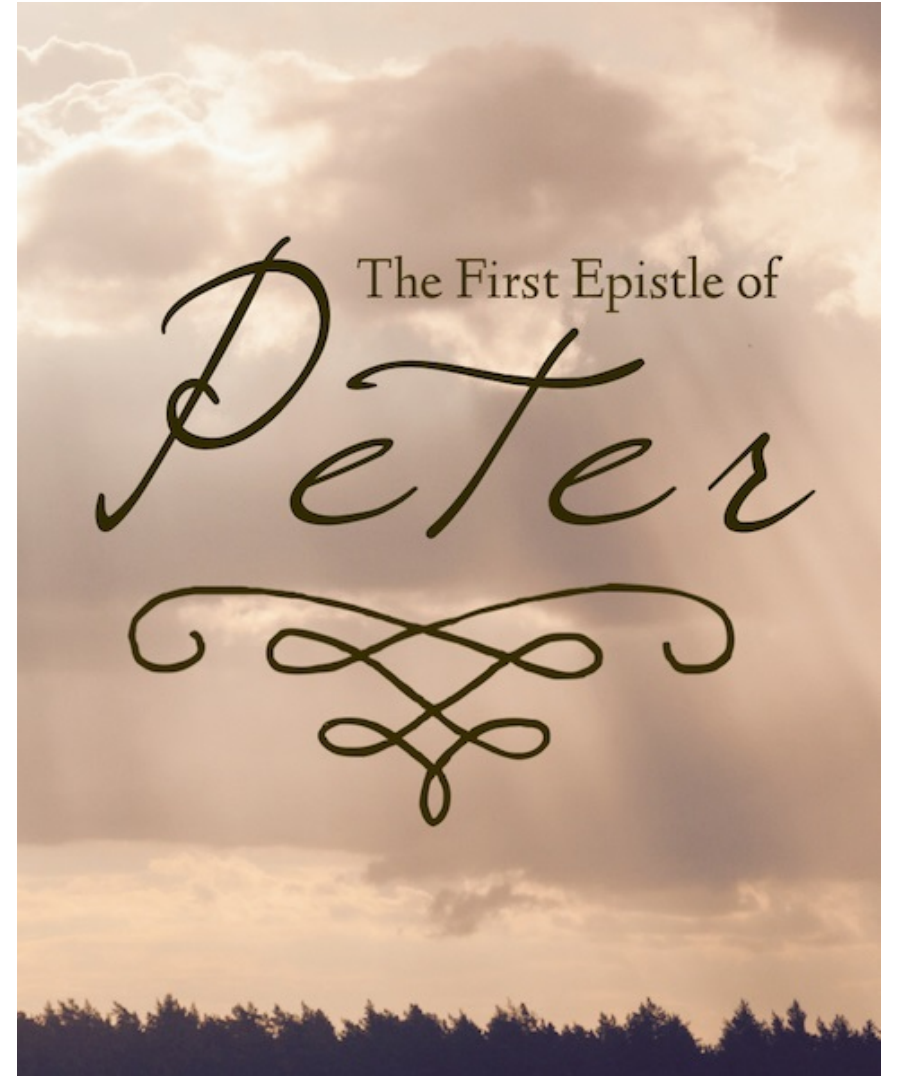
**Scripture says there are two reasons
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1. The believer's faith must be tried.
V.7a

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1 Peter 1:7

**That the trial of your faith,
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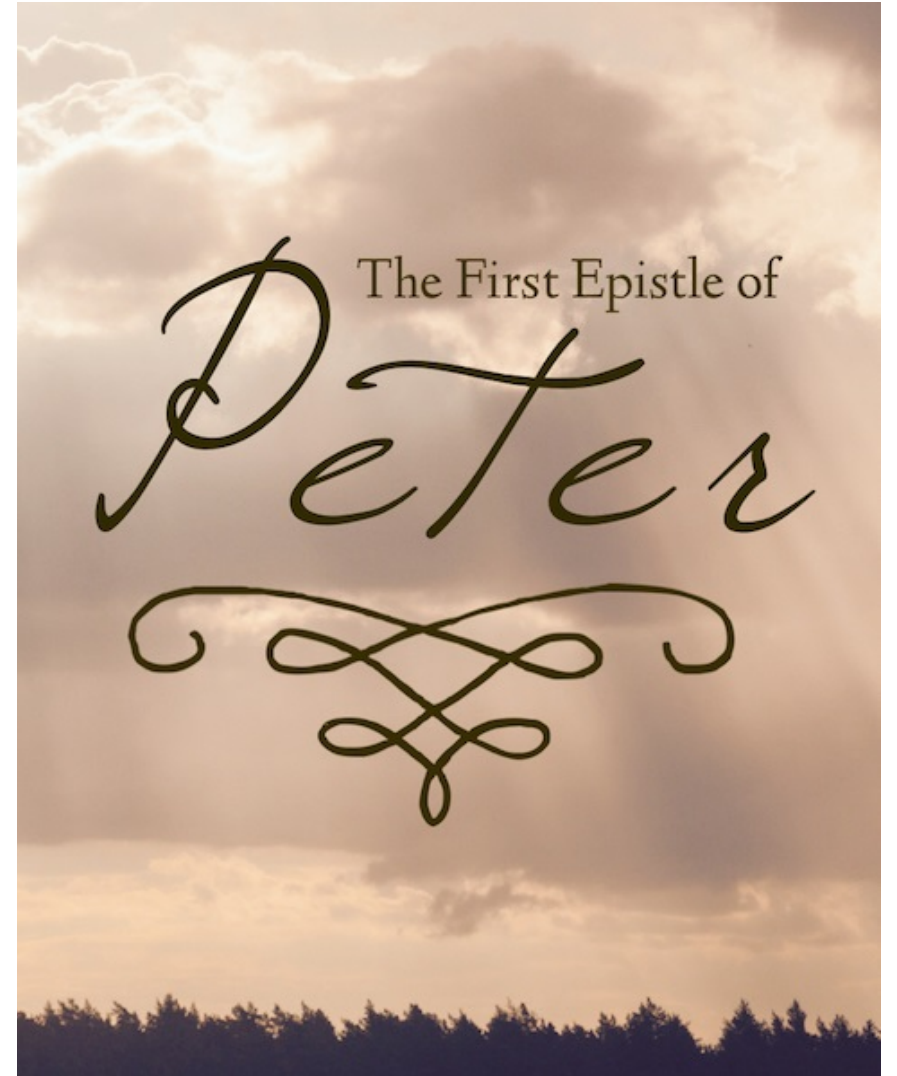
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Scripture says there are two reasons why the believer is tried and tempted.

2. The believer's faith is tried in order to show forth the praise, honor, and glory of Jesus Christ and of the believer. **V.7B**

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When Jesus Christ appears—when He returns to earth—

• **2 things are going to be seen.**

1. Jesus Christ is going to be seen exalted higher than the heavens themselves; He is going to be seen in all the honor and glory of the universe.

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2. Believers are going to be seen exalted higher than anyone could ever ask or even think; they are going to be exalted in the very same honor and glory of Christ Himself.

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How can we conquer trials and temptations when they are so devastating, destructive, powerful, damaging, and threatening?

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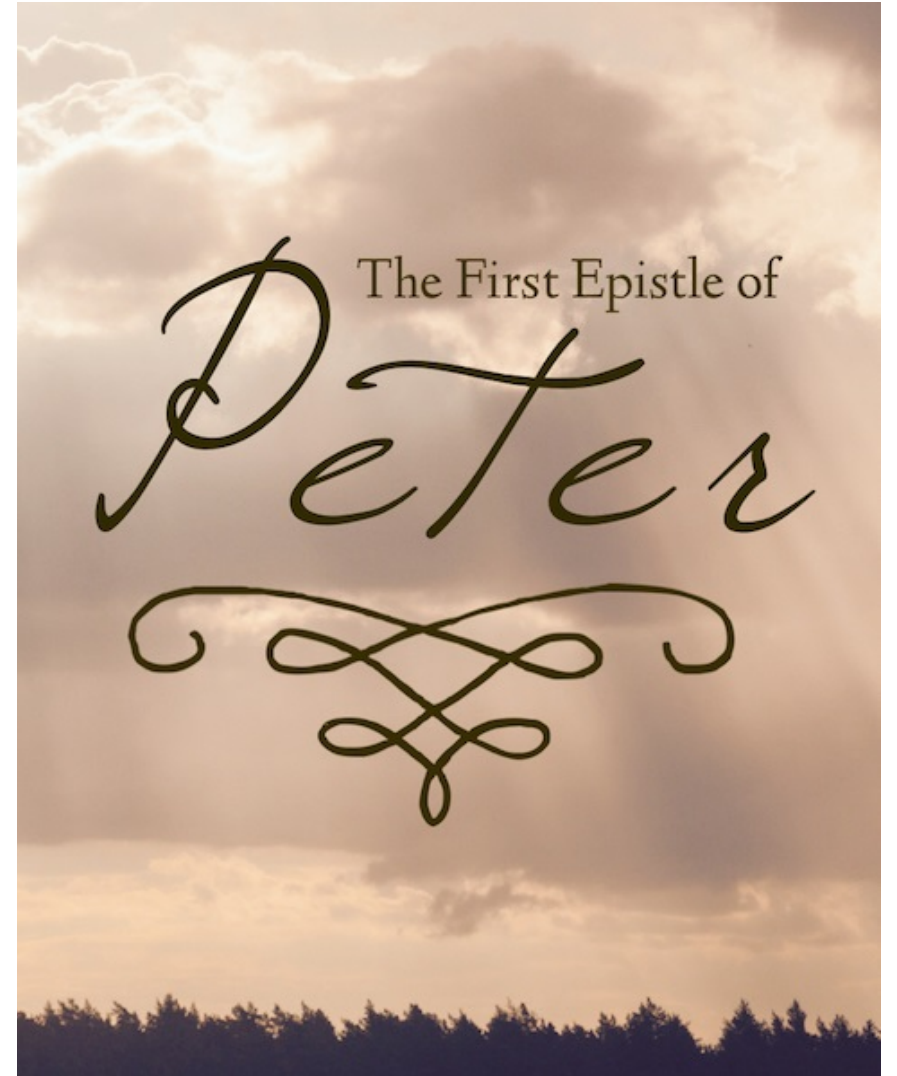
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How do we overcome trials and temptations? 4 Ways

1. First, we conquer them by our love for Christ. v.8

1 Peter 1:8

Whom having not seen, ye love; in whom, though now ye see him not, yet believing, ye rejoice with joy unspeakable and full of glory:



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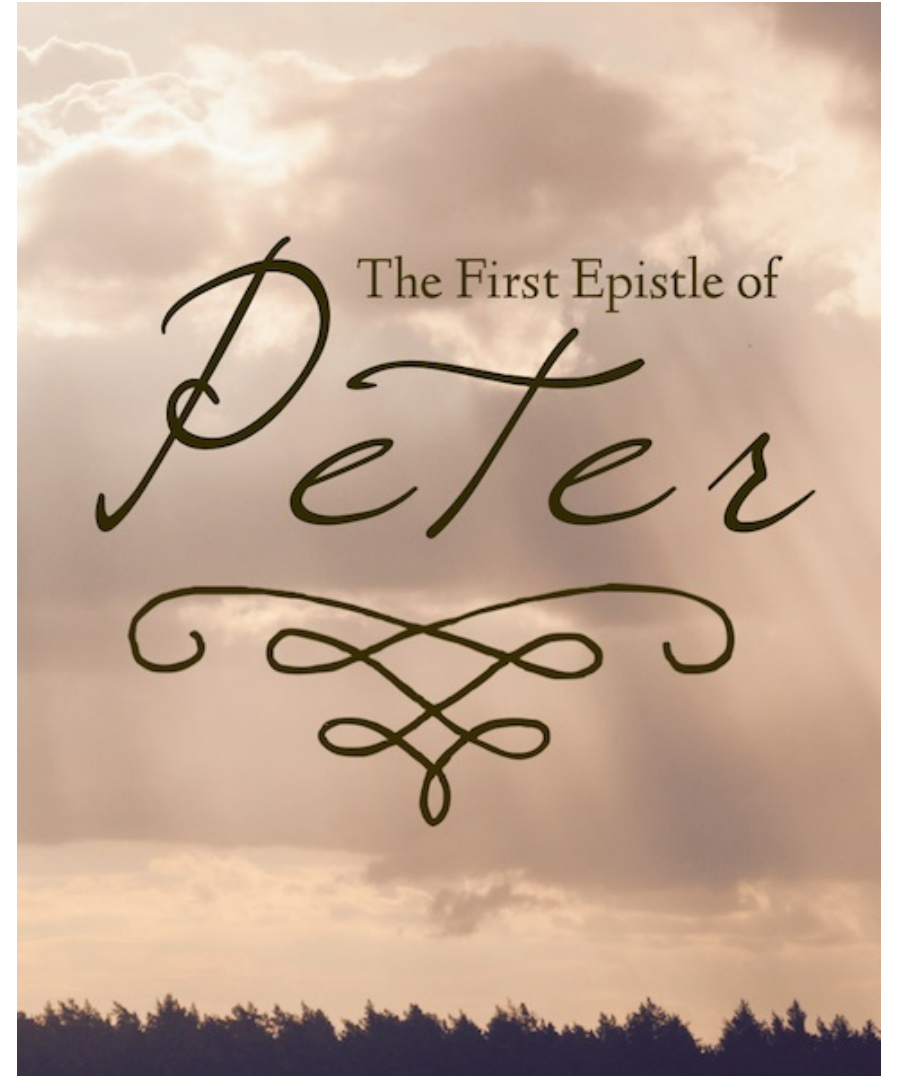
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2. Trials and temptations are to be conquered by our belief in Jesus Christ.

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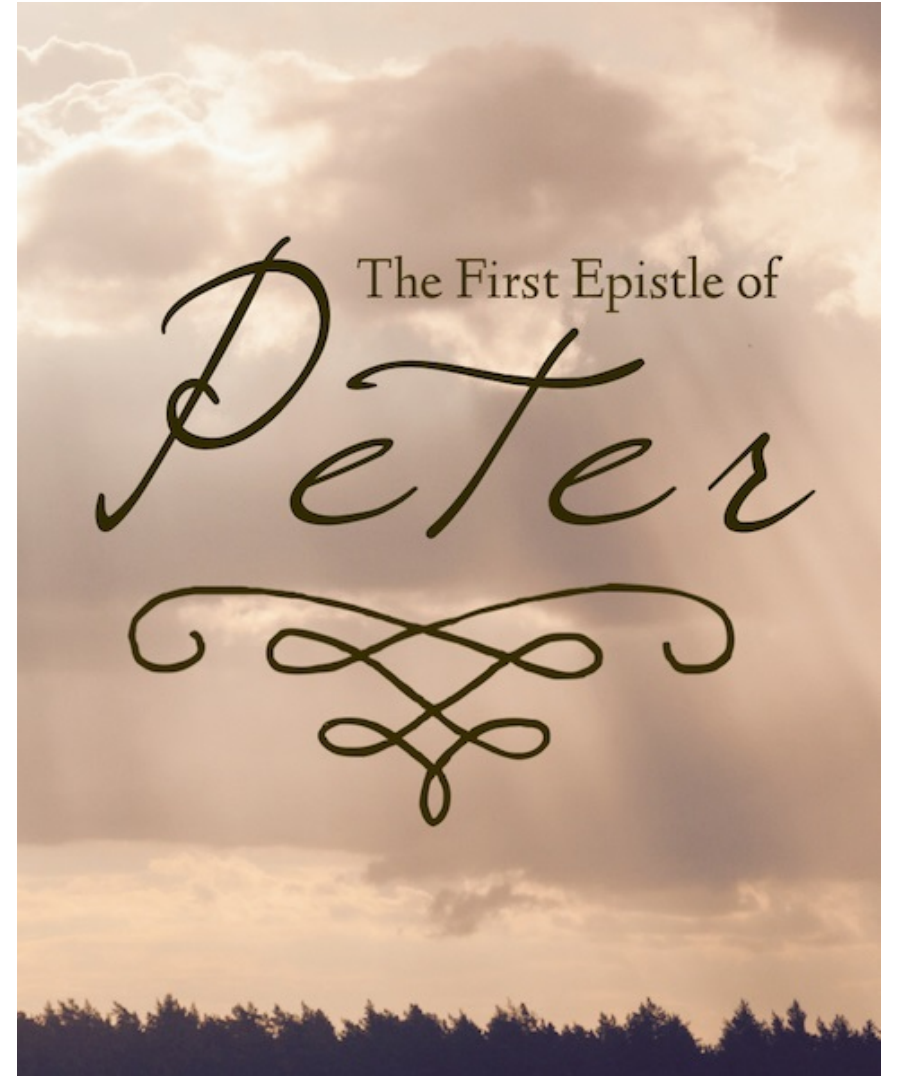
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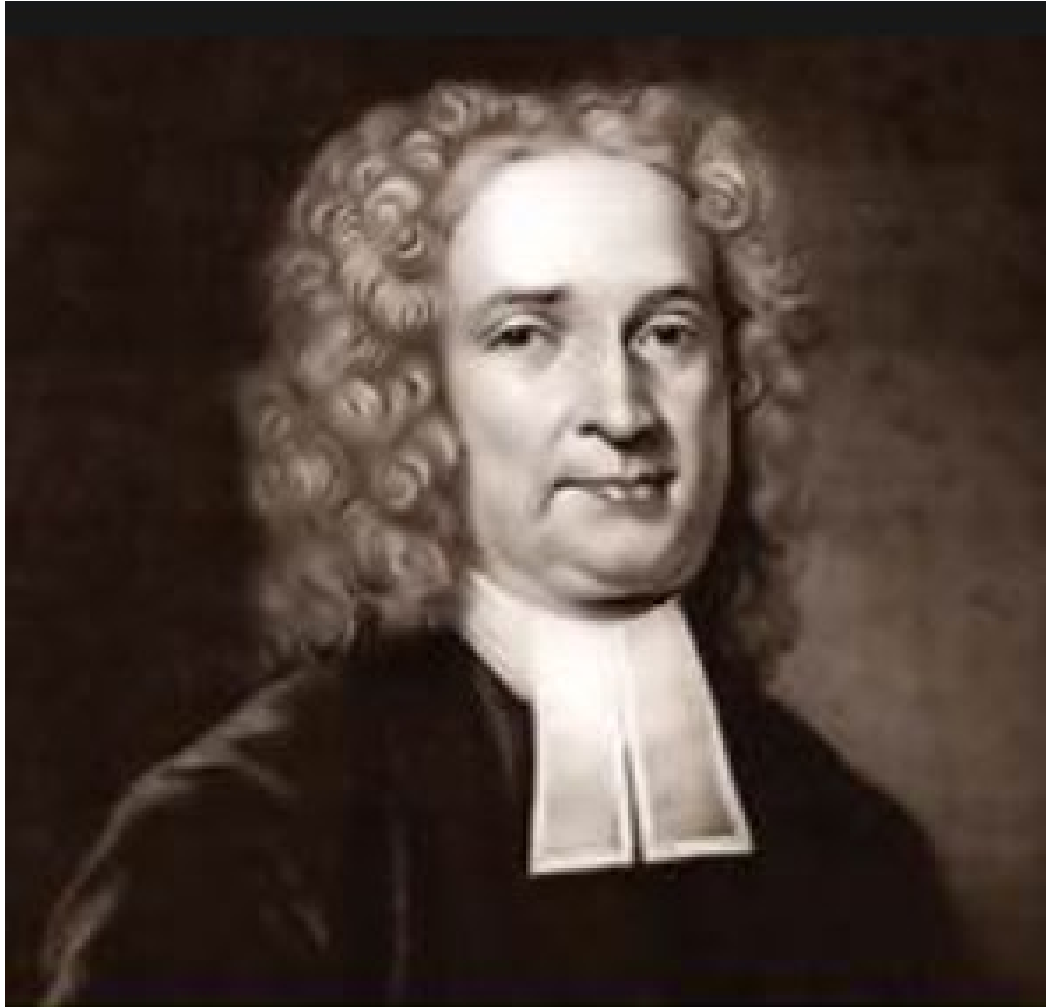
3. Trials and temptations are to be conquered by rejoicing and by the unspeakable joy that fills our hearts. v.8

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Matthew Henry



"This joy is inexpressible, it cannot be described by words; the best discovery is by an experimental taste of it; it is full of glory, full of heaven.

There is much of heaven and the future glory in the present joys of...Christians"

(Matthew Henry's Commentary, Vol.6, p.1007.)

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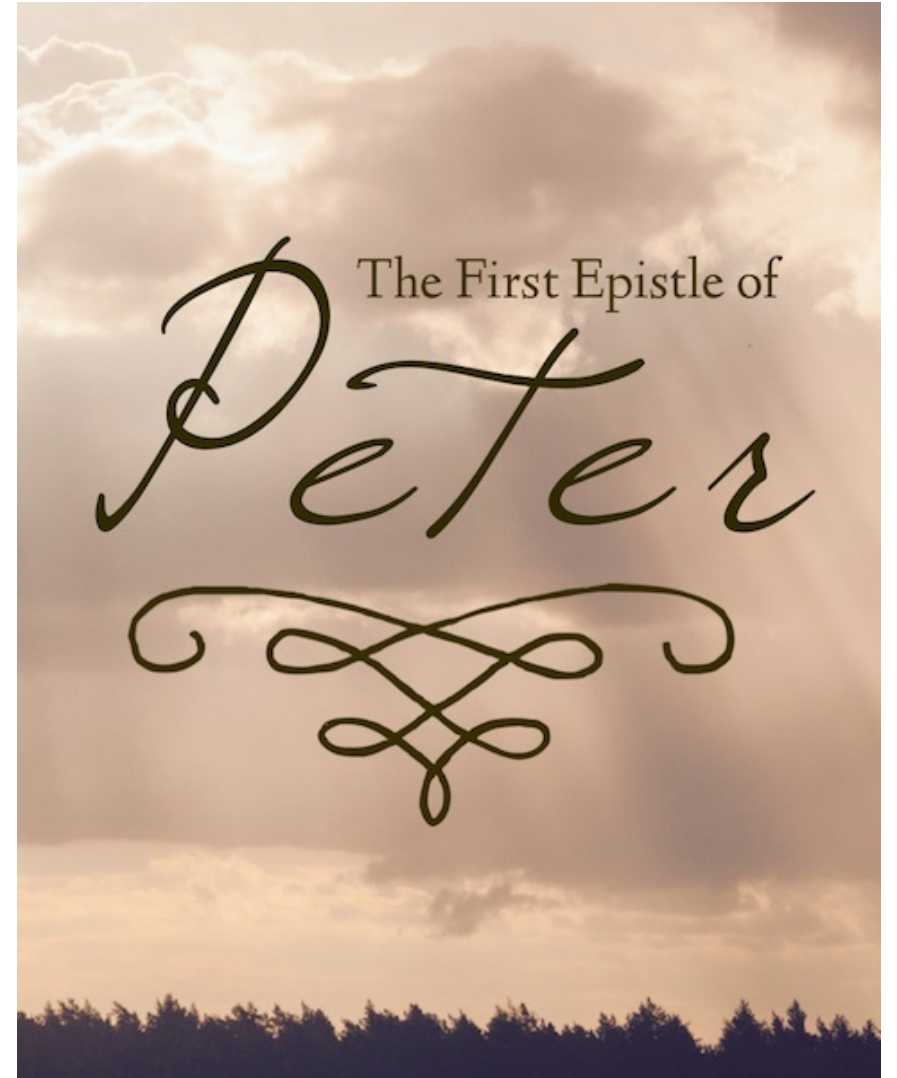
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4. Trials and temptations are to be conquered by keeping our eyes focused upon the salvation of our souls. V.9

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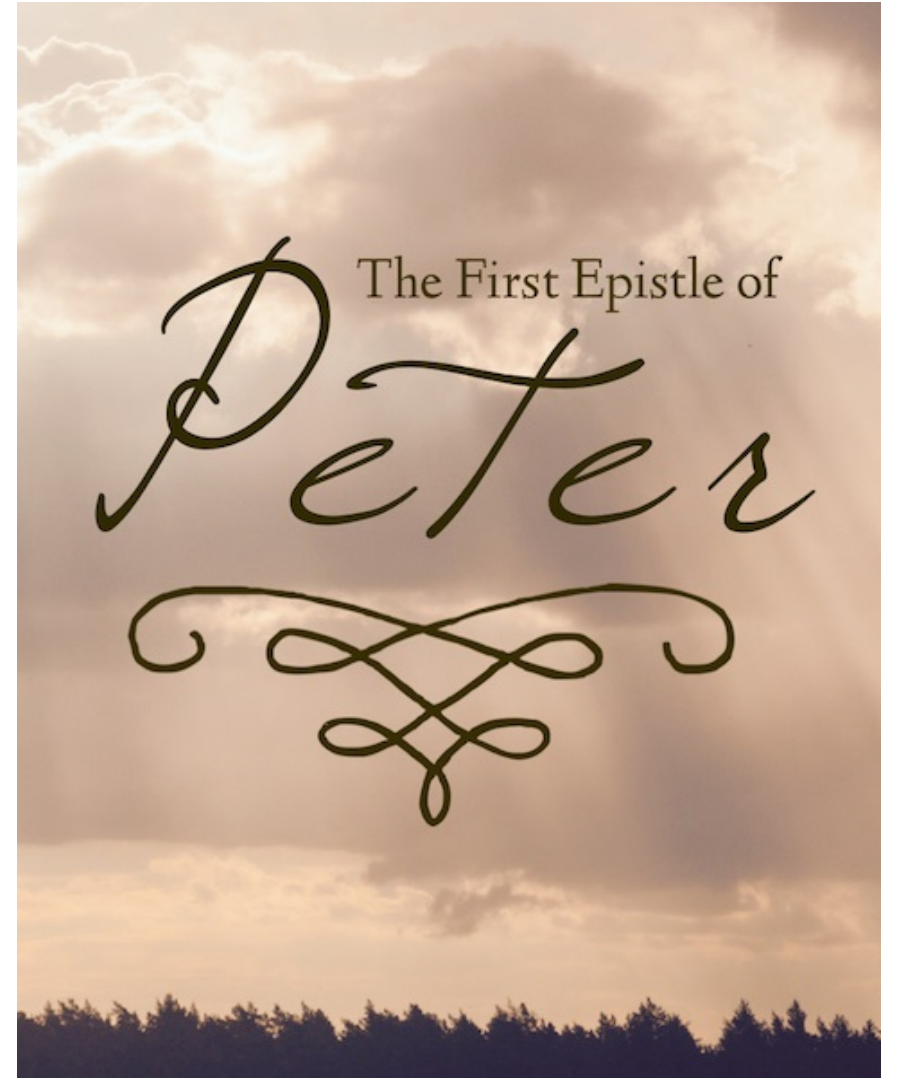
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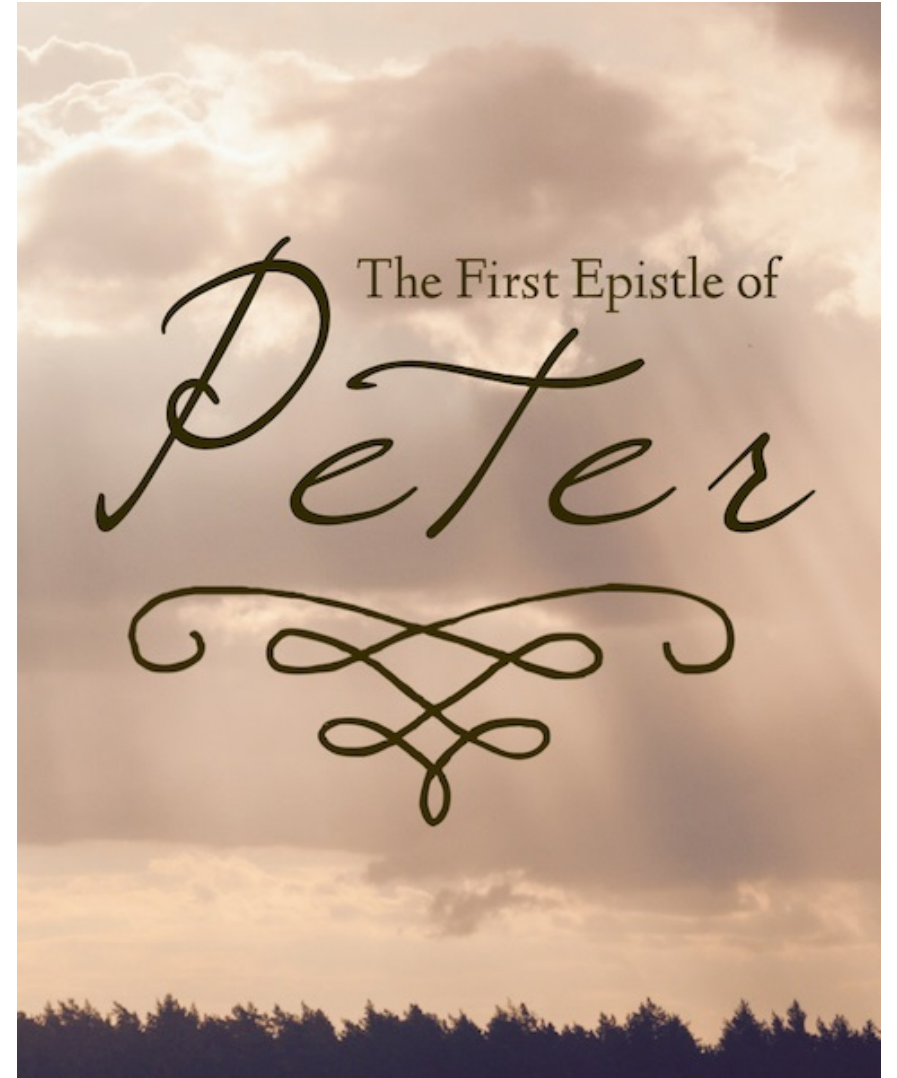
1 Peter 1:10

Of which salvation the prophets have enquired and searched diligently, who prophesied of the grace that should come unto you:



1 Peter 1:11

Searching what, or what manner of time the Spirit of Christ which was in them did signify, when it testified beforehand the sufferings of Christ, and the glory that should follow.



1 Peter 1:12

Unto whom it was revealed, that not unto themselves, but unto us they did minister the things, which are now reported unto you by them that have preached the gospel unto you with the Holy Ghost sent down from heaven; which things the angels desire to look into

