

**REMEMBER THE SIGNIFICANT TESTIMONY and FUTURE REWARD
You Can Possess
(2 Peter 1:10-11)**

A. The EMPHASIS of PETER'S MINISTRY. (2 Peter 1:12-15)

B. The EXPLANATION of Several KEY SCRIPTURAL TRUTHS to Remember.

1. God wants you to remember the SAVIOR you've trusted. (1:1)
2. God wants you to remember your SPIRITUAL BLESSINGS by His grace. (1:2-4)
3. God wants you to remember the SPIRITUAL GROWTH you can enjoy. (1:5-8)
4. God wants you to remember the SEVERE CARNALITY you can experience. (1:9)
5. God wants you to remember the _____ and _____ you can possess. (1:10-11)

a. *Two observations* you need to make when considering these verses (1:10a):

- 1) The word "brethren" indicates that these verses are directed toward _____ who are part of the _____.
 - Is this an important distinction to make?
- 2) The conjunction "therefore" indicates that verses 11 and 12 are a logical _____ and _____ of what was taught in the previous verses.
 - What truths did verses 1-9 emphasize?

b. *The exhortation* you need to hear and heed for ongoing spiritual growth and fruitfulness in your Christian life.

- 1) The *necessity* of this exhortation is underscored by the phrase "be even more" which means _____.
- 2) The *command* of this exhortation is for you to be even more _____ when it comes to your spiritual growth and fruitfulness in your Christian walk.
 - Is this optional or imperative?
 - Does this happen by accident or is it volitional?
 - Is it a one-time decision or must you choose this over and over again?

The DOWNLOAD on DILIGENCE

God wants you (as a believer) to diligently pursue ...

1. _____ daily (Hebrews 11:6) as He is your Lord (Romans 6:11-13) and Life (John 15).
2. The _____ life which God has provided by His grace. (Hebrews 4:9-11)
3. The _____ and _____ of the Word of truth. (2 Timothy 2:15)
4. Spiritual _____ and _____ in your Christian life. (2 Pet.1:5-8)
5. _____ the _____ of the Spirit practically that we have positionally in Christ. (Ephesians 4:1-3)
6. A life of godly _____ and _____ in light of Jesus Christ's future return. (2 Peter 3:10-14)
7. Making your calling and election _____. (2 Peter 1:10)

3) The *object* of this exhortation is “to make your call and election _____”.

- What does “call” mean, and how does Peter use it? (1 Pet.1:15, 2:9, 3:9, 5:10; 2 Pet.1:3,10)
- What does “election” mean, and how does Peter use it?
- What does “sure” mean, and how must this be clarified?
- What is the place of good works for the believer?

c. The *results* of heeding this exhortation for ongoing spiritual growth and fruitfulness.(1:10b-11)

1) In *time*, your diligent walk of faith and ongoing spiritual growth and fruitfulness will mean that “you will never _____.”

- What can a believer never fall from and what can he fall into?

2) In *eternity*, your diligent walk of faith and ongoing spiritual growth and fruitfulness now will result so that “an _____ will be supplied to you _____ into the _____ of our _____ and _____ Jesus Christ.

- What is the key phrase to observe lest you become confused and miss the point?
- Where else is the truth of a future reward taught in the NT?
- Who does this passage (1:1-11) focus on from beginning to end?