

**Wednesday Night Bible Study**

**PVBC**

**7:00 PM**



**2 Peter 3:1-10 Study  
Series:**

**Authenticity For Truth-less Times**

**Why Has Christ  
Not  
Returned?**

**July 21<sup>st</sup> , 2021 / 12 Av 5781**

**2 Peter**

**3 Important Facts about  
the Promise of Christ's Coming**

**1. God's Word Is  
True**

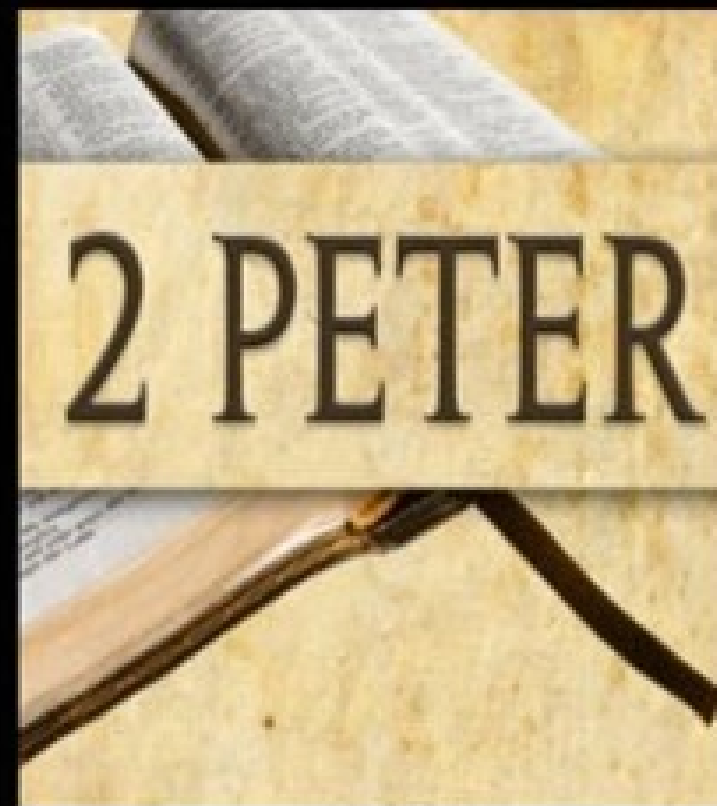
**2 Peter 3:1-4**

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## 2 Peter 3:1 KJV

**1** This second epistle, beloved, I now write unto you; in *both* which I stir up your pure minds by way of remembrance:

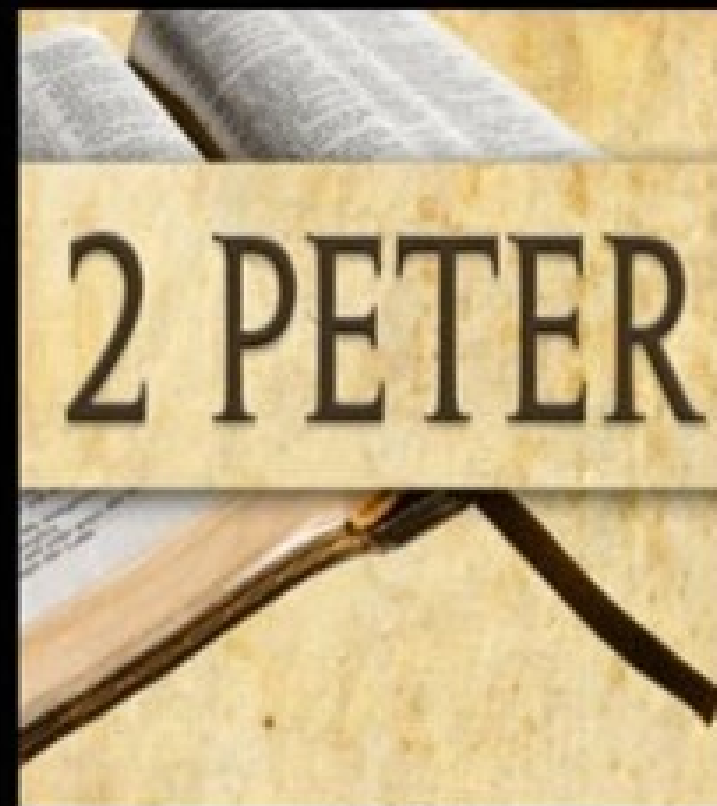
Scripture. **v.1-2**



## 2 Peter 3:2 KJV

2 That ye may be mindful of the words which were spoken before by the holy prophets, and of the commandment of us the apostles of the Lord and Saviour:

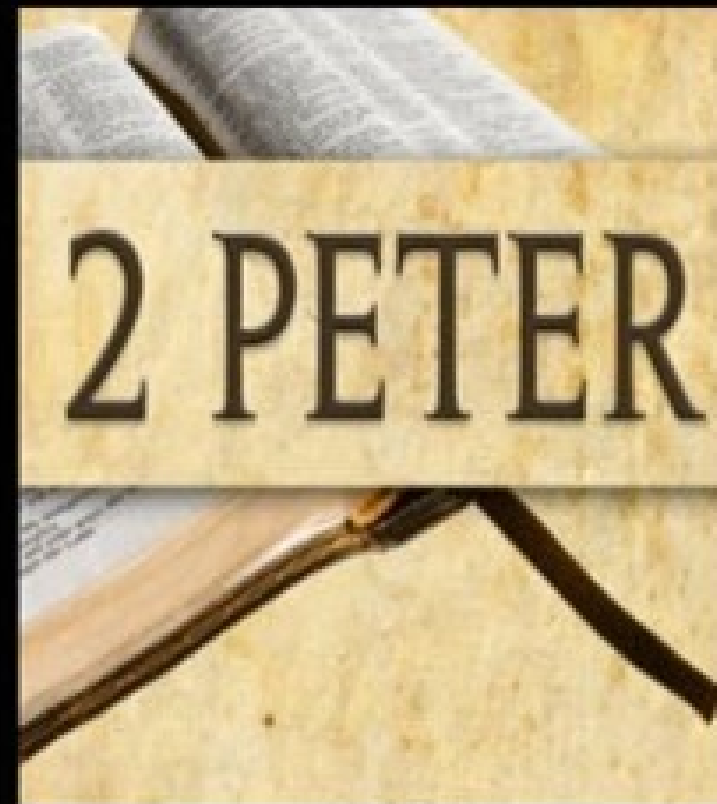
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## 2 Peter 3:3 KJV

**3a** Knowing this first, that there shall come in the last days scoffers, walking after their own lusts, b

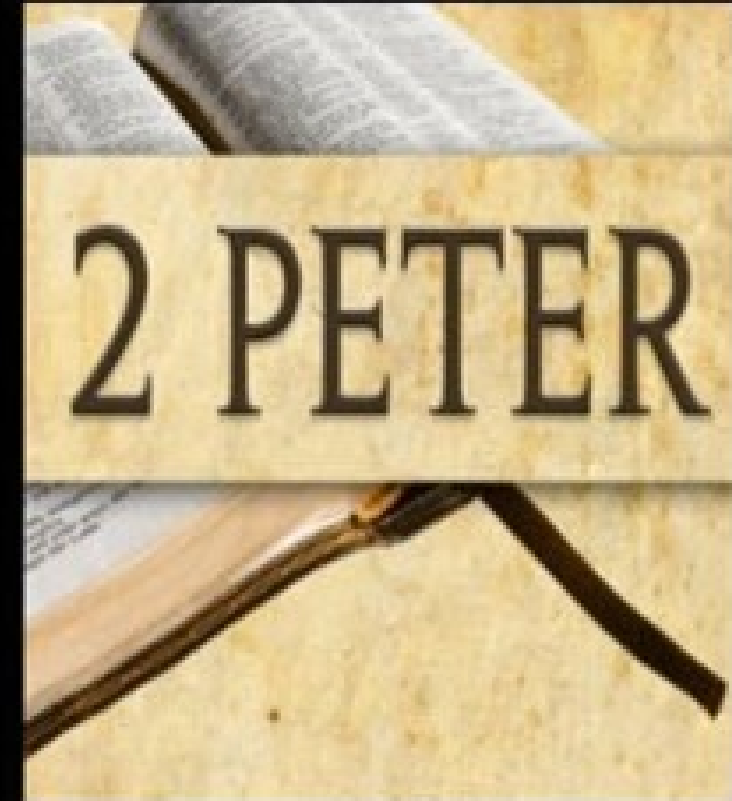
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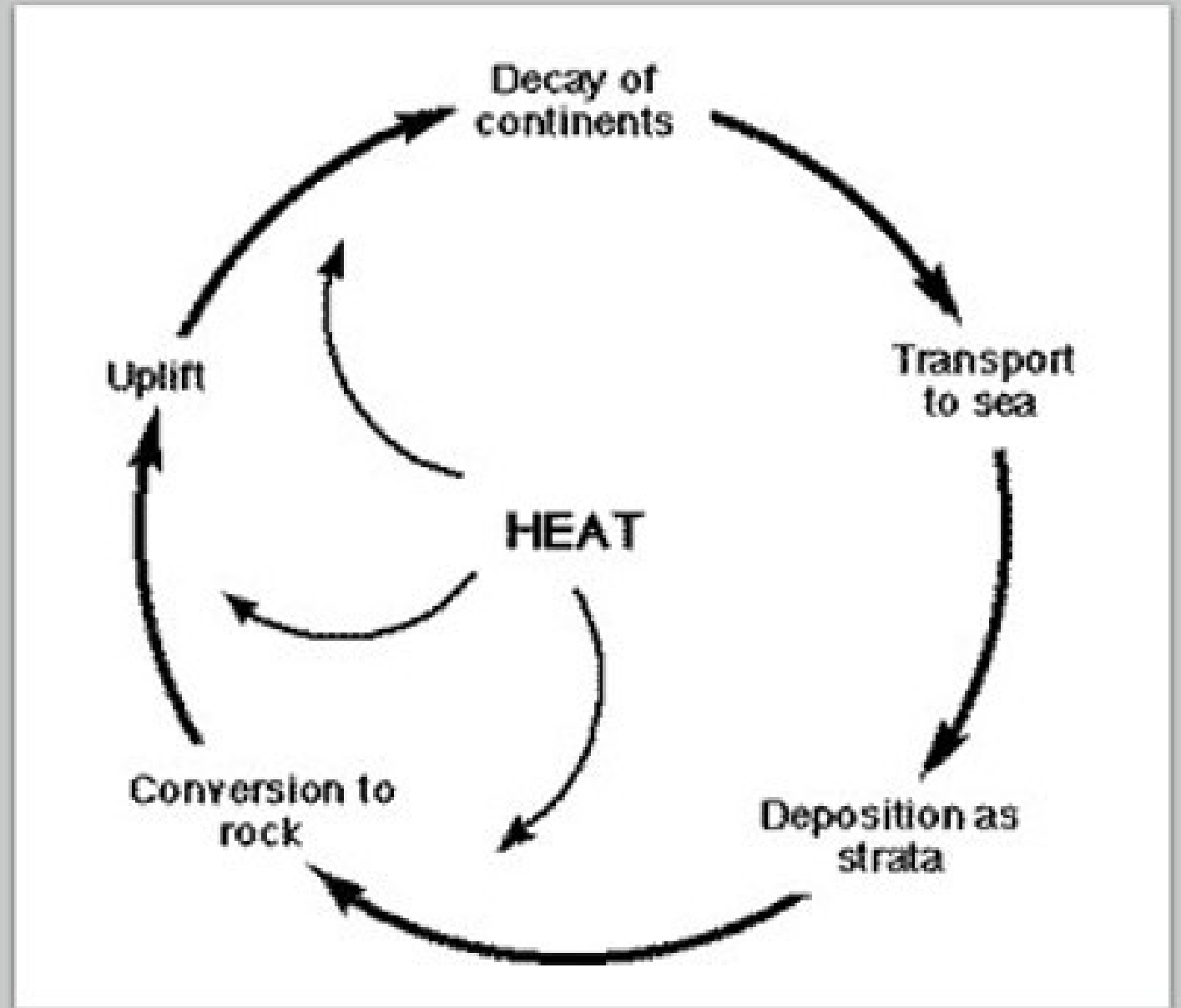
**Immorality v.3b**

### 2 Peter 3:4 KJV

4 And saying, Where is the promise of his coming? for since the fathers fell asleep, all things continue as *they were* from the beginning of the creation.



Uniformitarianism, also known as the Doctrine of Uniformity or the Uniformitarian Principle, is the assumption that the same **natural laws** and **processes** that operate in our present-day scientific observations have always operated in the universe in the past and apply everywhere in the universe.



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**2. God's Work Is  
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**2 Peter 3:5-7**

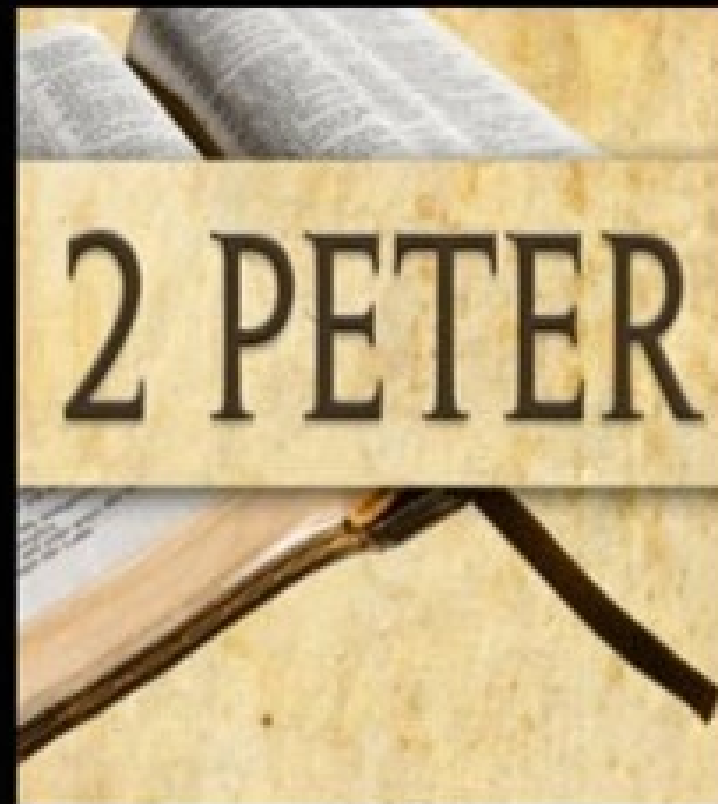
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## 2 Peter 3:5 KJV

**5** For this they willingly are ignorant of, that by the word of God the heavens were of old, and the earth standing out of the water and in the water:

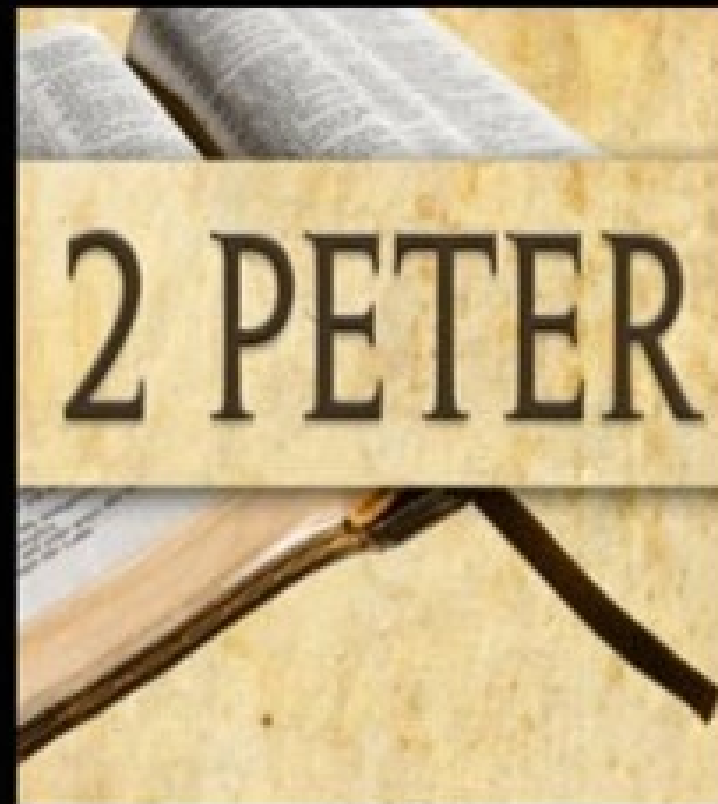
**History. v.5-7**



## 2 Peter 3:6 KJV

**6** Whereby the world that then was, being overflowed with water, perished:

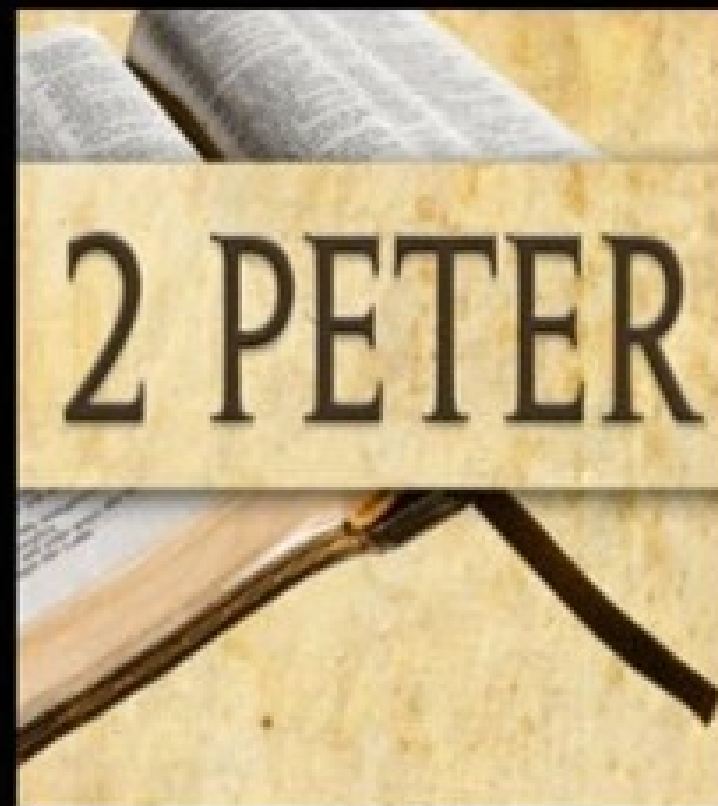
**History. v.5-7**



## 2 Peter 3:7 KJV

**7** But the heavens and the earth, which are now, by the same word are kept in store, reserved unto fire against the day of judgment and perdition of ungodly men.

**History. v.5-7**



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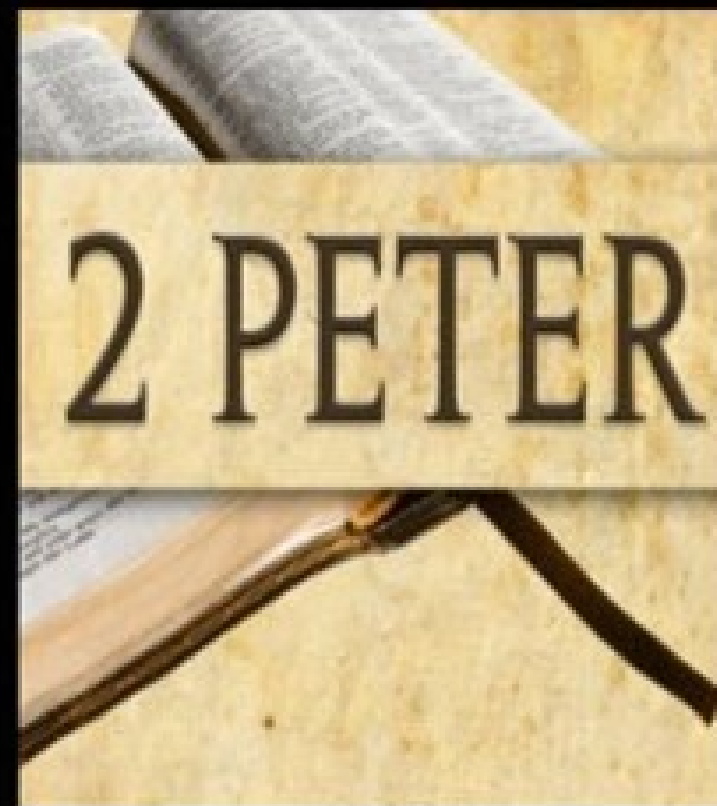
**2 Peter 3:8-10**

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## 2 Peter 3:8 KJV

**8** But, beloved, be not ignorant of this one thing, that one day *is* with the Lord as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day.

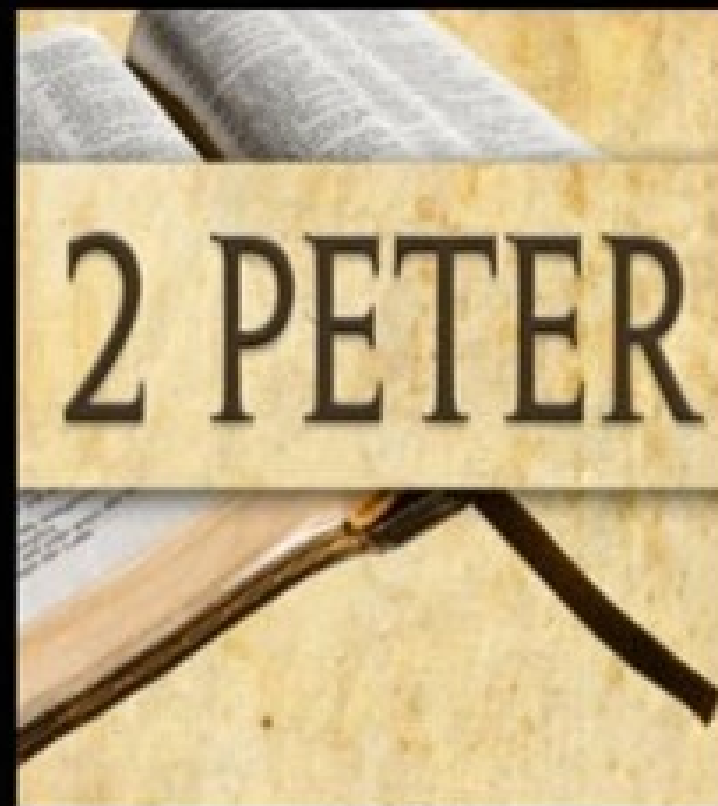
**Eternity. v.8**



## 2 Peter 3:9 KJV

**9** The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance.

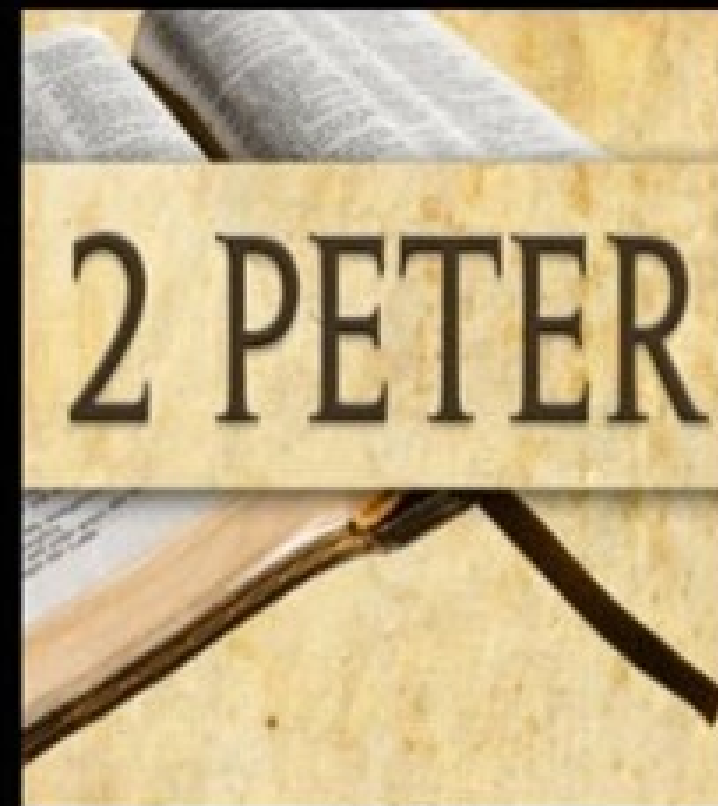
**The Character of  
God. v.9**



## 2 Peter 3:10 KJV

**10** But the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night; in the which the heavens shall pass away with a great noise, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat, the earth also and the works that are therein shall be burned up.

**Divine Judgment.**  
**v.10**



# 2 Peter

## Conclusion

It would be wise for us to pause now and consider:

**where will I be when God destroys the world?**

**Is what I am living for only destined to go up in an atomic cloud, to vanish forever?**

**Or am I doing the will of God so that my works will glorify Him forever?**



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