

“INTRODUCTION TO 1ST PETER”

1 Peter 1:1-2

Main Idea: If the Spirit of God dwells in me, He changes me to reflect Jesus’ life.

The disciple Simon Peter and the Apostle Peter

The chosen aliens

The sanctifying Spirit of God

“Unto obedience”

“Unto sprinkling with His blood”

Grace and Peace in the fullest measure

“STUDY GUIDE FOR 1 PETER”

Key Verse: 1 Peter 5:12 “...I have written to you briefly, exhorting and testifying that this is the true grace of God. Stand firm in it!”

Outline:

Greetings to God’s scattered people (1:1-2)

Salvation brings participation in the community of faith (1:3-2:10)

Born to a living hope (1:3-5)

Born to be tested (1:6-12)

Born to live holy (1:13-21)

Born to love your brother (1:22-2:3)

Born into a living organism (2:4-10)

Intrinsic responsibilities of God’s saints (2:11-4:11)

Living as aliens (2:11-25)

Living in God’s pattern for marriage (3:1-7)

Living in the church fellowship (3:8-22)

Living purposefully under suffering (4:1-6)

Living in light of the end (4:7-11)

Suffering and submission in God’s economy (4:12-5:11)

Suffering with Christ (4:12-19)

Shepherding under Christ (5:1-4)

Submission under Christ (5:5-7)

Salvation through Christ (5:8-14)

Conclusion (5:12-14)