

Peter An Apostle of Jesus Christ

Peter's background:

1. A _____ by trade. Matthew 4:18 "And Jesus, walking by the Sea of Galilee, saw two brothers, Simon called Peter, and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea; for they were fishermen."
 - a. Jesus made him a _____. Matthew 4:19 "Follow Me, and I will make you fishers of men."

2. A _____. John 1:42 "...Now when Jesus looked at him, He said, "You are Simon the son of Jonah. You shall be called Cephas" (which is translated, A Stone)"
 - i. Cephas Aramaic
 - ii. Peter-Greek

3. He was _____ to a _____ -
 - a. Walked on _____ and then _____ - Matthew 14:28-31
 - b. _____ Jesus and was _____. Matthew 16:22-23
 - c. Used his _____ and was told to _____ it. John 18:10-11
 - d. Said he would never _____ the Lord, then _____ Him three times. Matthew 26:31-35, 69-75

4. He was _____ by Jesus. John 21:15-19

5. 1 Peter was written around _____ about _____ after Jesus' ascension.
 - a. To offer hope to people _____ by various trials. Vs 1:6
 - b. To give hope through the _____ of Christ. Vs 1:3
 - c. To assure _____ of Christs return. Vs 1:13

6. 1 Peter speaks to believers enduring _____ Vs 4:12
 - a. Clarity of our _____ Vs 2:13-20, 3:13-17, 4:12-16
 - b. Affirm our _____ 2:9-12, 3:16, 4:4

- c. Value of _____ 3:8-9
- d. Importance of _____ 1:13-16, 2:1-2, 2:11-12

Greetings to Pilgrim Believers

1 Peter 1:1-2

This letter is written to:

1. The **Wanderers**. Vs 1 "...To the pilgrims of the Dispersion"
 - a. They were God's **Elect**.
 - b. They were **exiles**.
 - c. They were **expended**.

2. The **Chosen**. Vs 2 "elect according to the foreknowledge of God the Father, in sanctification of the Spirit, for obedience and sprinkling of the blood of Jesus Christ: Grace to you and peace be multiplied."
 - a. Chosen before the foundation of the world.
 - b. Through the sanctifying of the Spirit.
 - c. For obedience to Christ.
 - d. Salvation through Christ.

3. Offer **hope**. Vs 2b "Grace to you and peace be multiplied."