

5. How might remembering that Christ will one day return encourage us in our pursuit of holiness?

6. The audience Peter is writing to are Gentiles who grew up in a pagan society. This was the “empty way of life” they inherited. Now they have something precious and fulfilling. They have been purchased by God. Why do you think he tells them to live in “reverent fear” in verse 17?

7. What are the advantages of seeing ourselves as temporary rather than permanent residents?

8. How has Jesus’ work of redemption freed us from an empty way of living? How should knowing that Christ died for us reshape the purpose of our lives (v. 21)?

Application

What are some ways your life is different because of your relationship with Jesus?

Where has Christ’s call to holiness motivated you to action?

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