

Reflection Questions November 16, 2025 Total Victory 1 Peter 3:18-22

This week we will delve into a difficult passage, but focus primarily on the clear principles communicated there that apply to all Christians in all times. Even difficult passages of Scripture are worth our study, and many times, yield some amazing discoveries for our edification and comfort. Again, we will see Peter point us to Christ as the total Victor over all things. And for those in Christ, His victory is our victory!

Reflection Questions:

- 1. How does understanding that Christ's sacrifice was 'once for all' change the way you approach your relationship with God and your daily walk of faith?
- 2. In what ways do you see Christians today feeling outnumbered or surrounded by an unbelieving culture, similar to the exiles Peter was writing to?
- 3. Peter connects our suffering with Christ's suffering throughout his letter. How does viewing your own trials through this lens provide comfort or change your perspective?
- 4. What does it mean practically that Jesus has total victory over both the physical and spiritual realms, including unseen demonic forces?
- 5. How does the story of Noah and the flood demonstrate God's willingness to preserve even a small remnant of faithful people, and what does that mean for believers today?
- 6. Peter says baptism is not just a removal of dirt but a pledge to God for a good conscience. How seriously do you take the commitment you made at baptism to follow Christ as Lord?
- 7. What does it mean that Christ proclaimed victory to the imprisoned spirits, and how does that demonstrate His complete authority over all creation?
- 8. How does knowing that Christ has already secured total victory over sin, death, and Satan affect the way you face spiritual battles in your own life?