



**Preservation | 1 Peter 1:3-5**  
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Preservation is...

God's securing of your salvation.

1. Peter uses the words "imperishable, undefiled, and unfading" to describe the inheritance of our salvation. What does he mean?
2. What is the storage location of our inheritance?
3. Read Psalm 40:11, Philippians 1:6, 1 Thessalonians 5:23-24, Jude 24, and John 10:27-29. From these verses, what do you learn of God's preservation?
4. Feelings need facts. What facts about God must you remember when your feelings of your security rise and fall?
5. Read 1 John 2:19-20. How do these verses answer the question, "Can you lose your salvation?"

God's eliciting of your cooperation.

1. What does the word elicit mean, and why is it crucial for understanding your cooperation in God's preservation of your salvation?
2. Read Hebrews 12:1-2, Jude 20-21, Colossians 1:22-23, Hebrews 10:39, John 12:25-26. From these verses, what do you learn about your cooperation in God's preservation?
3. In what ways do you oppose God's preservation?
4. What cooperation in God's preservation have you witnessed in the lives of others and how does that encourage you to do the same?

Intercessory Prayer at 8:00 AM  
Sunday School at 9:00 AM  
Coffee Fellowship 10-10:20 AM  
Sunday Worship at 10:30 AM

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