

## **“Chosen To Be Refugees”**

1 Peter 1:1,2

### **Important background information:**

(1 Pet. 1:1; Lev. 19:33,34)

ἐκλεκτοῖς eklektois (adj.): \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_

### **Principle #1:**

Your Christian faith doesn't keep you \_\_\_\_\_  
suffering; it keeps you \_\_\_\_\_ suffering.  
(1 Pet. 1:6,7; 4:12; 1:1)

### **Principle #2:**

God is writing His \_\_\_\_\_ using your \_\_\_\_\_.

## **Discussion Questions**

1. If you know a refugee or an immigrant, and his or her journey, share it with your group. If YOU are, or have been, a refugee or an immigrant, share your story with your group. If you don't know any immigrants or refugees, why is that?
2. What do you think is the hardest thing about being a refugee or an immigrant?
3. Jesus and His family were refugees at one point in their lives. Retell that story if you know it. (Hint: See Mt. 2:13–23.) How should their story affect your thoughts regarding refugees? About Jesus?
4. Read the following commands God gives regarding “strangers” in the land: Ex. 23:9; Lev. 19:33,34; Deut. 10:19; Mt. 25:34–40; Heb. 13:2. What are some practical ways for you as a Christian to apply these truths in our day?
5. What do you hope will happen in the world because of your life, long after you are gone? How can you help make those hopes become a reality?
6. What action steps are you going to take in response to this sermon?



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