

Response Questions  
October 9, 2022 | 1 Peter 1:3-4  
*The New Birth*

1. Can you give some examples of how you would anticipate a future event to encourage you through a current challenge?
2. How do you think mercy is different from grace?
3. What details do you learn of the new birth from Jesus' conversation with Nicodemus in John 3:1-21?
4. What are the unique characteristics mentioned about the inheritance in 1 Peter 1:4? How does that compare with an inheritance left behind by an extremely wealthy person for their child?
5. In this world, sometimes a child with a large inheritance will grow lazy. Does our heavenly inheritance have the same effect? Why or why not?
6. How is a "living hope" different from a "dead hope"?
7. How does certainty about eternity with God in heaven impact you as you consider your current challenges?