



# 1 Peter

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Hope for Weary Exiles

# Too Comfortable, too complacent, too familiar?

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1 Peter 2:1-3

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**LISTEN:** Too comfortable, too complacent, too familiar with a saw?  
A marriage? A job? A Book?



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5. God's Word was preached to us! (v.25)





## Therefore, live without guile:

- Putting aside every scrap of malice. (v1)
- Putting aside every little scrap of deceit. (v1)
- Putting aside every little scrap of hypocrisy. (v1)
- Putting aside every little scrap of envy. (v1)
- Putting aside every little scrap of slander. (v1)



## Live without guile and:

- Develop a severe hunger for the pure milk of the Word. (v2)



**The Result:** By the agency of the Word, you will grow in respect to salvation—in spiritual maturity.

- If you have tasted the kindness of the Lord.



**Big Idea:** Because of the astounding nature of God's Word...we live without any guile and with severe hunger for the Word of God—resulting in our maturity!



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**Question:** What will you do? We must never mock God by hearing His word and not changing.





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