

3 ways Peter says we are to live as a people who are set apart and distinct:

(1) v13: Our hope is set fully on the grace to come

(2) v14-16: We live as holy, obedient children

(3) v17-21: We live with a fear of God

Read 1 Peter 1:13-21

1. What are practical things you can do daily to “*prepare your mind for action and be sober minded*” so your hope is fully set on the grace that will be yours when Christ returns?
2. Think of an area in your life where you struggle to obey God. How might setting your hope fully on the grace to be yours help you in this area?
3. How does Peter describe our call to holiness in v14-16? What reasons does he give for our holiness?
4. Share with the group your motivation to live a holy life.
5. Share with the group an area in your life where you have recently grown in obedience or holiness.
6. How can thinking and meditating on God as our Father and Judge, the great cost of our redemption, and God’s eternal plan of salvation help you when you are tempted to disobey?
7. What does it mean in v19 that Jesus is a “lamb without blemish or defect”? (See Ex. 12:5; Isa. 53:7; John 1:29; Rev. 5:6-10)

