

The OTHER GUYS - Letters Paul Didn't Write

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1. _____ - show others the goodness of God for he called you out of the darkness and into his wonderful light. (1 Peter 2:9 NLT)

2. Diagram:



“And you are living stones that God is building into his spiritual temple. What’s more, you are his holy priests.”
1 Peter 2:5 (NLT)

“As temporary residents...Be careful to live properly among our unbelieving neighbors.”
1 Peter 2:11-12 (NLT)

Challenge: As I acknowledge God as king, how do I live in a world that does not?

3. Our encouragement:

Faith brings _____

We are part of _____

We are God's _____

1 Peter 2:9 NIV

Small Group discussion opportunities

1. As a group, discuss faith. What is it? What are some attributes?
2. Read 1 Peter 1:3-12. From the reading, what can you add to your discussion on faith? What are the results of faith?
3. Read 1 Peter 1:13-2:12. The people who put their faith in God have a new identity. Describe that identity and their actions (life style).
4. What does it mean to be a “temporary resident” (NLT) or “foreigners and exiles” (NIV)? (1 Peter 1:17 and 2:11)
5. What is the purpose (mission) for God’s people? (Read 1Peter 2:9 and 2:11)
6. Read 1 Peter 2:13, 3:1-2, 3:7. How can these authority codes (household codes) assist in the purpose of God’s people?
7. How can your faith help you as you follow God’s mission for his people?