

1 Peter + 90-Day Bible Reading Plan Weekly Work

Introduction

We want to be a people who have a resilient faith. Throughout this series, our goal is to help us appreciate the unshakable salvation we have in Christ, embrace our treasured identity as God's chosen people, and learn what it means to live holy and hopeful lives—even in the face of trials.

So, let's continue through 1 Peter *AND* our reading of the New Testament!

Read 1 Peter 1:22-2:3.

1. What specific actions or commands does Peter give believers in this passage (look for imperatives like "love," "put away," "long for")? List them out and note any repeated or emphasized words (e.g., "love one another," "pure heart," "fervently," "sincerely").
2. In 2:2–3, Peter uses the picture of newborn babies craving pure spiritual milk. What does "pure spiritual milk" refer to in context, and what outcome does Peter say comes from longing for it ("that by it you may grow up into salvation")? How does the phrase "if indeed you have tasted that the Lord is good" (quoting Psalm 34:8) function as both encouragement and motivation?
3. Considering the flow of the passage—from purification and new birth, to putting off sinful attitudes, to craving God's Word—how should the reality of our salvation (being born again by the living and abiding Word) practically change the way we treat other believers? Share one specific way you could obey the command to "love one another earnestly from a pure heart" this week, and what obstacles (like those in 2:1) might hinder that.

New Testament Reading Plan

Below is the reading plan for our journey through the New Testament. Each day, set aside a few minutes to read through the text. The goal isn't to solve every riddle or answer every question. The goal is simply to pour God's Words into your mind and heart! After each day's worth of reading, reflect. Use the following questions to help you do so:

- How are you coming to today's reading?
- What stood out to you or resonated with you?
- How does today's reading apply to your life?

After you've finished reading, move to the prayer portion of your weekly devotions to finish your time. Here's the reading for this week:

Day 1: John 4-6, Psalm 36

Day 2: John 7-9, Psalm 37

Day 3: John 10-12, Psalm 38

Day 4: John 13-15, Psalm 39

Day 5: John 16-17, Psalm 40

Day 6: John 18-19, Psalms 41-43

Day 7: John 20-21, Psalm 44

Pray

Based on your time in God's Word today (either in 1 Peter or in the New Testament), write a prayer to the Lord. Share with him your questions, what resonated, where you feel challenged, where you're hoping to grow, where you experienced resistance or difficulty in reading, etc. Use the space below to write your prayer out.