

**Experiencing God: Live As God's People** 1 Peter 1:3-5, 13-21

3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ!
According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, 4 to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, 5 who by God's power are being guarded through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. – 1 Peter 1



13 Therefore, preparing your minds for action, and being soberminded, set your hope fully on the grace that will be brought to you at the revelation of Jesus Christ. 14 As obedient children, do not be conformed to the passions of your former ignorance, 15 but as he who called you is holy, you also be holy in all your conduct,
16 since it is written, "You shall be holy, for I am holy." 17 And if you call on him as Father who judges impartially according to each one's deeds, conduct yourselves with fear throughout the time of your exile, 1 Peter 1



17 And if you call on him as Father who judges impartially according to each one's deeds, conduct yourselves with fear throughout the time of your exile, 18 knowing that you were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your forefathers, not with perishable things such as silver or gold, 19 but with the precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without blemish or spot. 20 He was foreknown before the foundation of the world but was made manifest in the last times for the sake of you 21 who through him are believers in God, who raised him from the dead and gave him glory, so that your faith and hope are in God

-- 1 Peter 1



## Questions:

- 1. How many unbelievers have been brought to God by your praise of him?
- 2. Has anyone become more holy and reverent by following your example?
- 3. What actions are you going to take to 'Live as God's People' so others will experience God?



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And for the immense majority of our contemporaries, the only way of seeing him alive is



Live as God's people

By demonstrating

HIS HOLINESS & LOVE

—ACTION SPEAKS LOUDER THAN WORDS.

