



Life Group Questions
January 19, 2025
1 Peter 3:18-22

1) Since we have been away from 1 Peter over the holidays, let's remind ourselves of the context for this week's passage. Read 1 Peter 3:8-17.

a) How are we called to live? (verses 8-12)

b) What challenges can we expect when living according to this calling? (verses 13-17)

2) Read 1 Peter 3:18-22. Let's first note that this is one of those New Testament passages that is difficult to interpret, but let's see what big picture truths we can glean. According to v. 18, what has Christ's suffering brought?

How does that bring encouragement to you when life's circumstances turn out similar to vs. 13-17?

3) In verses 20-21, how do Noah's ark and baptism show both God's judgment and salvation?

According to v. 21, what has enabled our salvation?

4) Based on that enabler, what was the outcome for Jesus, our Messiah / Christ? Why is that important related to our salvation?

5) How has this passage helped you think through the relationship between salvation and suffering?