

**Called to be Holy (1 Peter 1:13-25)**  
**For the week of May 1, 2022**

**Observation** (Read 1 Peter 1:13)

What is Peter describing?

**Interpretation**

It has been said "When you see a therefore, you need to find out what it's there for."  
What is the "therefore" referring to and what is it calling believers to do?

What are Christians to "set hope on" and why?

**Application**

How are you being alert and hopeful in these times?

**Observation** (Read 1 Peter 1:14-16)

Describe in your own words what Peter has written.

**Interpretation**

Compare verses 14-16 with Romans 12:1-2.

Peter uses the word holy 4 times in these verses.  
What does holy mean?

How are believers to be holy?

**Application**

How do you keep the “passions” of your “former ignorance” at bay?

How do you attempt to be holy?

**Observation** (Read 1 Peter 1:17-21)

Describe what is written.

**Interpretation**

How do you define the command to fear?

How are Christians to conduct themselves with fear?

How does what Christ did (verses 19-21) help the Christian's faith and hope in God?

**Application**

How are you fearing God?

How do you see the value of the precious blood of Christ greater than that of silver or gold?

**Observation** (Read 1 Peter 1:22-25)

In your own words, describe what is written.

### **Interpretation**

What does it mean to love one another?

Take a moment to find how many commands are in the Bible to love one another.

Peter quotes Isaiah 40:6-8. Note the contrast between the frailty of human nature with the permanence of God's Word.

### **Application**

How are you doing with the "love one another" command? Describe.

Is there a person or persons that this can be strengthened towards? How can this be done?