

Not Home Yet: A Study of 1 Peter

Witness – 1 Peter 2:4-12 (p. 1014)

As “not-home-yet” followers of Christ, we are called to live as exiles who have a new identity, a new community, and a new priority. In this passage, the Apostle Peter is inspired to develop this by connecting our Christian life to the entire story of the Bible.

New Identity

Living Stones (v.5)

Whoever Believes (v.6)

New Community

Spiritual House (v.5)

Being Built Up (v.5)

New Priority

“chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession” (v.9)

Compare Exodus 19:5-6

“that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light” (v.9)

Reflection & Action: What steps will you take to live into your identity, grow with God’s people, go into God’s world?