



The **GUARANTEE** of Our **SALVATION**

1 Peter 1:3-5

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Overview of 1st Peter

OUR DESTINY: SALVATION FROM CHRIST (Ch. 1:1–2:10)

- Salutation (1:1–2)
- The plan of salvation (1:3–12)
- The products of salvation (1:13–25)
- The purposes of salvation (2:1–10)

OUR DUTY: SUBJECTION TO CHRIST (Ch. 2:11–3:12)

- In the world (2:11–25)
- In the home (3:1–7)
- In the church (3:8–12)

OUR DISCIPLINE: SUFFERING WITH CHRIST (Ch. 3:13–4:19)

OUR DELIGHT: SERVING FOR CHRIST (Ch. 5)

Review

“The Source of Our Salvation”

1. We have been chosen by God the Father.
2. We have been made holy by God the Spirit.
3. We have been cleansed by the blood of God the Son.

“You may feel *helpless*, but it's never *hopeless* with Christ.”

- A. You have no hope apart from Christ—*none!*
- B. You have complete hope in Christ—*He is the source of all hope!*

“No Christ, No Hope; Know Christ, Know Hope.”

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1. The **PROOF**—It is guaranteed for us by the resurrection of _____.

STUDY VERSE SECTION - 1 Peter 1:3, NASB95 -³ *Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who according to His great mercy [The Greek word for Mercy indicates that God did something for us that we did not deserve] has caused [which gives us our word for “heir”] us to be born again [first birth is physical; second is spiritual] to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead...*

Titus 3:5, NASB95 -⁵ *He saved us, not on the basis of deeds which we have done in righteousness, but according to His mercy...*

2. The **PERMANENCE**—It is kept in heaven for us.

STUDY VERSE SECTION - 1 Peter 1:4, NASB95 -⁴ *...to obtain an inheritance which is imperishable [i.e., permanent] and undefiled [lit., unstained by sin] and will not fade away, reserved in heaven for you...*

Ephesians 1:13–14, NIV84 -¹³ *...Having believed, you were marked in Him with a seal, the promised Holy Spirit,¹⁴ who is a deposit guaranteeing our inheritance until the redemption of those who are God's possession—to the praise of His glory.*

3. The **POWER**—God's mighty power assures us that we will safely arrive in _____.

STUDY VERSE SECTION - 1 Peter 1:5, NASB95 -⁵ *...who are protected by the power of God through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time.*

LIFE APPLICATION SECTION

How to know if you are a true believer in Christ

- A. There will be an *upward path*.
- B. There will be an *inward peace*.
- C. There will be an *outward witness*.



Salvation, once received, is forever and cannot be lost.

ANSWERS TO THE MESSAGE:

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1. Christ
2. (NO BLANK)
3. Heaven