



2 Peter 3:11-18 – Precious Promises... To Live Out While We Wait

Small Group Questions

Pray for God's help as you turn to look at His word, to understand and respond rightly to what you'll see. Read through the passage and then discuss these questions together. You might like to begin reading at 3:8 before looking at v11-18.

1. What do you look forward to?
2. Christians are looking forward (v12, 13, 14). What are we looking forward to and why should this motivate us to live holy and godly lives (v11)?
3. Consider... (a) the Christian who feels beaten by their sin
(b) the Christian who feels burdened by the brokenness of the world
(c) the Christian who feels at home in this world
...How will looking forward to Jesus' return help them to live godly lives?
4. The basis for looking forward is God's faithfulness to what he has promised (v13). How can we use God's promises to help us look forward?
5. We are looking forward to Jesus' return and being with him forever. Therefore it is essential that we grow in true knowledge of him (v18). As we look forward, how will you seek to know Jesus better?
6. What stops you from looking forward to Jesus' return and what could help? How can we help each other?
7. None of us are the people we should be (yet!). In what particular ways can looking forward help you to be godly?

Respond to God's word in prayer

Share any answers to prayer you've seen since you last met

Take some time to pray for each other