## Get Your Mind Ready

1 Peter 01:13–16

# 1 Focus upon the coming grace and salvation of God

- a. Prepare your minds for action
- b. Be self-controlled
- c. Set your hope fully on God's salvation

#### 2 Focus upon obedience

- a. Do not be conformed
- b. Reason:No longer ignorant of God

#### 3 Focus upon holiness

- a. God is holy
- b. God has called you
- c. Scripture demands holiness

#### 13 Therefore,

prepare your minds for action; be self-controlled; set your hopefully on the grace to be given you when Jesus Christ is revealed.

### 14 As obedient children, do not conform to the evil desires you had when you lived in ignorance.

15 But just as he who called you is holy, so be holy in all you do;

#### 16 For it is written:

"Be holy, because I am holy."

## Live on Earth in the Fear and Reverence of God

1 Peter 01:17–21

- 1 Because you call God "Father"
- 2 Because God will judge the world
- 3 Because you are a stranger and alien on earth (Heb. 11:13)
- 4 Because you have been redeemed
  - a. Redeemed from an empty life
  - b. Redeemed freelynot redeemed by perishable,corruptible things
  - c. Redeemed by the blood of Christ
    - 1) He was sinless
    - 2) He was chosen
    - 3) He has now come and been revealed
- 5 Because you believe in the God who raised up and glorified Christ

- 17 Since you call on a Father who judges each man's work impartially, live your lives as strangers here in reverent fear.
- 18 For you know that
  it was not with perishable things
  such as silver or gold that you were redeemed
  from the empty way of life
  handed down to you from your forefathers,
- 19 But with the precious blood of Christ, a lamb without blemish or defect.
- 20 He was chosen before the creation of the world, but was revealed in these last times for your sake.
- 21 Through him you believe in God, who raised him from the dead and glorified him, and so your faith and hope are in God.