

Small Group Study Guide, Week of August 10, 2025

1 Peter 1:3-12, "Truths that Blow the Minds of the Angels," Pastor Tim Cho

Ice Breaker: What from your grandparents did you (or would you) enjoy inheriting?

Dig:

1. Last week, in 1 Peter 1:1-2, we studied Peter's list of the workings of each member of the Trinity in our lives. In this week's passage, what additional examples does Peter give regarding the work of each person of the Trinity?
2. What basis does Peter give his readers for a "living hope" (v3)? What does he say is the basis for the trials they are undergoing now? How do hope and trials relate to faith? To salvation? To joy?
3. In vv10-12, what light does Peter give regarding the work of the Old Testament prophets? The ministry of the Holy Spirit? The task of preachers of the gospel? What is their common interest and concern?

Apply:

4. As you reflect on this passage, what do you, along with the angels, marvel at most?
5. In what ways is God refining your faith right now? How are you responding?

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