

Discussion questions for 11/9/2014

1. Based on what they see and hear in your life, how do you think an unbeliever would finish this sentence..."Christians are..."?
2. Do you feel like you know both how Christians are supposed to live and how to actually live that out in the power of the Holy Spirit?
3. Peter lists numerous qualities of believers: unity of mind, sympathy, brotherly love, a tender heart, a humble mind, not repaying evil for evil, keeping your tongue from evil and your lips from deceit, turning away from evil and doing good, and seeking peace and pursuing it. Talk about each of these. What exactly does each mean? When are they easiest? When are they most difficult?
4. Verse 12 says, "The eyes of the Lord are on the righteous, and His ears are open to their prayer. But the face of the Lord is against those who do evil." Do you find this truth to be a comfort? Or does it cause you to worry? How is it supposed to be applied to believers?