

I PETER: *The Privileges & Perils of the People of God*

The Heights Church, Feb. 7, 2021

II. The Perils of the People of God - *Living in Exile* (2:11-5:14)

B. Called to Suffering (3:13-5:14)

4) Christian Partnership in the Face of Suffering (4:7-11)

5) The Purpose of God for Suffering (4:12-19)

a) Purify by Fire (i.e. Testing) (4:12)

d) Peace and Power from the Spirit of God (4:14)

b) Participate in Christ's Sufferings (4:13)

e) Properness of Christian Suffering (4:15-16)

c) Pleasure in Christ's Promise (4:13)

f) Punishment for Unbelievers (4:17-18)

g) Patience in Doing Good (4:19)