

Community Group Discussion Guide
2 Peter 1:13-18
(Week of April 23, 2023)

Getting to know you:

1. What is the most memorable quote, statement, or conversation you can remember and why?
2. Looking back at the sermon from this week's teaching, was there anything you heard for the first time, caught your attention, was reminded of, or was a big takeaway for you?
3. Take a few minutes and read aloud 2 Peter 1:13-18

Getting into the text:

4. Reading 2 Peter 1:13-15 states that it is necessary to remind his listeners of certain truths, what are they, and why?
 1. Peter states that he is in a bodily tent (see 2 Cor. 5) that he would lay aside soon, what could he be referring to?
 2. Why is it important to be mindful of the brevity of this life as a Christian?
 3. Read Matthew 6:19-20 and discuss what the world values in contrast to what followers of Christ should value.
5. Reading verse 16, Peter makes it clear that He had preached truth to them as opposed to clever myths, what are the clever myths people are drawn to, and why?
 1. Peter stated that "we" are eyewitnesses to the person of Jesus Christ. How do we help a world of doubters reconcile this truth in our world today?
6. Reading verses 17-18 Why does Peter continue to press into Jesus's relationship with the Father?
 1. Verse 17 refers back to all that heard God's voice; refer back to Matthew 17 and identify the scenario and people present. How does this help believers overcome the statement of a non-existent Jesus?
 2. Peter makes mention of previous events in biblical history, why is it equally important for us to know the scriptures?
7. Given the fact we are not eyewitnesses to the resurrection of Jesus, how do we hold to the claim of a risen Savior?
 1. Where is this holy mountain that Peter is making references to?

Close in Prayer: