

2 Peter Series

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2 Peter Overview

Application

Political/National or Individual Decisions

This is where we talk and argue.

Ethics: What is right? What is wrong? What is good or bad?

Epistemology: How do we know truth? Right from wrong? Just or unjust?

Metaphysics: Ultimate reality, i.e., God, matter, energy, nothing

Pressures of life

Foundation of *all* thought

Logical Sequence

These are the real issues, usually ignored.



2 Peter Outline

Salutation, 1:1–2

**1A God's Will is for Us to Grow to Spiritual
Maturity, 1:3–21**

**2A God Warns Us About False Teachers,
2:1–22**

**3A God Refutes Specific False Teaching in
Light of the Future Return of Christ, 3:1–14**

**Conclusion: God mandates us to grow
spiritually, in the grace and knowledge of our
Lord Jesus Christ. 1 Pet. 3:18**

1A God's Will is for Us to Grow to Spiritual Maturity, 1:3–21

1B God wants us to grow and be spiritually productive so as to be able to discern false teaching, 1:3–11

2B Spiritual growth produces spiritual stability, 1:12–15

3B Rewards in the coming kingdom are at stake, 1:16–21

2A God Warns Us About False Teachers, 2:1–22

**1B The certainty of false teachers and
their destructive heresies, 2:1a**

**2B The destructiveness of deception,
2:1b–3**

3B The certainty of their judgment, 2:4–9

**4B The self-destruction of their
arrogance, 2:10–22**

**3A God Refutes Specific False Teaching in
Light of the Future Return of Christ,
3:1–14**

1B Peter's second reminder, 3:1–2

**2B God refutes the false teachers' denial
of the literal Second Advent, 3:3–14**

Conclusion: Warning and Challenge

**Do not fall into error, but grow in the grace
and knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ.**

3:15–18