

Outline of II Peter

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- I. Salutation (1:1-2)
- II. Becoming a Fruitful Christian (1:3-11)
 - a. Provisions for the Christian (1:3-4)
 - b. Ladder of faith (1:5-7)
 - c. Fruitfulness vs. barrenness (1:8-9)
 - d. Result of fruitful Christianity (1:10-11)
- III. The Testimony of Peter (1:12-21)
 - a. Promise of w a written witness (1:12-15)
 - b. Testimony of an eyewitness (1:16-18)
- IV. Warning Against False Teachers (2:1-22)
 - a. Activities of the false Teachers (2:1-3)
 - b. Examples of judgment and deliverance (2:4-10a)
 - c. Character of the false teachers (2:10b-22)
 - i. Arrogant (2:10b-11)
 - ii. Lacking understanding (2:12)
 - iii. Lustful and greedy (2:13-16)
 - iv. Promising what they cannot deliver (2:17-19)
 - v. Demonstrating their unconverted condition (2:20-22)
- V. Certainty of Christ's Return (3:1-10)
 - a. Based on the promises of the prophets and apostles (3:1-2)
 - b. Denied by the false teachers (3:3-4)
 - c. A certainty based on God's action in history (3:5-7)
 - d. A certainty based on God's view of time (3:8)
 - e. A certainty based on God's character (3:9)
 - f. A certainty based on the promise of Christ (3:10)
- VI. Encouragement to Godly Living (3:11-18)
 - a. Moral imperative of Christ's return (3:11-14)
 - b. Peter's support for Paul's teaching (3:15-16)
 - c. Final warnings and appeals (3:17-18)