

Pursuing God
2 Peter 1:1-3

1. Salvation is a gift to be received. 2 Peter 1:1

- A. Our salvation does not come from our righteousness.
- B. Our salvation comes through the righteousness of Christ. 2 Corinthians 5:21
- C. Our salvation is received not earned. Ephesians 2:8-9
- D. Our salvation is available to all.

2. Salvation begins our eternal relationship with God.

2 Peter 1:2

- A. Through Christ we received grace and peace in every increasing measure.
- B. This life of grace and peace grows out of an ever-increasing knowledge of God and Jesus, our Lord.

3. Salvation dead ends without God's divine empowerment.

2 Peter 1:3

- A. His divine power is essential to life and godliness.
- B. His divine power comes from an ever-increasing knowledge of Him.
- C. His divine power is available to us because He called us out of His own glory and goodness.