HOW CAN WE ENDURE THE TRIALS OF LIFE?
Adding Invisible Realities to Our Thinking
1 Peter 1:1-2

I. BE ENCOURAGED BY PETER'S EXAMPLE (1:1a and various passages)

II. REMEMBER WE ARE *SOJOURNERS (Resident Aliens)* ON THE EARTH (1b)

III. REMEMBER WE HAVE BEEN *CHOSEN* FOR A GREAT SALVATION (2a)

1. By a **Father** who loves you

2. Through the sanctifying work of the **Holy Spirit**

3. To bring about obedience to **Jesus**

4. Because **He has forgiven us**

IV. REALIZE IT IS HIS DESIRE FOR HIS *GRACE AND PEACE TO BE MULTIPLIED* IN YOUR LIFE (2b)