HOW ARE WE TO LIVE IN LIGHT OF SO GREAT A SALVATION?

Future HOPE, **present HOLINESS**, sincere REVERENCE and obedient LOVE 1Peter 1:14-16

- I. REVIEW: LIVE A LIFESTYLE OF HOPE IN JESUS because He will complete our salvation when He comes (13)
- II. LIVE A LIFESTYLE OF HOLINESS because He is Holy and we are His children, called to be like Him (14-16)
 - **A.** The command: Not being conformed to our old life, we are to be holy
 - B. What is holiness?
 - C. How are we to be holy?
 - 1. The prerequisite for holiness is a relationship with Him: Obedience is only possible from our new nature (14a)
 - 2. The pattern for holiness to which we were called is Him (15a)
 - 3. The process of holiness is becoming like Him: Putting of the old and putting on the new in everything (14b-15)
 - 4. The sure promise of our practical holiness is because He is holy: Because He is holy, so shall we be (16)

Next week:

- III. LIVE A LIFESTYLE OF REVERENCE AND WORSHIP because of what Christ has done (17-21)
- IV. LIVE A LIFESTYLE OF LOVE FOR THE BODY OF CHRIST because we have saved unto this (22-25)