Sermon Date: Sunday, June 8



Today, we're diving into a powerful passage in 1 Peter that reminds us that, as believers, we are called to live as "strangers in a strange land," set apart by the truth of the gospel and by the unique authority of God's Word. This passage highlights the eternal nature of the Bible, the importance of salvation through the Word, and the call to love one another earnestly. Together, we'll explore what makes the Bible unlike any other book and why its message is so essential for our salvation and our daily living. Let's open our hearts and minds to discover how this living Word shapes our lives today.

Key Passage: 1 Peter 1: 22-25

Discussion Questions:

- 1. What does Peter say believers should do "earnestly" in verse 22? How can you apply this to your own relationships this week?
- 2. Why does Peter compare all flesh to grass and its glory to flowers in verses 24–25?
- 3. How can understanding the perfect tense of "purified" in Greek help you appreciate your salvation today?
- 4. What contrasts does Peter make between perishable and imperishable seed in 1 Peter 1:23? How does this influence your confidence in God's promises?
- 5. Why is it important to recognize that the Bible is "breathed out by God" and not merely human thoughts?
- 6. How did Peter describe the way believers are "born again" in 1 Peter 1:23?
- 7. How might knowing that "the Word of the Lord remains forever" affect your daily choices and priorities?
- 8. What areas of your life might need to be brought under the authority of God's Word, and why?