

Well, greetings brother and welcome to another Wednesday night Bible study, where we study the scriptures line upon line tonight will be no, it's kind of strange to move on from the book of the Epistles of Peter. And I have to say that that is a bit unusual for me, I think that's how far as the apostles go. I think I do have a bias for the Apostle Paul. I just something about the way he writes the way he thinks. Is there something that resonates there for me? But God willing will introduce the Apostle and then Dive into this stuff together, so hopefully, you can can I see here? Hopefully, you can Tell me in the chat. And I realize, this is a courtesy of our brother died on Hezekiah. So grateful to him for his creativity and what he did for us. I love all of you and worrying, all father that you have called us that you've given us. This this understanding that we have that we have the light of your word in a time when the world is so dark and getting darker and people are really truly lost and you've given us understanding. Father, we thank you for this and we pray that she'll continue to help us to grow in the grace and the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ. We pray in his name.

So let me just confirm that you can install that hear me loudly. And clearly audio and video of what the weather is for all of you. To the end, we're in the midst of an ice storm. And praise God. I didn't have to go out today, so hopefully you're all safe. Are interesting because I've been studying this book. It's a decreased in my respect for the Apostle, Peter thought of him as a fisherman and just very rough from the rat and the Apostle. Paul, it's a bit more communication. There is quite a sophisticated. Think about was a very devout Rabbi or or follower of Christ. Not questioning his authority in the church speak with a level of authority. I want you to speak in whisper by way of just a little bit of background on Peter. What are the things that would have saved him? And the way he's things. So, we are introduced to him in the Gospels. Where is just a reminder in the gospels. She says her and John one that's beginning of his journey with Christ. What are the two? Which were John the Baptist and followed him was Andrew Peters, brother. First finds his own brother Simon. It doesn't sound the Messiah. Which is being interpreted the price, the anointed one. So so Andrews, coming back to Peter. If so they obviously were looking for the Messiah and he brought him to Jesus. Jesus beheld him. He said you are Simon the son of Jonah Simon bar-jonah. You shall be called cases, which is why interpretation of stone. So Christ would have been his first experience with Christ in Matthew 4, verse 18, we see here, Jesus, walking by the Sea of Galilee. Uber account, Simon called Peter. Andrew, his brother casting for they were Fishers. So so we know his background and now he's a fisherman and this is a rough trade. This is a treacherous trade, a lot of hard work. The lifestyle, he would have lived a fisherman in the Sea of Galilee. And he said unto them, follow me. And I will make you Fishers of Men. So he understands now that he's being called into this walk. With Christ for ultimately you'll become a fisher of men but he understood what it means to be a fisherman in Matthew, 16 and verse 15, received the Suspiria that Peter had with Christ. He's asking them who do men say that I am. Any songs that I am so serious about Christ was the disciples. You are the Christ, the son of the Living God so he spoke up. He knew right away. Christ was And Jesus answered and said unto him, who are you? Simon son of Jonah for flesh and blood has not revealed it unto you, but my Father which is in heaven. We certainly are flesh and blood has not revealed this to us by the father in this time of Darkness, have no idea what's going on. Antichrist and blood has not revealed it unto you. But my Father, which is in heaven. And I say unto you and I say also unto you, you are Peter and upon this pitre or Petra, this rock, I will build my

church. So, this rock is this knowledge is solid understanding of who he is. He will build his church and the Gates of Hell shall not Prevail against it again. This is the defining moments... This is one of them, this understanding of yes, as the Son of God to that, this knowledge, by Revelation that this and the Gates of Hell will never succeed against, but Peter has to be for rock. He's Solid Rock in this new configuration. And I will give unto you and this is the singular of talking specifically to Peter, I will give them to you Peter, the kingdom of heaven and whatsoever, ye shall bind on Earth, shall be loosed in establishing a leadership role. This church that he was building Gospel of John. Inverted 18:10 defining moment when Christ was being arrested and then Simon, Peter, and then receive from these early experiences. Well, how impulsive and maybe even impatience that the Apostle Peter was, and he has matured his growth into patients his understanding of. So, I think that this whole time Perfect. For us. Coming into the Passover season and perfect for us. Trina season of persecution are clear to us now. Maybe a couple of years ago. It might not have been so clear, but I certainly hope it's clear to us now that our leaders Business Leaders that we have in the Western World specifically in Canada in America and Britain and Australia and New Zealand. B e l l. They despise us. They do not represent us. They have Global interest. And I have sacrificed us to the global interest if it breaks my heart. It just breaks my heart to see what's happening in East Palestine over these last couple of weeks. And then to see how in America, how your president is showing that he couldn't care less. If you just really couldn't care less. It's just, this is not important to him. And this is the president's, the United States. Please, somebody write to me, hurry, please write to me and tell me one thing that this president has done that demonstrates patriotism. that demonstrates of love to the American people because I'm not seeing despising of the American people and a systematic dismantling of America's power. Here in Canada are prime minister despise, despise Christians. Spell pursued. Every opportunity he can to side with those for Auntie Kristen And his master flipped a couple of times to show that he is not a well-developed human being. Christian. So this is where we are and then we are heading into that are so unstable for the sake of the archive. This is February 2023. And we are in a time where it just feels like everything is unraveling faster and faster. And then there's a hatred and it despising, that is being developed for Christians. Every time you see the pride flag, tell Ty, that that is equivalent to spitting up spitting on the Bible. 22, wanting to destroy the judeo-christian ethic within Society. And is it is it is clear who's in charge. And it's not Christians not any more than in terms of waiting on the floor being patient and understanding as well. So he says here, that when, when Christ was being arrested, Simon, Peter John reports having a sword drew it. The high priest servant and cut off his right here. So he priced was and there's some high priest servant did not intimidate him and he cut off his right and the servants name was melkis to the sheets. This is part of Peters learning. Now, he says, the cop, which my father has given me shall. I not drink it? This is a learning for Peter. And it's a learning for us, this is what Christ, a determination the sense of purpose that Christ had to go through the suffering, you had to go through in order to come through the other side and a cheap. The glory for all the things that we are to have this paradigm shift in terms of how he thinks he thinks about power, how he thinks about Authority. Haha, he thinks about stuff erring. He's learning directly from the cup, which my father has given me shall. I not drink it, the same incident and he says, in Matthew 26, in verse 51. A cold one of which was with Jesus stretched out his hat and Drew his sword, and struck a servant of the high priest. And struck off his ear. Jesus said, unto him, put away your sword into its place. And then he explains this for all day, that take

the sword Shall Perish with the store. but also the instruction that Christians all of Christ is not going to Violent violent overthrow, it's it's actually quite the opposite. It's an overthrow of being victimized. And while Christ was being victimized, Satan was with one Wall Street, and thought he was defeated. She was actually losing. And at the point of trying, when you actually destroyed Christ and killed caught, the lights to see in him. At that moment when Satan thought he was Victorious. That is the moment when the kingdom passed from Satan to Christ that. That was his sister. So paradoxical that was Christ victory. That is you try to enforce your way. It's just not going to work out all day. That take the sword Shall Perish with the sword Shall Perish with the store. And we see that in Revelation. Denny's goes on to explain that. I cannot. Now pray to my father and he shall presently give me more than Twelve Legions of angels. That's priced if he wanted to get out of this. These are just men. These are Mortals had the power and the authority to put it into all of this. But there was a mission, that was much higher than avoiding suffering and these are lessons that Peter Bachelor. He says. What's a present? That. It must be. So there's an understanding of depth of understanding of the Rosary scriptures, that Peter and his brother Andrew. We're studying to look for the Messiah, they had the scriptures of depths of Christ. Commitment to the scriptures in the church, but how then, shall the scriptures be fulfilled? So this this incredible obedience to the father and to the scriptural work. So all of this is part of the defining moment for moments that shaped Peter and his ministry. Further down in the shop till now he says, in verse Matthew reports in verse 73. And after a while You also are one of them for your speech. Betrays you your accent? You speak like a Galilean. The fisherman is the starting lifestyle and culture environment that he was in Christ suffering because of the higher purpose. He's now subject to Suffern and he chooses to completely avoid it to the point of denying Christ saying, I know not the man and immediately the cop proves the defining moment to remember the word of Jesus. Ristorante in before the cock crows, you shall deny me three times although Peter was willing it was very good intentions was really motivated to follow Christ didn't understand. I said before the cock crows, you shall deny me three times and he did that and when he came to the realization went out and wept. Luke 12 prices teaching them. going to see, he realizes the leader crisis developing for leadership and he says, blessed are those servants whom shall find watching? Who did I say unto you that he shot himself and make them to sit down to come forth and serve the servants? That have been faithful. And if you do come in the second watch or come in the Third Watch and find them so, so that they're not, oh my Lord, delays his coming. And then the getting caught up with this world, they're staying there, holding the line and they're staying focused on the scriptures expectation. Keisha. Coming to Staten. Watch and find themselves. Blessed are those servants? And this no purpose. So that is a good man of the house. What our the seafood come in Christ, in this manner for license himself cuz he's are going to unsold. Unfortunately, many of our Brethren and many good men of the house leadership roles are going to be falling asleep. And they're going to be by this world that they told me to say this, but this is the scriptural record. They're going to be seduced by this world and get caught up in this world. Prices tend to Peter teaching him about this role of leadership. And this know that it's a good man of the house had known, what hours of seafood come and not suffer his house to be broken through. So there's a good man of the house. There's the house and the house in the Goodman at the house or not, send The Goodman of the house has responsibility for the house. But in denying his obligations. She lets down the house. and as a result of his lack of leadership, the whole house suffers, In Christ my sister to Peter. And this is going to form how he approaches his leadership. He says to

disciple. Be you therefore ready? Also be ready. That it might be in the first watch. Am I being the second? Watch? It might be considered watch. Don't know if you ready. You therefore ready also for the son of man comes as an hour. But what matters is what we know to be true is And under no conditions. Should we find ourselves, especially the leaders fighting with the world against the house of God? Especially with a pervy that we have that we are responsible for the house that God has given us. We have to protect our house is open. That's scriptural expectation. Looking for the Lord's return and not growing weary. So all of this would have been Peters horseshoe-shaped Peters thinking and his ministry and then Luke Reitz, I'll Peter responded. So, so he's being taught this lesson or they're they're all being taught to Ben Petersen on cell. Zelda, terrible on to Austin your disciples or to everybody here or even swallow. And the Lord said who then is that faithful and wise Steward is everybody everybody. Am I made you my Stewart and then he's going to be a faithful in the why store food that is that face one? Why? Stuart his Lord shall make ruler his household to give them their portion of meat in due season. So whoever it is, this message is for, for those who are over the household for the whole. I speaking to go over the household. So who's going to be that? Why Stewart, his lordship ruler over his household, to give them their portion meat in due season that we have to understand the time. We have to understand the time we cannot be especially now all surprised he's unraveling around us and we're speaking about irrelevant things about superficial things. Was thinking about things that are inconsequential and the world is, unraveling society's unraveling everywhere and we're speaking about irrelevant think that's not what price to teaching here. We have to keep the household Flames burning, giving them their portion of meat in due season. What is the season? What is the prophetic season that we are in? Are we getting closer to Christ return? Are we in the first watch of the second watch or the Third Watch? Are we making it serious? The household? We're getting closer and closer to return. As we get closer to the return, are we putting the household to sleep? Who is Lord shall make ruler over his household. Why is he making her over the household? What's the purpose to give them their portion of meat in due season? So that's a teaching that yes, Peter, I'm speaking to you. I've already told you that. You are a rock. You want to be a leader. I've given you the Keys of the Kingdom. Now, you must be a faithful leader, and keep the church watching. In Acts. Now, one inverse a straight to the disciples to the apostles. You shall receive power given to Israel at this time. It's not for you to know that but you shall receive power after the Holy Spirit has come upon you. And you shall be my Witnesses markers. You shall be my confidence in the truth that you have, that you'll lay down your life for it. Not that you'll deny me quickly just to avoid suffering that you are so aware of who I am. My purpose. That no matter what, you will not deny me, this gospel. And in all Judea, Apostle, Peter certainly understand the mission in Jerusalem, but not just Jerusalem, all of Judea. What's the Mario unto the uttermost parts of the Earth is going to add the 12th Apostle. Paul present Ministry to the Jews. He was primarily commissioned to take the gospel to the Gentiles. For sure without Paul present price of telling Peter and those with him. They have a mission in Jerusalem in all Judea and Samaria and unto the uttermost parts of the missing important, as we open up Peter, who is he writing to exclusively Jerusalem? In verse 14, we see this leadership. Emerging is confidence Emergen-C. Spiritual comfort. Standing up with the 11. Lifted up his voice. He's not fearful, he's received the Holy Spirit. He knows what he must do. He understands what he's been called to do. You lifted up his voice and he said unto them, And all you that well at Jerusalem for this is that first part of that mission Jerusalem and Powerful sermon without apology without apology. What's 15? / 7 is also part of the shaping of Peter. when there

was so much controversy over the Gentiles coming into, Community Covenant. And not being circumcised. Great controversy. There are seven. And when there had been much disputed, and this is Marissa Richardson perspective, it's good for us to listen to each other, not show, listen to something that we need to hear it, but that's not going to happen. Today in the West Foundation of America, Is Free Speech. The Constitution protects free speech of all the nations that have been on this Earth. As this nation has a constitution that protects the freedom of speech. Of its citizens is just so ironic and amazing today to see that it is American. Who are wholeheartedly pursuing censorship for wholeheartedly shutting down debate. It is Americans that are canceling, other Americans. the amazing to, to resurrect the forefathers and say, you know, that Constitution that you work so hard to craft Here's where we are today. Fascinating. We within the Church of God. Sometimes people in our congregation sister, if they're new or they're just, they're just a little bit uncomfortable and I will throw It Wide Open. People can ask questions that can disagree to share their thinking, so I don't quite get that way. This is what I'm seeing where you're afraid to speak your afraid to think you're afraid to be yourself. How could that be a god? And when there has been much disputing, Peter rose up and said unto them men and Brethren, you know how that a good while ago Choice Among Us. That's a gentle. Spider monkey mouth. At the Gentiles by my mouse should hear the word of the gospel and believe. So this is not going back to last chapter one, where he understands he has a mission that goes beyond Jerusalem in the men of Judea. That is going to Samaria and to the whole world. And now he's realizing hey everybody you know God made a choice and I chose me the Gentiles by my mouse I have a message to preach it from me to hear the word of the gospel and believe and had this Vision where he was told not to call any man, straight for the development of the things. I actually cross over and living fully. Computer is a devout Jew, he struggled. Because hearings lations to in verse 11, even though he knows, the gospel is to be preached to Gentiles and accepted. The fact of Gentiles have been grafted in Universal. Evan, Peter would come to Antioch. Paul says, I challenged him I withstood him to the face. Because he was to be blamed. The Apostle Paul says that he corrected him and withstood him and challenge him to the face. This is not a private meeting. This is a meeting in front of everybody. The Apostle Paul understood Torah. And the Apostle Paul understood the implications of the ramifications of a leader Crossing. Spell quit. Setting an example for others to follow and so he understood his duty was to expand into the face publicly. So a lot of people I criticize Paul and tell you shouldn't do that. I should have done this. Instead all was a rabbi understanding of Torah. When Peter was come to Antioch, I would stood him to the face because because he was wrong. Four before that certain came from James or or so James is coming with a party worshippers Jewish worshipers before he did eat with the Gentiles. But when is Jewish Convoy came with James, he withdrew and separated himself if he was part of the community Fellowship in with an E, separates himself. Fearing them, which were of the circumcision. So, so he wasn't fully committed to this understanding that. When a gentile is grafted in, to the Covenant Community, they are part of Israel. They are every much a part of this Covenant Community as a natural-born Israelite. Even fully get tired because it seemed as a two-tier system here and these people are coming with James. They certainly have that understanding they are they are looking down on Gentiles and said he was self-created and sell them, which were all of the circumcision. And the other Jews so much that even Barnabas was carried away with their hip hop formation, that can take place where everybody started doing something. We have to jump on the bandwagon but Paul didn't jump on the bandwagon and he's challenged Peter publicly. So everybody could see and hear. But when I saw that, they walked not

uprightly according to the truth of the Gospel, which is rooted in Torah. I-70 Peter, before the mall you said this corrected Peter up look like Peter is an apostle. He's a leader. Call Christian publicly, if you compel the Gentiles as do the Jews. So, this was a very powerful moment for fear cuz he didn't know better, but he fell into this culture that he was a part of and then played the hypocrite and had to be corrected, and had to really come into a true full, understanding that Gentiles that are grafted in our grass today. They are part of the top management and so that was cemented in his mind as a result of the Apostle, Paul challenging him. Epistle of Peter and it begins with Peter introducing himself it's going to custom of how they wrote letters of time so he introduces himself, we sign off and we put our signature really sign sign on and he says Peter an apostle of Jesus Christ. So he is Petros that he was so by Christ and he's an apostle of Christ. That is to say he's been sent by Christ and that's really what it means to be an apostle. Tedashii be sent from what I understand the scriptures. There are Twelve Apostles with a capital a He also comes along saying also is a false Apostle Alston. We're all, that's fine. But for me to say, I'm an apostle of the council be on the same level. As Peter and Paul and the other Apostles that's just in correct. That's not what the scripture says, the apostles were directly sent by Jesus Christ and that's what makes them cops away. So he identifies himself as an apostle that was sent by Jesus Christ, that's who is writing a letter for the, recipients of the letter. He says that this letter is to The Strangers, got her The Stranger is scattered. So these are children's that are not in their Homeland where they should be, they've been scattered throughout this region. So this is true. They are strangers that have been scattered pilgrims. That happens got hurt. And where have they been scattered to? It says, Troye on Glacier, Cappadocia Asia and Asia. Where all those places are this is today. This is modern-day turkey, Asia Minor. But you can see now that comes in a delay. Sure what places are in. What today we call Turkey Birds. Church is also space for brethren in those trenches Jerusalem in Asia Minor. As a result of Islam, they were all slaughtered and raped Orchard forced to converge. And so now it went very well. It wasn't always. This was. Though the real speech of Christianity back in the day. So this letter, that's where they are. Look at this is where I think those people who say, you know, Peter is writing to the 12 tribes of Israel has got her Meaning the wrong person for the persecution and then they're not, they cannot be, as people were grafted in, they cannot be as part of the Covenant Community in the Promised Land. James, however. when he writes the excuses himself a servant, a servant of God, end of the Lord Jesus Christ. And he is writing to the Twelve Tribes, which are scattered abroad. So, he doesn't say where they are, but he says he's writing to the 12 tribes. This notion of being scattered. Again, so James is riding specifically to the 12 tribe in finger is writing to pilgrims gathered. Aspera. That Birds got jardines. Aspera install 8:1 where there's this great persecution. Prices on a tickle in my throat. What? Consenting to the death of Steven? at that time, there was a great persecution against the charge, which was that Jerusalem And they were all scattered abroad throughout the area. Accepts the Apostle, Peter styles for the scattering, those very reasons they were all there on the Pentecost Gentile Converse. 16. So so spring Converse. Call with the Apostle to the Gentiles. But we see something very interesting here and ask 66. Now when they had gone through it for Gia and were for the Holy Spirit, to preach the word in Asia, Asia, is this whole section here, Asia Minor? They were forbidden to preach the word in Asia as a forbidden by the Holy Spirit to preach the word in Asia. After they would come to my Sia, they try to go into this man, but the spirit would not allow them. And they passing by Sia. Division of fear to call in the night. Instead of a man of Macedonia. Come over to Macedonia and help us. Paul the Apostle to the

Gentiles. but the Holy Spirit prevented him from going to piss me off and to preach the word in Asia he was prevented. So these churches, these Brethren these churches were probably not seated by Paul. But you have to gospel needed to be preached to them and so they were early Brethren that I and others have stayed at these churches. And now Peter is writing to them. They would have been there and it was a persecution was hot. They would have slept and obviously gone back to their homes or you can maybe ask him if he's going to come back to the home. Has any way. Perverted followers of Christ, preaching the gospel in Cappadocia where Peter The recipients of this letter. It's clear that they are gentiles. Even though faithful Jews came from that area and said, that's that are not fast. Make yourselves according to the former lost in your ignorance, These were ignorant people. These were people who didn't understand Toro didn't know anything about or they were in ignorance and whatever it was. Whatever lifestyle that price. They must conform to that old old life. First, Peter is Right? Intensely persecuted Christians. So, so maybe is not his normal purview to write the Gentiles but it's a time of great crisis and they are followers of Christ and so he's writing to them, to encourage them which is I think 4Runner for what we are facing times. Sometimes some of us have to be patient with our Brethren but try to bring them along because sometimes our Brethren, they really can't see what is happening until it's right in front of them. That there can be signs. I just can't connect the dots to connect. This conspiracy theory. But I do believe in Christ that you want to be faithful followers of Christ. They just can't see anything until it's right in front of them. And all of this song, the same people often their these are social, the social justice Warriors Among Us a government to be so powerful that it can deliver the social justice and instead it delivers persecution and that's where we are. Now we put people in the office that she priced And we've been able to him through criminal activity, to become more and more powerful, and more, and more treacherous. And it's just a matter of time before they Flex their muscles and persecution comes down on the charge past few years. With separating us, according to vaccine status, can you stall the despising in the population of us who are not vaccinated scum of the Earth? We only we were people who should be locked up and taken away. And that, that is just an emblematic of where we're heading. If you are as God created you. But if you allow, if you have technology, nanotechnology is a part of you. You are to be honored. Let's just a specialist setting a sell for transhumanism and it's going to be incredible hatred of Christ and Christians differently. They have to understand their risk profile. There's a risk of the basket Nation. There's a risk of the disease and then we have to look at our own personal physiology and as adults, Make personal decisions. And we totally support was giving the government, the right? 2/4 facts about Jets to forcing Jets every human being on the planet. Every human being in their Nation. We said no that we can support that we stand by that cuz we don't want a government to be that powerful. They can forcing jet every citizen. Based on the globalist mandate. But that's pretty much what we set up. Get ready, the persecution is coming so you goes on to stay here. You are a chosen generation. A royal priesthood. A holy nation or people that you should show forth the Praises of him who called you out of Darkness Into His Marvelous Light. So these were people that were in darkness and I've been called into this Marvelous Light Times past. But are now the people God. So something happened where you are not a people, but now you are the people of God which had not obtained Mercy. But now have been grafted in Universal oven, says dearly beloved strangers. Strangers. And pilgrims said he's writing to Which war against the soul of accepted Christ, as we saw in Acts to come to observe the holy days in Jerusalem and then they come to see Christ and accept Christ, is this distance is not worth talking about addicted to flash.

The lost. That was just their lifestyle, fleshly lusts for breakfast in the morning. Wait, till you see what they have for dinner. Peter has to know beg them to leave that lifestyle. When they were in, Into a stain from it because it was the soul 1st, Peter 4, and verse three pieces for the time, according to the walk-in lasciviousness Bominable, idolatries did this. This is what these people are doing. These are not choose. These were Gentiles that I have broken away from this lifestyle. He says, in verse for, with them to the same access of riots, why would they think it strange? If you've always been separate? If you've always been never had anything to do with them, But if you were once a part of this community, and now you've broken away from it and you don't do this anymore. So many of us. Maybe we were at Christmas family. Gatherings are family. We don't do this anymore. We don't eat pork anymore. So these are clearly Gentiles that he is writing too. That I've switched over and now these gents house speak evil of them cuz I don't understand. So that is what I wanted to cover for today, just to introduce this Epistle of Peter. It is a rather new ones, complex the pistol, and we're going to go through it online. So brother, and I hope that you were edified by this instruction to Peter and I think of the states, it's very, very timely. We're heading into some difficult times. God gives us what we need, as we need it and we can expect to be encouraged and edified by this epistle to leave you. I'll just put up the Motion of our Sabbath service. This coming Sabbath, pastor Murray will be speaking to us as certainly hope you'll be able to join us and die while you are three hundred feet of quick. Look call. Pastor Murray did find the sermon. Have a very good or bad here. Very good customer. Please take a look at that. Very, very good. Yeah, mutual question beautiful. Thank you so much for joining us. God willing. And let me just put up the proper. God bless you. Jesus is Lord.