

1. Read 2 Peter 1:3-11. In vs 5 Peter exhorts us to make every effort to supplement our faith with virtue. How would you describe your pursuit of godliness in this season of life?
2. The Bible tells us in various places that if we trust in Christ we have been saved FROM hell. According to this passage, what have we been saved TO? In other words, what are the results that will happen to us because of our salvation?
3. What does it mean that we are partakers of the divine nature (vs 4), and what does this have to do with God's grace in Christ?
4. How does looking forward to Christ's return and our glorification change the way we pursue godliness now?
5. In what ways do you find yourself discouraged in your pursuit of godliness? How does vs 3-4 give you hope?
6. Five to ten years from now, in what ways would you hope to be more like Christ than you are now?
7. We have a responsibility to pursue godly character, but we are not left powerless. We are called to pursue godly character knowing that God's divine power has given us everything we need for life and godliness. In what ways can you "make every effort" now to pursue Christlikeness?