

## 1 PETER: PREPARED FOR ACTION

1 Peter 1:13-2:3

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1. FOCUSING ON OUR LIVING HOPE (vs. 13)
2. PURSUE HOLINESS NOT CONFORMITY (vs. 1:14-2:3)

MEMORY VERSE: 1 Peter 1:13

READ AHEAD FOR NEXT WEEK: 1 Peter 2:4-12

### DISCUSSION GUIDE

1. Why do we need to prepare our minds for action?
2. If it's not talking about alcohol, what does it mean to be fully sober as a Christian?
3. How does it help to focus our hope on grace brought to you through Christ?
4. What is the opposite of conformity to our old evil desires?
5. As a believer, what does it mean to be holy in context of vs. 15, 16?
6. How does knowing God is our judge help us "live as foreigners here with reverent fear"?
7. How does being redeemed make us aliens and strangers here?
8. How does obeying the truth lead us to love others?
9. What does it look like to love others from a sincere (pure heart)?
10. How is loving others alien behavior?
11. According to this passage, what do we need to get rid of in order to be loving?
12. What is the alternative to malice and deceit, hypocrisy, envy, and slander of every kind?
13. How does this passage challenge or encourage you?