LIFE GROUPS DISCUSSION GUIDE

GOD & SAVIOR 2 Peter 1:1

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1. Without opening your Bibles, what do you know about who Peter is? Which moments from his life can you remember most clearly?

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- 2. Read Matthew 26:33 and 2 Peter 1:1. What attitude does Peter convey in each—pride or humility? What happened that changed Peter's attitude so greatly? See Luke 22:31–34 or Matthew 26:69–75.
- 3. Read John 21:15–19. How do you imagine Peter felt during this conversation? How are the letters of 1 and 2 Peter a direct step of obedience to Jesus' words in this passage?
- 4. Who does Peter address 2 Peter to? Out of all the ways he could have addressed them, why might he choose to address them the way that he does?
- 5. Read 2 Peter 1:1 again looking for every claim and description Peter makes of Jesus. Who is Jesus, based on this verse? What is Peter trying to say about Jesus?
- 6. How did Peter's audience become people of faith, according to Peter? How do we become people of faith today?
- 7. Read again the description of who Peter addresses this letter to. Are you included in this audience? How does this affect the way that you read the rest of the letter?

CONTRIBUTE

8. Peter wrote this letter to people he cares about, to communicate the most precious truths to them. Is there someone in your life you could write a letter to this week, to share these precious truths with them? Pray together about this. Pick a name and make a plan to write and send this letter.