

Studies in 2 Peter: Part Two

Wed. Night Bible Study

2 Peter 1:5-11

These Things

1. **The Addition of the These Things v. 5a “add to your faith...”** (2Thes. 1:3, 2Pet. 2:2)
 - A. **Foundation** “*beside this*” (Col. 2:6-7, Jude 1:20)
 - B. **Fervency** “*all diligence*” (Prov. 4:23, 13:4, Is. 55:2)

2. **The Arrangement of These Things v.5-7 “these things”**
 - A. **Credibility v.5** “*virtue*” (Ph. 4:8-9, 2:12-16)
 - B. **Comprehension v.5** “*knowledge*” (Col. 1:9-11, 1Cor. 14:20)
 - C. **Control v.6** “*temperance*” (1Cor. 9:24-27, Prov. 16:32)
 - D. **Continuance v.6** “*patience*” (Lk. 8:15, Jms. 5:7-10)
 - E. **Consecration v.6** “*godliness*” (Jn. 14:15, 1Jn. 4:17)
 - F. **Courtesy v.7** “*brotherly kindness*” (Rom. 12:10, 1Thes. 4:9-10)
 - G. **Compassion v.7** “*charity*” (1Jn. 4:21, Jn. 13:34-35)

3. **The Abounding of These Things v.8 “in you and abound”**
 - A. **Profitable** “*neither be barren*” (Acts 20:20, 2Tim.4:11)
 - B. **Productive** “*nor unfruitful*” (Jn. 15:1-8, Ps. 1:1-3)
 - C. **Prize** “*in the knowledge*” (Ph. 3:10, Col. 1:24)

4. **The Absence of These Things v.9 “lacketh these things”**
 - A. **Near-sided in His Path** “*cannot see afar off*” (Prov. 29:18, Rev. 3:14-22)
 - B. **Neglectful of His Purging** “*forgotten that he was purged*” (Heb. 10:38-39, 1Cor. 6:7-11)

5. **The Activity of These Things v.10-11 “ye do these things”**
 - A. **Commitment v.10** “*diligence*” (Heb. 4:11, 2Pet. 3:14)
 - B. **Confidence v.10** “*sure...never fall*” (Heb. 6:19, Eph. 4:1)
 - C. **Culmination v.11** “*entrance...kingdom*” (Rev. 14:13, 2Tim. 4:6-8)