

Suffering as Christians

1 Peter 4:12-19

1 Peter Series #19

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1. In Order to Be _____ to Suffer for Christ We Must _____ to Suffer as Christians

2. We Must _____ During Suffering as a Christian

3. When We _____ Suffering as Christians We Should _____ its Cause

4. When We Suffer as Christians We should _____ Ourselves to God

1. Can you share a time when you suffered as a Christian?

2. Putting yourself in the shoes of the people who lived in Peter's day...how do you think you would have reacted to the suffering they were enduring?

3. Why do you think some Christians are surprised at suffering?

4. Why should we not be surprised at suffering as a Christian?

5. Can you share a time when you or someone you know was able to rejoice in suffering? Why or How were they able to do this?

6. What are the differences you see between suffering as a Christian and suffering as an unbeliever?

7. What makes some Christians think of suffering as punishment from God ?

8. Has there ever been a time where you committed yourself to God in suffering and saw positive results?

9. What insight, principle, or observation from this weekend's message did you find to be most helpful, eye-opening, or troubling? Explain.