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PSALM 103: 13-14



FAILURE ISN'T FATAL

# SANITIZED VERSION!

ICEBERG  
"ILLUSION!"

SUCCESS!

WHAT WE SHOW  
PEOPLE!



SIN / DECEIT!

FAILURE

WHAT THEY DO  
NOT SEE!

DISCOURAGED!



ABUSED!



PARENT

GRIEF!  
S.ESTEEM!

MY PAST!

PRIDE!  
ADDICTIONS!



IMPATIENT!

WEIGHT!



MARRIAGE!

CAREER!



IMPULSIVE!

MINISTRY!



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## “Failures, Falls & Human Days!” Spiritual Anatomy & Biblical Context!

“Regret” ... Be Ineffectual, Fall Short & Suffer Loss (Losing)!

“Human Days” ...

- ✍ Days When There's Doubt; Worries & Fear; Depressed & Discouraged Days!
  - ✍ Days When You Don't Get it Right — When You Are Weak (Spirit is Willing)!
- The Evil I Don't Wanna Do, I Keep Doing! **Romans 7:19**

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## “Failures, Falls & Human Days!” Redeemed & Forgiven Failures!

- 👉 Adam; Abraham, Noah Lot — Failed to Protect Families!
- 👉 Eli, Jacob, Samuel & David — Failed at Parenting!
- 👉 King Saul & Judas — Failed to Resist Evil! Elijah Failed — Due to Burnout!
- 👉 Samson & David — Failed to Resist Temptation!
- 👉 Jonah — Failed in Ministry!

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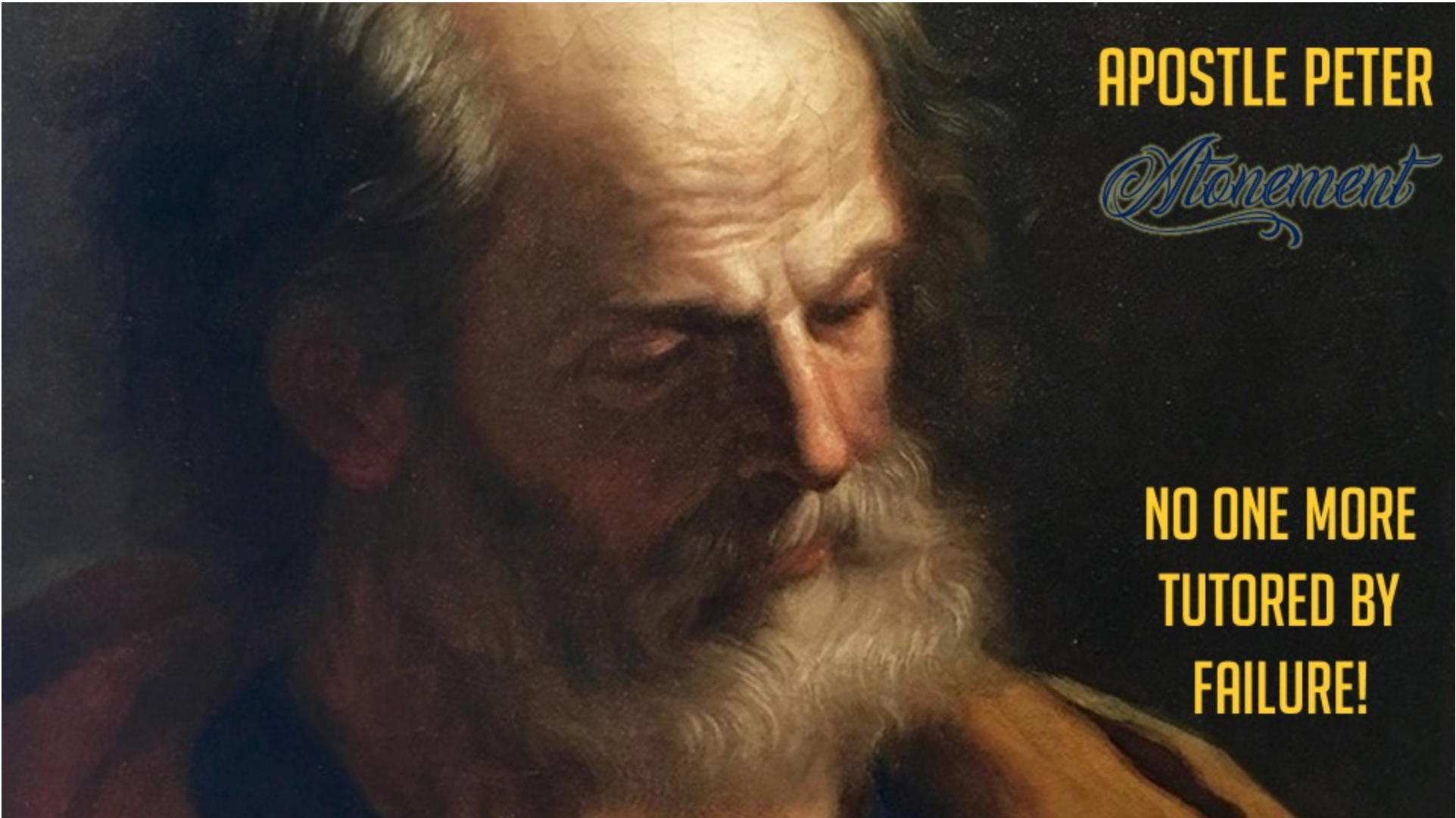


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## “Failures, Falls & Human Days!” Redeemed & Forgiven Failures!

- 👉 Moses, Rehoboam, Barak & King Saul — Failed in Leadership!
- 👉 Eve, Sarah & Job’s Wife — Failed to Trust God!
- 👉 Israel — Failed to Love & Obey God; Forsake Pagan Gods & Idols!





**APOSTLE PETER**

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**NO ONE MORE  
TUTORED BY  
FAILURE!**

GOD NEVER DEFINES YOU  
BY YOUR **FAILURES**

*Statement*

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God Always Loved Peter

*After* He Failed!



# “UNSANITIZED” VERSION – PETER’S LIFE JOURNEY!

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LUKE 5  
FAILURE

LUKE 22

JOHN 21

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# Garden of Eden

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The First Failure,  
Fall & Human  
Day!”



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# HOW PETER BECAME A FISHER OF MEN

— GO DEEP —  
SPIRITUAL DEPTHS

“GOD MAN . . . SALT SHAKER!”

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“Sunken Places!”

Immediately Jesus stretched out His hand and took hold of him, and said to him, “You of little faith, why did you doubt?”

Matthew 14:30-31 - [eternalpath.com](http://eternalpath.com)

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**THE CONFRONTATION:  
TWO-FACED!**

**PETER!**



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Jesus to Peter, the Apostle:

**WATCH  
YOUR  
MOUTH**

**SATAN**

Peter Played  
Adversary for  
**SATAN**



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Jesus Rebuked Peter  
Shut Your Mouth  
**SATAN**

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“Sleeping in the Church!!!”

Are You a Spiritual Sleeper?

Is Your Spirit Willing But  
Your Flesh Weak!”

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Learning OBJ(s) . . . **This Teaching:**

Peter Went to “Sleep” in the Presence of God:

There are 10s of 1000s of Church Folk Who Do Not Pay Attention to the Immoral Tendencies “Abnormalities” in their Flesh That Create “Spiritual Inactivity — Spiritual Sleep” in the Presence of God! . . .

Instead of Active Devotion; Attending, Praying, Worshipping,  
Maturing/Listening, Giving & Serving God”

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Learning OBJ(s) . . . This Teaching:

. . . with the Church, These Folk Are “Spiritual Sleepers!”

There Are Wonderful Things The Holy Spirit Wants to Do In & Through You However, To Defeat the Immoral Tendencies You Allow to Control Your Flesh . . . You Have to Wake Up From Your “Spiritual Slumber” by Getting Rid of Your Abnormality:

“Under Breathing!”

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Powerpoint (W) Key ... This Teaching:

When You are “Yawning & Dozing Off to Sleep” in the Presence of God  
this is a Sign there’s an **Abnormality** in Your “Breathing” — You Are  
“Under Breathing! 10s of 1000s of Church Leaders & Church Folk are  
“Under Breathing (Asleep)!” Whole Households, Husbands/Wives are  
Modeling/Teaching their Children to “Under Breath (Sleep)!” ... Singles  
are “Asleep (Under Breathing)” ... *Stonement*



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Powerpoint (W) Key ... This Teaching:

... with Sexual Immorality & Carnal Living! Church Folk Are Unforgiving, Full of Deceit & Sin — They Are “Under Breathing (Sleep)”  
There is Nothing More Important than How & What You Give to God,  
Every day of Your Life: There is a Metaphor for “Spiritually Active —  
“Fully Awake” Members in the House of God:

“Spiritual Breathing!”

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BIG Questions(s) ... This Teaching

Are You a “Yawner & Sleeper?” Are You Currently “Slumbering — Dozing Off” on the Life & Calling Jesus Has Given You to Do? When it's Time to “Watch & Pray” ... Time to Walk More Deeply With Jesus, “Fully Awake” ... Can Jesus Trust & Depend On You to Not “Fall Asleep?” When it's Time to be Devoted & Faithful to the Church, Are You Intimately & Spiritually Connected Enough? ...

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BIG Questions(s) ... This Teaching

... Are You Currently Failing Jesus & the Church Because of Your  
“Spiritual Inactivity” ...

Your Eyes Are Wide Open, but Spiritually You Are  
“Sleep?”



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## Today's Teaching ... Week VI

I. Encounter #5 ... Peter — “Sleeping in the Church!”

a. Peter Pray With Me ... “Sleepers, Yawners & Dozers”  
in the Church!

i. Immoral Tendencies/Abnormalities in the Flesh —  
“Christian Under Breathing!”





## Today's Teaching ... Week VI

- I. Encounter #5 ... Peter — “Sleeping in the Church!”
  - b. Spiritual Watchfulness & Prayer ... “Matters!”
    - i. Watching Prompts Prayer — “Warfare & Victory!”
    - ii. Spiritual Breathing — “Spiritual AIDs to Stay Awake!”





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“DOZers!”



NAP TIME

#THEBOSSBABY

“YARNers!”

ZZZ



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# “Peter’s Failures, Falls & Human Days!” Biblical “Anchors” ... This Teaching

\*ACTS 20:7 - 9

\*1 THESSALONIANS 5: 6

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“Spiritual Sleeper, Yarners & Dozers” in the Church!

Biblical “Greek Words” ... This Teaching

“WATCH” ... SG1127 “GRĒGOREŌ”

To Give Strict Attention to; Be Cautious; Active; Vigilant!

“FLESH” ... SG4561 “SARX”

Unregenerated — Natural Man; Corrupt & Rebellious!

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## “Sleepers, Yarners & Dozers” in the Church!

### Composite Description — “Christian Under Breathing:”

- ➡ Abnormal Low Levels of Spiritual Life & Transformation IN CHRIST!
- ➡ Spiritual Inactivity! “Physically Awake & Present — But Spiritually Sleep!”
- ➡ Rebellion Against the Plan of God! Preoccupation w/Own Life Choices!
- ➡ Apathy & Indifferent! Live in “Sleep Mode” Not Learners/Doers of the Word!
- ➡ Lukewarm! Jesus Does not Them; They Do Not Know Jesus!

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## “Sleepers, Yarners & Dozers” in the Church!

### Composite Description — “Christian Under Breathing:”

- ☞ Spiritual Cluelessness! Eating, Drinking & Marrying, “Days of Noah!”
- ☞ Unprepared! “The Master Finds Them Ready, Night or Day — Luke 12:38
- ☞ Prone to Lead Others to Stumble (Sleep)! “Bad Company Corrupts!”
- ☞ Unfaithful & Negligent! “Work of the Ministry & Members in the Body!”
- ☞ Backslidden! “No Guard Against the Flesh & Immoral Tendencies!”

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“Sleepers, Yarners & Dozers” in the Church!

Composite Description — “Christian Under Breathing:”

- 👉 Holy Inactive Testimony! “Inconsistent Prayer Life; Not Regularly in the Bible, Corporately or Privately!” Attend Church! Serve in Ministry!
- 👉 Lack Spiritual Health & Strength! Disconnected from the Love & Support of the Body; Not Engaged in Regular Fellowship & Relationships in the Family!

“Under Breathing!”

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## Metaphor ... “Spiritually Active & Fully Awake!” “Spiritual Breathing:”

- ✍ Life in the Control & Power of God! “God Controlled Living!”
- ✍ Fully Awake & Devoted to God! Holy Spirit Empowered Walk!
- ✍ Lifelong Learners! “Sp. Transforming/Evolving” (New Thing(s) God is Doing)!
- ✍ Let God’s Word Have its Way! “Revelatory Living — Governed by the Word!”
- ✍ Gaining Experience w/God! “More Than Know God, More They Hate Sin!”

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## Metaphor ... “Spiritually Active & Fully Awake!” “Spiritual Breathing:”

- ✍ **NOT Passive!** “Spiritually Disciplined — Active Membership!” Doers, Givers, & Supporters; Involved & Engaged in Building the Church & Kingdom!”
- ✍ **God’s Trust & Dependence!** Carry Their Cross (Light & Salt)!
- ✍ **Love for Christ & the Church!** “Honor & Please God!”



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“DOZers!”



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“YARNers!”

ZZZ



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Peter “Watch & Prayer with Me:”

Power of Spiritual Watchfulness — Watching Prompts Prayer!

“Watchfulness & Prayer” are Inseparable!

Without Attention & Focus “Watchfulness” the Mind Roams —  
Thinking Trivial & Sinful Thoughts & Distractions!

“Watchfulness” Engages & Battles the Attacks of satan; Worry, Fear,  
Grief, Doubt, Temptation & Discouragement!

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Peter “Watch & Prayer with Me:”

Power of Spiritual Watchfulness — Watching Prompts Prayer!

“Watchfulness” Prepares, Equips & Enables You “See & Discern”

What’s Coming! Jesus Was Preparing Peter & the Disciples for  
What Was to Come for Them to Know How to Do Battle Against the  
Flesh!



“Sleep Mode!”



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Peter “Watch & Prayer with Me:”

Power of Spiritual Watchfulness — Watching Prompts Prayer!

Peter, James & John “Never Watched & Prayed” w/Jesus!

They Failed at Watchfulness & Prayer!

They Failed at Growing & Gaining Strength & Victory Through  
“Watching & Praying!”

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“Sleep Mode!”

Peter Failed to Watch & Pray!

His Flesh  
“Weak!”

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## What We Can Learn from Peter's Failures!" To Stay Awake "Spiritual AIDs:"

- ✝ Put God First! Matthew 6: 33; Proverbs 3: 5-6
- ✝ Yield to the Will & Instruction of God!

PSALM 32: 8

"I Will Teach You and Tell You the Way to Go and How to Get There;  
I Will Give You Good Counsel, and I Will Watch Over You!"

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## What We Can Learn from Peter's Failures!" To Stay Awake "Spiritual AIDs:"

✚ Never Allow the Intensity of Your Love & Passion for Christ & the Church to Wax or Grow Cold!

**MATTHEW 24:12**

"Many Lying Preachers will Rise & Lead Many Astray. Because Disobedience Will Increase, the Love of Many Will Grow Cold!"

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# What We Can Learn from Peter's Failures!" To Stay Awake "Spiritual AIDs:"

✝ Never Be Lulled to Sleep by Becoming Content w/Your Life!

**1 THESSALONIANS 5: 6**

**"So Then Let Us Not Sleep, as Others Do, but Let Us Keep Awake and  
be Sober!"**



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## What We Can Learn from Peter's Failures!" To Stay Awake "Spiritual AIDs:"

✦ Redeem Your Time & the Life Jesus Wants to Live In You & Through You!

JAMES 4: 14

"You Don't Know What Tomorrow Will Bring — What Your Life Will Be!  
For You Are Like a Puff of Smoke that Appears for a Little While, then  
Vanishes."

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## What We Can Learn from Peter's Failures!"

### To Stay Awake "Spiritual AIDs:"

✝ Be On Guard for the Detection of Sin (People, Places & Things)  
In Your Life!

2 TIMOTHY 3: 3; 14; 1 CORINTHIANS 15: 33

"Evil People & Impostors will Go From Bad to Worse, Deceiving & Being  
Deceived. But You — Continue in What You Have Learned & Firmly

Believed, Knowing from Whom You Learned it!

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JAMES 4

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## What We Can Learn from Peter's Failures!" To Stay Awake "Spiritual AIDs:"

✝ Steward Your Prayer Life — Do Not Let Your Prayer Life Become Weak!

**MATTHEW 26: 40**

"And He Came to the Disciples and Found Them Sleeping. And He Said to Peter, "So, Could You Not Watch With Me One Hour?"



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“Spiritually Active & Fully Awake!”  
“Spiritual Breathing:”

1 JOHN 2:1 - 2

“I am Writing this to You So that You Will Not Sin. But if Anyone Does Sin, We Have an Advocate Who Pleads Our Case Before the Father. He is Jesus Christ. He Himself is the Sacrifice that Atones for Our Sins — Not Only Our Sins but the Sins of All the World!”

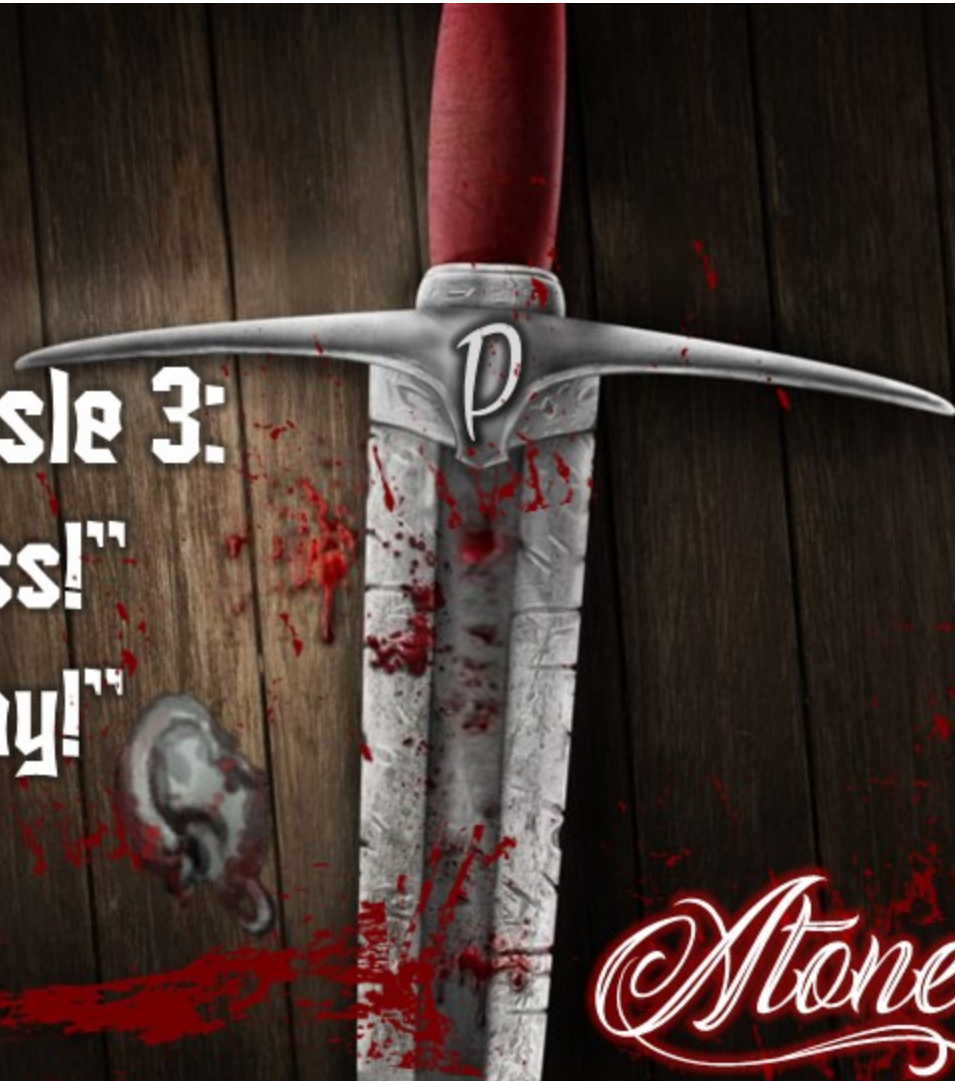
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Clean Up On Aisle 3:  
Peter's "Mess!"  
"Ear-Echtomy!"

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Revelation

*Afterglow*

**“IMPACT!”**





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## Teachings ... This Series

- ✦ The First Failure, Fall & Human Day ... “Anatomy!”
- ✦ Peter — First Encounter w/Jesus ... “Go DEEP!”
- ✦ Peter — Encounter “Sunken Places!” (Rescue Me!)
- ✦ Peter — Encounter “Watch Your Mouth satan!”
- ✦ Peter — Encounter “Sleeping in the Church!”



## Teachings ... This Series

- ✦ Peter — Encounter “Bloody Clean-up On Aisle G ... “Mount of Olives!”
- ✦ Peter — Encounter “That Wasn’t Me!”
- ✦ Peter — Encounter “Mind My Business; Mind Your Own Business!”
- ✦ Peter — Encounter “Favored — Go Tell Peter!”

