

# 1 Peter: Week 4

## Discussion Guide

### Discuss:

- In what area of your life are you the toughest? In what area of your life are you “soft” or feel weak? [5 min]
- Read [1 Peter 4:1-6](#). How is it that suffering helps eliminate sin from your life? [5 min]
- Read [1 Peter 4:7-11](#). Which of these are you strongest in? Which do you need to work on? [5 min]
- Read [1 Peter 4:12-19](#). What good comes out of suffering for humanity in general? What good comes out of suffering specifically for Christians? [5 min]

### Scriptures:

- **Ephesians 6:11** (NIV) “Put on the full armor of God, so that you can take your stand against the devil’s schemes.”
- **Romans 13:12** (NIV) “The night is nearly over; the day is almost here. So let us put aside the deeds of darkness and put on the armor of light.”
- **2 Corinthians 10:4** (NIV) “The weapons we fight with are not the weapons of the world. On the contrary, they have divine power to demolish strongholds.”
- **1 Thessalonians 5:8** (NIV) “But since we belong to the day, let us be sober, putting on faith and love as a breastplate, and the hope of salvation as a helmet.”

### Challenge:

What could you do this week to gain more benefit from the struggles you are facing? [10 min]

### **Prayer:**

Our High School Camp is approaching (6/28-30). Let's take some time right now to pray for camp.