



## Small Group Questions

### 1 Peter 4

**REMINDER:** The purpose of our small groups at Cypress is to learn to love one another. We seek to do this as we: 1. Study the Bible together; 2. Discuss how to put it into practice; 3. Pray together; and 4. Live life together. Please use these questions only as they help you achieve this purpose. You will notice that these questions are structured according to the three basic principles of Bible study - observation, interpretation, and application.

1. **Sermon Link:** Read 1 Peter 4 together. What stood out to you most from this passage on Sunday?

2. **Observe – What do you see?**

There is a theme of God’s end-of-time judgement in 1 Peter 4. In which verses do you see it?

What three “one another” commands does Peter issue us in 1 Peter 4:8-10?

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3. **Interpret – What does it mean?**

In a chapter that is heavy on end-time judgment and Christian suffering, why do you think Peter calls followers of Jesus to put the three “one another” commands (above) into practice?

Practically, what does it mean to “show hospitality to one another” (v.9)? One of the best ways to show hospitality is inviting others into your home. With that in mind, why do you think Peter includes “without grumbling”?

4. **Apply – How does this apply?**

How is the Holy Spirit speaking to you through 1 Peter 4? Are you living as if “the end of all things is at hand” (v.7)? How can you put the “show hospitality” command into practice this month?

5. **Prayer ...**