

专心盼望主恩(1Pet.1:13-21)

Fix Our Hope on the Grace Brought To Us

一. 专心盼望主的恩典 (1: 13)

Fix our hope on the grace brought to us

- 约束我们的心—在心理和体力上准备行动
Gird up the loins of our mind--mentally and physically ready to act
- 谨慎自守—保持清醒的头脑，慎重地行动
Keeping sober— keep a clear head which enables us to act prudently
- 专心盼望主再来，喜爱和渴慕天上的事，不是贪恋地上的事
Fix our affection and desire on heavenly things as opposed to earthly things

二. 圣洁的呼召 (1: 14-16)

A call to holiness

- 圣洁主要的意义：“圣”的反面是“俗”，圣的意思：不是普通的
What is holiness? The opposite of being “common”
- 我们是神的儿女，圣洁就是要像神
We are to be holy like God our Father, because we are His children
- 是顺命的儿女，也是圣洁的儿女，不要效法从前放纵私欲的样子
We are to be holy by obeying God's Word, and not being conformed to our former lusts

三. 敬畏父神 (1: 17-21)

Fear of God our Father

- 神是我们的父，也是我们的审判官，我们要敬畏祂
Fear of God because He is our Father and our Judge
- 我们敬畏父神，因为祂藉著基督的宝血救赎了我们
A reason to fear—our Father redeemed us by the precious blood of Jesus
- 敬畏和盼望：盼望吸引我们向着神的事；敬畏使我们离开得罪神的事
Hope and fear of God: Hope attracts us towards the things of God and fear should repel us from those things which offend God