

2 PETER

Summary Of 2 Peter: Peter, the apostle, wrote this epistle to believers around 66 A.D. The **purpose** is to call Christians to grow spiritually, resist false teaching and its resulting immorality, and look for the Lord's return. The **theme** is to hold fast to the true knowledge of God and Jesus Christ.

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THE CHRISTIAN'S POSSESSIONS

Chapter 1

Summary: Christians have God's nature, God's fruit, and God's word.

I. We have God's nature (1-4): we have (A) divine faith (1-2); (B) divine power (3); (C) divine promises (4).

II. We have God's fruit (5-15): we must (A) keep growing (5-9); (B) keep producing (10-11); (C) keep remembering (12-15).

III. We have God's word (16-21): it is (A) confirmed by Peter (16-18); (B) spoken by the prophets (19a); (C) believed by us (19b-21).

Lesson: *We possess God's nature, fruit, and word in order to glorify Him.*