

II Peter 1:12 - 21 - The Challenge to Remember

I. REMEMBER OUR _____ - 1:12-15

Our ultimate hope is the _____ of Christ.

v.13 “tent of this body”; v. 14 “put it aside”.

A. Our body is just a temporary housing for our spirit - it’s a “_____”.
(II Cor. 5:1) *March 12 sermon “Strangers in a Strange Land” (I Peter 1:1,2)*

B. _____ for the believer is merely putting aside the tent so we can experience the heavenly life. (I Cor. 5:8)

II. REMEMBER (STAND ON) OUR FOUNDATION - 1:16-21

v. 19 - What is the “prophetic message”? The _____

Mt. of Transfiguration - Matt. 17:1-8

A. Experience is not the final _____.
It doesn’t matter what you saw; what you felt; what you thought; what you dreamed - it is not the final authority. There is something more certain than your experience.

- B. The _____ is the final authority
1. Certainty – v. 19 - reliable
Judge everything you hear and everything you feel by the _____.
The Bible is a light shining in the darkness!
 2. Interpretation – v. 20
 3. Inspiration – v. 21 - both the men and the writing – II Tim. 3:16,17 -
“all Scripture is given by inspiration of God” - literally, _____-breathed.
 4. Warning – ch. 2 – false prophets will always be around – judge by the _____

In these last days Peter tells us (II Peter 2 & 3) we will face 2 major threats:

1. Scoffers from outside the church
2. False teachers from inside the church
and so he tells us -
 1. Remember your hope is ultimately in the world to come
 2. Remember the foundation is the Bible - stand on it!!!

CONCL. Judge it all by the Bible.

