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The Reality Of The Christian Life
1 Peter 1:1-9

- I. The Christian is a person who has been selected by God before the foundation of the world.
- A. Our salvation is initiated by God, not man.
 - B. Our salvation is based on God's foreknowledge.
 - C. Our salvation has us set apart by the Holy Spirit.

- II. The Christian is a person who is a stranger in this world.
- A. There is for us a higher attachment to heaven.
 - B. There is for us a higher allegiance to heaven.

- III. A Christian is a person who is scattered throughout the world.

Every Christian should:

- Accept where we are.
- Thank God for where we are.

- IV. A Christian is a person who suffers while in this world.

- V. A Christian is a person who will be saved out of this world.

- VI. A Christian is a person who is secure eternally.

- A. A secure hope.
- B. A secure inheritance.
- C. A certain salvation.