## Salvation - A Cause for Rejoicing

1 Peter 1:3-12 Discussion Questions What had God given Peter and his readers? (1:3) Into what kind of inheritance did Peter say his readers had been born? (1:4) By what are believers shielded? For how long? (1:5) What did Peter tell his readers they may have to suffer? (1:6) Why had trials come to Peter's audience? (1:7) What benefit is there in suffering? (1:7) What had Peter's readers done even though they had not seen Jesus? (1:8) What did Peter say was the goal of their faith? (1:9) About what did the prophets speak and for what did they search? (1:10) What did the Spirit of Christ predict? (1:11) Whom did Peter say these prophets were serving? (1:12) What did the angels long to do? (1:12) What trials are you or have you suffered recently? How have the trials you've been through strengthened and refined your faith? How have your trials prepared you for Christ's coming? What fills you with joy in life? What is the goal of your faith? When and for what have you searched for something intently? In what way have the prophets who wrote about Christ served us? How do you need to adjust your attitude about the trials in your life? What can you do this week to welcome the present trials in your life? How will you rejoice in your salvation today?