



# LIFE AS EXILES

STRANGERS IN OUR OWN LAND

BY SILVANUS, A FAITHFUL BROTHER AS I REGARD HIM, I HAVE WRITTEN BRIEFLY TO YOU, EXHORTING AND DECLARING THAT THIS IS THE TRUE GRACE OF GOD. STAND FIRM IN IT. SHE WHO IS AT BABYLON, WHO IS LIKEWISE CHOSEN, SENDS YOU GREETINGS, AND SO DOES MARK, MY SON. GREET ONE ANOTHER WITH THE KISS OF LOVE. PEACE TO ALL OF YOU WHO ARE IN CHRIST.

1 PETER 5:12-14

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### A. HUMBLE YOURSELF TOWARD OTHERS

CLOTHE YOURSELVES, ALL OF YOU, WITH HUMILITY TOWARD ONE ANOTHER

1 PETER 5:6



**DO NOTHING FROM SELFISH AMBITION OR  
CONCEIT, BUT IN HUMILITY COUNT OTHERS  
MORE SIGNIFICANT THAN YOURSELVES.”**

**PHILIPPIANS 2:3**

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- A. HUMBLE YOURSELF TOWARD OTHERS
- B. HUMBLE YOURSELF TOWARD GOD

**“HUMBLE YOURSELVES, THEREFORE, UNDER THE MIGHTY HAND OF GOD SO THAT AT THE PROPER TIME HE MAY EXALT YOU, CASTING ALL YOUR ANXIETIES ON HIM, BECAUSE HE CARES FOR YOU.”**

**1 PETER 5:6-7**

**“HAVE THIS MIND AMONG YOURSELVES, WHICH IS YOURS IN CHRIST JESUS, WHO, THOUGH HE WAS IN THE FORM OF GOD, DID NOT COUNT EQUALITY WITH GOD A THING TO BE GRASPED, BUT EMPTIED HIMSELF, BY TAKING THE FORM OF A SERVANT, BEING BORN IN THE LIKENESS OF MEN. AND BEING FOUND IN HUMAN FORM, HE HUMBLER HIMSELF BY BECOMING OBEDIENT TO THE POINT OF DEATH, EVEN DEATH ON A CROSS.”**

**PHILIPPIANS 2:5-8**

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## 2. TO RESIST THE ENEMY





**“WATCH AND PRAY THAT YOU MAY NOT ENTER INTO TEMPTATION.  
THE SPIRIT INDEED IS WILLING, BUT THE FLESH IS WEAK.”**

**MATTHEW 26:41**

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### 3. TO RECEIVE THE WORK OF CHRIST

“CHRIST, WILL HIMSELF RESTORE, CONFIRM,  
STRENGTHEN, AND ESTABLISH YOU.”

1 PETER 5:10

**“ABIDE IN ME, AND I IN YOU. AS THE BRANCH CANNOT BEAR FRUIT BY ITSELF, UNLESS IT ABIDES IN THE VINE, NEITHER CAN YOU, UNLESS YOU ABIDE IN ME. I AM THE VINE; YOU ARE THE BRANCHES. WHOEVER ABIDES IN ME AND I IN HIM, HE IT IS THAT BEARS MUCH FRUIT, FOR APART FROM ME YOU CAN DO NOTHING. IF ANYONE DOES NOT ABIDE IN ME HE IS THROWN AWAY LIKE A BRANCH AND WITHERS; AND THE BRANCHES ARE GATHERED, THROWN INTO THE FIRE, AND BURNED. IF YOU ABIDE IN ME, AND MY WORDS ABIDE IN YOU, ASK WHATEVER YOU WISH, AND IT WILL BE DONE FOR YOU. BY THIS MY FATHER IS GLORIFIED, THAT YOU BEAR MUCH FRUIT AND SO PROVE TO BE MY DISCIPLES. AS THE FATHER HAS LOVED ME, SO HAVE I LOVED YOU. ABIDE IN MY LOVE. IF YOU KEEP MY COMMANDMENTS, YOU WILL ABIDE IN MY LOVE, JUST AS I HAVE KEPT MY FATHER'S COMMANDMENTS AND ABIDE IN HIS LOVE. THESE THINGS I HAVE SPOKEN TO YOU, THAT MY JOY MAY BE IN YOU, AND THAT YOUR JOY MAY BE FULL.”**

**JOHN 15:4-11**