

## GOSPEL PROMISE: THE CERTAINTY OF OUR PRESENT AND FUTURE

### HOPE

#### 1 Peter 5:10, 11 (Pt 3)

- 1) Vs 1-4: The Gospel-hearted elder
- 2) Vs 5-7: Gospel-motivated submission
- 3) Vs 8-9: Gospel Resistance: We wrestle not against flesh and blood
- 4) Gospel Promise: The Certainty of our Present & Future Hope (v 10,11)

##### I) The Substance of the Gospel Promise

- We are God's holy temple, established in Christ.

##### 1) They shall be made Perfect

- “perfect” means “fully ready, to put in full order, complete”
- Heb. 13:20-21; Heb. 10:5
- Phil. 4:13; Eph 6:13-18
- God equips the Christian for the battle

##### 2) They Shall be Established

- “established” means “to keep firm and steadfast”
- 2 Thess. 3:3
- Rom 8:38,39

##### 3) They shall be strengthened

- 2 Cor. 10:3-5
- Isa 41:10
- Isa 40:29-31

##### 4) They shall be settled

- “settled” means “to make to rest securely” as a building on its foundation;
- Christ is our sure foundation;
- God's purpose is to settle His people on the rock of Christ;
- Trials and temptations cause us to cling to Christ, not ourselves.

##### 5) He who does all of this for them is God

- Isa 40:27-29; Luke 11:13
- Romans 8:31; Micah 5:8
- 1 John 1:4