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4B Salvation was progressively revealed chap 1:10-12

5B Salvation leads to holiness of life chap 1:13-16

6B Salvation is purchased by Christ chap 1:17-21

7B Salvation produces love for the brethren chap 1:22

8B Salvation and growth come through the Scriptures chap 1:23-2:3

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1B We constitute a living temple chap 2:4-5a

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3B We offer up living sacrifices chap 2:5c

4B We recognize Christ as the chief cornerstone chap 2:6-8

5B We are a holy nation chap 2:9-10

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THEME: Encouraging the saints to faithfulness in the face of persecution.

Key verse: 1 Peter 4:19 Wherefore let them that suffer according to the will of God commit the keeping of their souls *to him* in well doing, as unto a faithful Creator.